

# Information from the district of Wittmund on the coronavirus vaccination

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## **Who can be vaccinated against the coronavirus?**

From 7 June 2021, anyone aged twelve and over who lives in Germany is allowed to be vaccinated. There are also plans to introduce a vaccination for children under twelve soon.

## **Why should I get vaccinated against the coronavirus?**

- When you get vaccinated, you protect yourself, your family, and everyone else from getting infected.
- You help return our lives to more normal – as they were before the pandemic.
- Vaccinated people have advantages: For example, they do not need to submit coronavirus tests and can travel more easily.

## **Is the vaccination dangerous?**

The vaccines have been carefully tested for tolerability, safety and efficacy. If you have any doubts, you should speak to your general practitioner.

## **Do I have to get vaccinated?**

Vaccination is voluntary. However, the district of Wittmund recommends that you get vaccinated.

## **Do I have to pay anything for the vaccination?**

The vaccination is free of charge.

**Further information in a number of languages can be found here:**

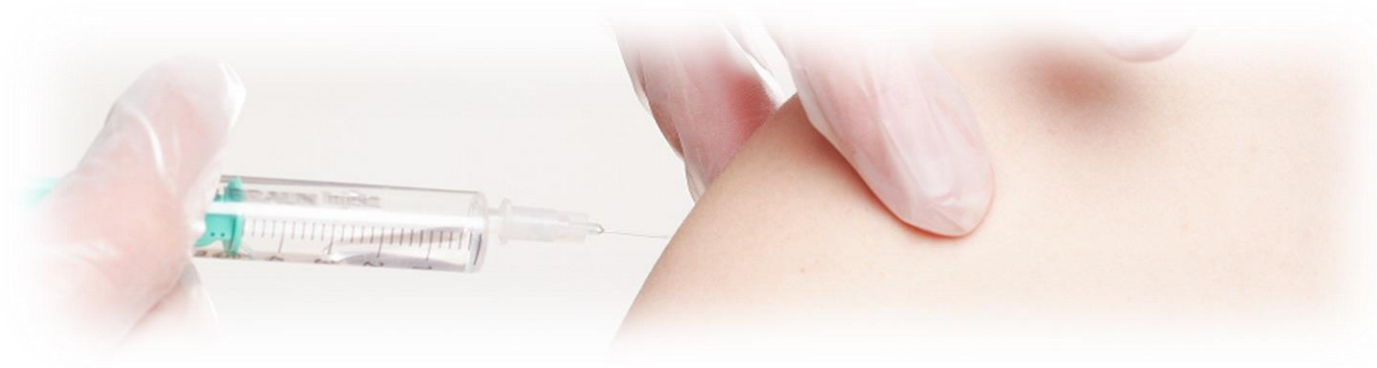


If you still have any questions, you can contact the German Federal Ministry of Health information service on the free telephone number 0800 000837, also in English, Arabic, Turkish and Russian.




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## How do I register for the vaccination?

There are several ways to do this: You can ..

- ... call your **general practitioner** and ask for a vaccination. You will then be vaccinated at the doctor's office as soon as a vaccine is available for you.
- ... ask the Migration Advice Service of the **AWO** Wittmund District Association   
(Friedenstraße 16, Wittmund, Tel.: 04462 6634, Info: [www.fh-wtm.de](http://www.fh-wtm.de)).
- ... call the **hotline of the state of Lower Saxony** . The free number is: 0800 9988665. You may have to call more than once to get through. A lot of people are trying to call this number. You give your details and are placed on a waiting list. If there is enough vaccine, you will get an appointment at the vaccination centre in Esens.
- ... register via the **online vaccination portal of the state of Lower Saxony** . The address is: [www.impfportal-niedersachsen.de](http://www.impfportal-niedersachsen.de). You enter your data here. You will also need a mobile phone to receive a message for this. Then you can either choose an appointment directly or put yourself on the waiting list. You will receive a confirmation by mail or email. If there is enough vaccine, you will get an appointment at the vaccination centre in Esens.

## Where is the district vaccination centre?

The Wittmund district vaccination centre is housed in a youth hostel in Esens. If you have registered via the vaccination hotline or the vaccination portal of the state of Lower Saxony, you will be vaccinated there. The address is:

**DJH Jugendherberge Esens-Bensersiel**  
**Grashauser Flage 2**  
**26427 Esens**

**Seize the chance! Get vaccinated against the coronavirus!**



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