

Does the COVID-19 vaccine affect menstrual bleeding and pain?

Recent reports suggest temporary changes in menstrual patterns following COVID-19 vaccination.

Please help us to study this possible side effect by answering a short questionnaire if you:

- Have had at least one menstrual period in your life
- Are NOT menopausal OR have NOT had a hysterectomy (removal of uterus/womb)
- Are NOT pregnant or breastfeeding or planning on pregnancy in the next 12 months
- Are currently having menstrual periods OR are currently not having periods due to use of hormonal contraceptives or other hormones for eg. period control or gender affirmation
- Have just had your 1st COVID-19 vaccine today or are booked to have it soon
- Are aged 18-45 years

Follow the link to be a part of this important research.



<https://redcap.link/0v7tts0>

• *Importantly, no reports have indicated any impact of the COVID-19 vaccines on fertility*

• *Despite possible mild side effects, vaccination against COVID-19 is the best way to protect you and your family and friends*

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