# COVID-19 Vaccines: Safety, Efficacy, Risks, and Mandates

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It is very difficult for people to find information about potential risks from COVID-19 vaccines. It is likely that you have never seen this information because it is being actively censored on the news media, social media platforms, YouTube, and Google. A full list of references is at the end of this document.



#### **COVID-19 VACCINE TECHNOLOGY**

COVID-19 vaccines are fundamentally different from any previous vaccines.

- The Moderna<sup>ii</sup> and Pfizer<sup>iii</sup> vaccines use an mRNA technology that has never been used in vaccines previously, and these vaccines are more akin to a gene therapy treatment than to a traditional vaccine because they do not contain any virus particles or inactivated virus (as is used in traditional vaccines).
- The J&J vaccines<sup>iv</sup> use a genetically engineered adenovirus; this technology has also never been approved for use in vaccines before.
- Vaccine manufacturers have been exempted from liability for any injury or death caused by vaccines.
- There have been no long-term safety studies on any COVID-19 vaccines.

# VACCINE ADVERSE REACTIONS AND KNOWN RISKS

In the USA, over 400 million doses of experimental COVID-19 vaccines have been administered.

The CDC has linked Pfizer and Moderna COVID-19 vaccines to increased rates of heart inflammation, including myocarditis and pericarditis. vi

The CDC has linked J&J vaccines to increased risk of blood clots as well as Guillain Barre syndrome<sup>vii</sup>, an autoimmune disease where the immune system attacks the body's nerve cells. It can result in extreme muscle weakness and paralysis.

Negative reactions to vaccines can be reported to the CDC's Vaccine Adverse Events Reporting System (VAERS). The VAERS is our Nation's early warning system for vaccine safety. As of October 29, 2021, VAERS has 856,919 negative reactions<sup>viii</sup> that have been reported for COVID-19 vaccines, including:

- 220,644 reports of anaphylaxis, or allergic reaction<sup>ix</sup>
- 131,027 serious reactions, such as blood clots, Guillain-Barre syndrome, convulsions, and heart attack<sup>x</sup>
- 4,206 miscarriages, pre-term births, or other significant pregnancy problems<sup>xi</sup>
- 18,078 deaths<sup>xii</sup>, with the youngest deaths being several thirteen-year-old children and one twelve-year-old child
- ~1/3 of the deaths reported after COVID-19 vaccination were in people who became ill within 48 hours of getting the shot.xiii

Adverse vaccine reactions are greatly underreported, and it is estimated that only 1-10% of these reactions are actually reported to the VAERS system<sup>xiv</sup>. Furthermore, in a lawsuit filed against the US Dept of Health and Human Services, a whistleblower from inside the CDC stated that based on Medicare and Medicaid data, at least 55,000 deaths have occurred within 72 hours of COVID vaccination.<sup>xv</sup>

#### LONG-TERM UNKNOWNS

Vaccine development typically takes 5-10 years, and as such there have been no long-term tests on COVID-19 vaccines. In the absence of long-term safety tests, there are many unknowns about the potential effects of COVID-19 vaccines:

- The control group for the clinical trials has now been vaccinated. This means that it will be very difficult to
  determine long-term effects of these shots because there is no group to compare to in determining rates of
  adverse health outcomes.xvi
- It was originally assumed that the vaccine components would stay near the injection site. However, there is now evidence that the vaccine actually circulates throughout the body and ends up concentrating in the adrenal glands, bone marrow, and ovaries. xvii The effects of this are unknown.

# **VACCINE "APPROVAL"**

The recent "approval" of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine, now known as Comirnaty, should not be misconstrued to imply long-term safety or liability protection.

