**Advice and guidance for receiving the covid-19 vaccines**

There are very few individuals who cannot receive the Pfizer BioNTech, Moderna or AstraZeneca COVID-19 vaccines. Find an overview of advice and guidance for receiving the covid-19 vaccination.

**Allergy Advice & Guidance for Covid Vaccination and form on Ardens**

A request for allergy form has been developed for GPs to fill in when requesting advice for managing patients with anaphylaxis or who had an allergic reaction to the first dose of their covid vaccination.

Find a copy of the form here: 

The Form will enable the team to make an informed decision and feedback promptly to the requesting GP around whether their patient is safe to vaccinate and which is the safest place to carry out the vaccine. The requesting GP will then be required to act on the advice.

The form is available on Ardens and will need to be attached as an advice and guidance request via eRS, using the new service details: ***Allergy-COVID Vaccine Concern – (Advice & Guidance)***

A pathway for managing patients who have allergic reactions to the first dose is included with the form to support GP decision making. [More detailed information can be found in the green book](https://nhs.us13.list-manage.com/track/click?u=bde5d66c718bc5844d48b568e&id=49d65f4eb5&e=d18922d10b).

When you receive a response back, please could you email BSWCCG.RSS@nhs.net  if a vaccine at the hospital is recommended. We will then liaise with the Trusts on a weekly basis to arrange a clinic.

**Where to find on Ardens**

 