

NHS winter COVID 19 vaccination

Invitation for parents or carers of children



This letter is to let you know you need to book your child's winter COVID 19 vaccine



COVID 19 is a virus. It spreads more easily in winter from person to person.

COVID 19 can make your child very poorly.



You can check the list of health conditions and treatments that can increase your child's risk at www.nhs.uk/covidvaccination.



How to book your child's COVID 19 vaccine



You can book your child's COVID 19 vaccine online at www.nhs.uk/bookcovid.

You may be asked if your child is at increased risk. Answer yes for this question.



Or you can take your child to a COVID 19 walk in site. You do not need to book to do this.

To find one near you, go online at www.nhs.uk/covid-walk-in.

If you need help booking your child's vaccine



You can phone 119 for free.

Tell them your child is at increased risk and you have been invited to book their COVID 19 vaccine.

You can ask someone you trust to help.





If you need British Sign Language, you can go online at signvideo.co.uk/nhs119.



Or you can text:

18001 119.



Please arrange your child's COVID 19 vaccine as soon as you can.

It is important they get protected before it gets colder in winter months.



More information



The COVID 19 vaccine will reduce your child's risk of getting really ill.

They need to top up their protection because it fades over time.



Your child can get the COVID 19 vaccine for free. You should not give any money or bank details.



More information on COVID 19 is available online at www.nhs.uk/covidvaccination.

This website is not easy read.





You can also ask your healthcare professional for more information.



Please make sure your child has had all the NHS vaccinations they need.

You can check online at www.nhs.uk/nhs-vaccinations or ask your child's doctor's (GP) surgery.