- The clinical trials for this vaccine are still ongoing until at least 2023.xviii
- The FDA's press release about the vaccine approval states, "Information is not yet available about potential long-term health outcomes." xix

# VACCINES DO NOT STOP VIRAL TRANSMISSION AND HAVE REDUCED EFFECTIVENESS WITH VARIANTS

- According to the CDC, COVID-19 vaccines do not prevent either contracting or transmitting the virus, and there can be large rates of transmission of the Delta variant virus from fully-vaccinated people.xx
- COVID-19 vaccines do not work as well against the Delta variant, meaning that greater-than-expected numbers of fully vaccinated people are experiencing symptomatic illness, hospitalization, and death. A recent study has found that the Moderna vaccine is only 76% effective against the Delta variant and the Pfizer vaccine is only 42% effective against the Delta variant.xxi

#### MANY PEOPLE MAY RATIONALLY CHOOSE NOT TO RECEIVE THE VACCINATION

# **Groups without Sufficient Testing**

The CDC has acknowledged that COVID-19 vaccines have not been thoroughly tested on:

- Pregnant or breastfeeding women<sup>xxii</sup>
- People with autoimmune disease<sup>xxiii</sup>
- Immunocompromised people<sup>xx</sup>

# **People With Natural Immunity**

Millions of Americans already have natural immunity from prior COVID-19 infections.

- Studies show that natural immunity is robust and long-lasting. xxiv, xxv
- People who already have natural immunity to COVID-19 are more likely to have adverse reactions to COVID-19 vaccines.\*\*xxvi

#### Children

Children have extremely low risk from COVID-19 and many kids develop immunity to COVID-19 without ever experiencing any symptoms.

- Nationally, kids have a 99.998% survival rate from COVID-19 illness, xxvii and a COVID-19 hospitalization rate of less than 1% from the illnessxxviii.
- The CDC has linked both Pfizer and Moderna COVID-19 vaccines to increased rates of heart inflammation in young people especially. Vaccine kids recover from vaccine-induced heart inflammation. Some kids are left with long-term debility, no longer able to exert themselves or live normal lives.
- Recently, Sweden and Denmark have stopped the use of the Moderna vaccine for all people under age 30, due to increased risks of heart inflammation. xxix
- The Pfizer vaccine, which was recently authorized for Emergency Use for children ages 5-11 years-old, is still experimental and the clinical trials are expected to be completed in 2024.\*\*
- As of October 29, 2021, VAERS has reports of 28 children ages 12-17 who have died after COVID-19 vaccination, many of whom had no pre-existing health conditions. Some of these children died of heart failure or pulmonary embolism (blood clots in lungs) within days of taking the shot.
- Because there has been <u>no</u> long-term safety testing of COVID-19 vaccines, it is unknown whether these
  vaccines will have any negative effects on children's development or their ability to have their own healthy
  children.

# **People Who Choose to Use Alternative Treatment Strategies**

Some people choose to use proven, effective treatment options instead of vaccination. For instance, there are treatment protocols developed by:

- Association of American Physicians and Surgeons<sup>xxxi</sup>
- America's Frontline Doctors<sup>xxxii</sup>
- Front Line COVID Critical Care Alliancexxxiii

# VACCINE MANDATES VIOLATE MEDICAL ETHICS AND PREVENT INFORMED CONSENT

It is unethical to require a person to receive COVID-19 vaccination as a condition of employment, education, housing, or access to any other services offered to the general public.

- The clinical trials for COVID-19 vaccines are ongoing, which means that these vaccines are still considered to be experimental. This is true for all COVID-19 vaccines being used in the USA, including the recently "approved" Pfizer BioNTech vaccine (now known as Comirnaty).
- *The Belmont Report*, which is the Federal government's guidance document for "Ethical Principles and Guidelines for the Protection of Human Subjects of Research," specifically mentions that coercion is a violation of Informed Consent. Children and employees are considered to be "vulnerable" and therefore require additional safeguards for Informed Consent. xxxiv

• The Nuremberg Code, which was established after the atrocities of the Nazis, states that voluntary consent is "absolutely essential" and defines consent as "free power of choice, without the intervention of any element of force, fraud, deceit, duress, or other ulterior form of constraint or coercion."xxxv

#### VACCINE MANDATES VIOLATE THE CONSTITUTION

The discharge or suspension of an employee or student for refusing to take the COVID-19 vaccine is a civil rights violation.

- The United States Constitution, as well as the State of New Mexico's Constitution, protect the fundamental rights of the people.
- The discharge or suspension of an employee or student for refusing to take the COVID-19 vaccine is a violation of that person's right to life and liberty under the 14th Amendment and a violation of the right to bodily integrity which has been held to emanate from various Bill of Rights amendments, including the 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 9<sup>th</sup> amendments.

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