

Vaccine  
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# Notice on COVID-19 Vaccine

----- for children ages 5-11 -----

FOR 1<sup>st</sup>  
and 2<sup>nd</sup>  
DOSES

Please read this with your child before they receive the vaccine.

## To the legal guardian(s)

Children between the ages of 5 and 11 who have received a vaccination voucher are able to receive the COVID-19 vaccine.

The vaccine helps your child's body prepare and fight against COVID-19 infection.

By receiving the vaccine, it will make it harder to get infected or help your child avoid severe symptoms even if they do get infected.

Please decide whether you want your child to receive the vaccine after you and your child have read and understood this flyer and the enclosed informational leaflet, and have consulted your primary care physician with your child.

For more on the COVID-19 vaccine, please visit the city's homepage:



## Things to bring

### ● Pre-vaccination Screening Questionnaires ●

Second session  
(light blue form)

First session  
(yellow form)

We have changed the border color and the writing on the reverse side of each questionnaire to make the difference clearer.

### ● Vaccine Certificate ●

- ◆ Identity verification documents such as health insurance card
- ◆ Maternal and Child Health Handbook
- ◆ Medication record (for those who have one)

Please save this close at hand after vaccination, as this will serve as proof of vaccination.

**We cannot reissue another vaccination voucher onsite. Please do not forget to bring it to the vaccination site.**

## About the vaccine used for the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> doses

### The Pfizer Pediatric Vaccine

The Pfizer pediatric vaccine is meant for children ages 5-11 on the day of their 1<sup>st</sup> dose.

The 2<sup>nd</sup> dose is given 3 weeks after the 1<sup>st</sup> dose.

\*If the child turns 12 prior to receiving their 2<sup>nd</sup> dose of the pediatric vaccine, they will still receive the pediatric vaccine as their 2<sup>nd</sup> dose.

If the child turns 12 prior to receiving the 1<sup>st</sup> dose of the pediatric vaccine, please have them instead receive the Pfizer vaccine for those 12 and up or the Takeda/Moderna vaccine. Please consult the informational fliers on our homepage for more information. The vaccine voucher the child received may still be used.

Please go here if your child turns 12 prior to their first vaccination: ▶▶▶



# How to get the vaccine:



For those with a primary care physician, please send all enquiries to each medical institution.  
Please tell them your child's age and date of birth when making the appointment.

For those without  
a primary care  
physician:



Look for a venue where you  
can get vaccinated by  
checking their Appointment  
Acceptance Status:



Make an appointment through the  
Asahikawa Novel Coronavirus Call Center:  
**Appointment/Consultation: 0166-25-3501**  
**Appointment Only: 0120-057-160**

(Weekdays, Weekends, and Holidays 8:45-17:15)

For those who have trouble calling, please send all  
questions to this fax number: FAX 0166-21-3176

Set up a time through our  
online COVID-19 appointment  
system:



Set up a time through the  
Appointment Support Center



9 locations in Asahikawa

Call each medical  
institution directly to  
set up an appointment



## Your consent is required to receive the vaccine

Although we recommend that all citizens receive the COVID-19 vaccine, it is not obligatory. Once you have been provided information about the vaccine's effects and the risk of side-reactions, we will only administer the vaccine after we have received your consent and see it is of your free will. However, on principle we cannot administer the vaccine if we do not have the caretaker's consent since it is required that the caretaker (legal guardian or ward) accompany the child and sign the pre-vaccination screening questionnaires.

We also ask that you not force those around you at kindergarten or at school to receive the vaccine and that you not discriminate against those who have not received the vaccine.

## About underlying conditions

Those who have underlying conditions, please consult your primary care physician first. For more about underlying medical conditions, please refer to the Asahikawa City Homepage.

## Relief System for Injury to Health with Vaccination

There have been cases of damage to health (such as falling ill or acquiring a disability) as a result of vaccination. While such cases are extremely rare, a relief system has been set up for those who sustain permanent health damages. For more about the steps necessary to apply, please consult the Asahikawa Public Health Center's Measures for Novel Coronavirus Infection Control Team.

## Other items of importance

### ○For those who wish to receive the vaccine outside of Asahikawa (Vaccination outside of registered city)

If you have a certificate of residence with Asahikawa but you are living in a different municipality, by notifying them, you may be able to receive the vaccine in the area where you actually live. Please visit your municipality's town/city hall for more information.

### ○For those who have moved out of Asahikawa

If you have moved out, you cannot use Asahikawa's vaccination voucher. Please go to the town/city hall of the municipality you have moved to in order to be issued another voucher. You are also required to bring the previously issued one from Asahikawa, so please do not dispose of it.