# Talking to Your Doctor About COVID-19 Vaccine Options



# **Understanding Vaccine Options**

There are two types of COVID-19 vaccines available:

### mRNA & non-mRNA

Both help your immune system recognize and fight the virus.

## Why Vaccination Matters

Staying up to date on your COVID-19 vaccine helps protect you from serious illness that could lead to hospitalization or death.



# **Talking to Your Doctor**

Your family doctor wants to hear your concerns and understand your personal values. Here are some questions you can ask your doctor:

- What are the differences between mRNA and non-mRNA COVID-19 vaccines?
- Which vaccine is recommended for me and why?
- What are the potential side effects?
- Are there any reasons I should not receive a COVID-19 vaccine?

Making a Shared Decision Work with your doctor to make an informed decision based on the best available evidence. Shared decision-making ensures your values and preferences are considered.



