

# I got the Mpox Vaccine. *Now what?*



**It takes time for your body to respond to the vaccine. Two doses offer the best protection against infection and severe disease.**

Keep taking actions to protect yourself and others from mpox. If you develop a new rash, please see a health care provider. Let them know you may have been exposed to mpox and that you got vaccinated.



[scdhec.gov/MPX](https://scdhec.gov/MPX)

[cdc.gov/monkeypox](https://cdc.gov/monkeypox)

# Meeting someone new?

Understand your risk of mpox.

- 1 Ask if they've been ill, had recent rash, or potential exposure recently.
- 2 Ask if they've been vaccinated against mpox.
- 3 Agree to stay in contact with partners in case someone doesn't feel well later.

