



COVID-19 Vaccination Appointment Day Checklists

For autistic people and their supporters

About the vaccination checklists

These checklists are to help you plan and attend your vaccination appointment.

They cover different places where you can get vaccinated:

- General Practitioner (GP) clinic
- pharmacy, and
- drive-through vaccination clinic.

Before booking the appointment, you may want to think about if you need a support person to assist you, with all, some, or none of the steps.

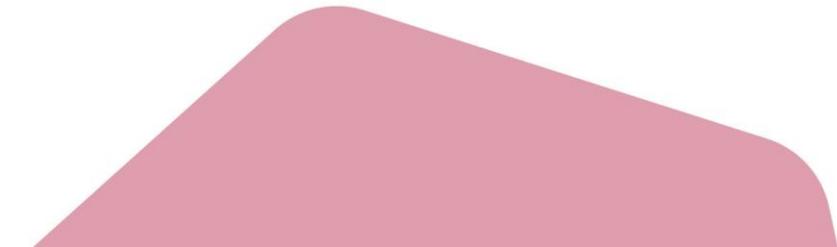
You can add your own steps to the checklist.

GP clinic

Steps	Who will do it?		
	Me	Support Person	Not needed
Bring your Medicare card.			
Bring your photo ID.			
Bring your mobile phone. Make sure it is charged. You will need your phone to check in with the QR code.			
If you have one, bring your Health Care Card.			
Bring sensory tools or activities that will help you in the waiting room and in the appointment.			
Bring notes on what you want to talk to the GP or clinic nurse about.			
Go to reception. If the receptionist is busy, wait for your turn. When the receptionist is free say your name and what time your appointment is. Ask how long the wait will be.			
Wait.			



The GP or clinic nurse will call your name when it's your turn.			
If you're waiting outside, or in the car how will you know it's your appointment time? Ask the staff member to call or text you.			
<i>--- Add your own steps here ---</i>			



Pharmacy

Steps	Who will do it?		
	Me	Support Person	Not needed
Bring your Medicare card.			
Bring your photo ID.			
Bring your mobile phone. Make sure it is charged. You will need your phone to check in with the QR code.			
If you have one, bring your Health Care Card.			
Bring sensory tools or activities that will help you in the waiting room and in the appointment.			
Bring notes on what you want to talk to the GP or clinic nurse about.			
Go to the counter. If the staff member is busy, wait for your turn. When the staff member is free say your name and what time your appointment is. Ask how long the wait will be.			
Wait.			



The pharmacist will call your name when it's your turn.			
If you're waiting outside, or in the car, how will you know it's your appointment time? Ask the staff member to call or text you.			
<i>--- Add your own steps here ---</i>			

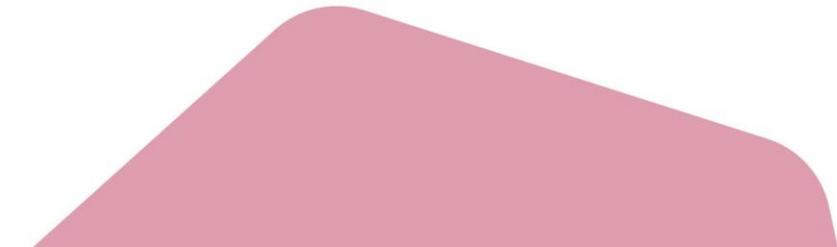


Drive-through vaccination clinic

Steps	Who will do it?		
	Me	Support Person	Not needed
Bring your Medicare card.			
Bring your photo ID.			
Bring your mobile phone. Make sure it is charged. You will need your phone to check in with the QR code.			
If you have one, bring your Health Care Card.			
Bring sensory tools or activities that will help you wait for the appointment. The car windows need to be down while in the drive through clinic, so you may need items to be comfortable in the car.			
Bring notes on what you want to talk to the about.			
Drive into the vaccination clinic. A staff member will stop you. If the staff member is busy, wait for your turn.			



When the staff member is free say your name and what time your appointment is. Ask how long the wait will be.			
Wait.			
A staff member will usher you through to the next stop.			
<i>--- Add your own steps here ---</i>			



Resources

These resources that may be useful when planning for your appointment:

- [Going to the GP about my mental health – A guide for autistic women](#)
- [Amaze – COVID-19 vaccination social scripts](#)
- [COVID-19 vaccination – Preparing for COVID-19 vaccination – A patient factsheet about preparing for COVID-19 vaccination.](#)