

You Hold a Key to COVID-19 Immunity



It's Worth a Shot.

*Remember, when you see a patient, WAVE!
Ask "What About Vaccines?" at Every Encounter.*

Unlock a Transitions of Care Partnership with your Post-Acute Provider

Supporting healthy lives with vaccine-induced immunity to SARs-Cov-2 for our at-risk communities is more effective, less deadly, and longer lasting than immunity induced by infection. Healthcare providers are viewed as the most trusted source of health information. Hospitals, emergency rooms, and physician offices play an influential role in

building COVID-19 vaccine confidence and improving vaccine uptake. At every encounter there is opportunity to address COVID immunity before patients transition to another level of care.

Your actions at each encounter help reduce infection rates and decrease hospital utilization.

Strategies for Successful Transitions

- **Ask** your post-acute providers how you can become a strong ally in care and support them in creating a healthy COVID stable environment for their residents.
- **Support** safe and effective transitions to post-acute providers and community-based health care organizations **by assessing, coaching and vaccinating before discharge.**
- **Build** a partnership with your post-acute provider to increase vaccine administration capacity, education, and patient/family vaccine confidence.

Three Resources to Help Empower Your Team

Talking To Your Patients About COVID-19: An introduction to motivational interviewing

<https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/hcp/engaging-patients.html>

COVID-19 Personal Plan (cdc.gov)

Tools, information, and action steps to share with your family, friends, and healthcare provider

https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/downloads/332440-A_FS_COVID_Plan_FINAL.pdf

Vaccinations for Adults

An educational presentation that can be delivered to consumers

<https://qi-library.ipro.org/2022/11/30/vaccinations-for-adults>



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