

Vaccine FAQ's

International Travelers

What are the accepted vaccines for campus clearance?

The CDC recognizes the following FDA-authorized vaccines or vaccines authorized for emergency use by the World Health Organization (WHO):

- **Pfizer/BioNTech (FDA / WHO)**
- **Janssen (FDA / WHO)**
- **Moderna (FDA / WHO)**
- [Astrazeneca](#) (WHO)
- [Sinopharm](#) (WHO)

What if I am vaccinated outside the U.S.?

Students vaccinated outside the U.S. with a non FDA approved COVID-19 vaccine should consult their healthcare provider. However, in some circumstances persons may be offered revaccination with a FDA-authorized vaccine:

- COVID-19 vaccines not authorized by FDA but listed for emergency use by the World Health Organization (WHO)
 - Fully vaccinated - **do not need** any additional doses with an FDA-authorized vaccine
 - Partially vaccinated - **may be** offered a complete FDA-authorized vaccine
- COVID-19 vaccines neither authorized by FDA nor listed for emergency use by WHO
 - Partially / Fully vaccinated - **may be** offered a complete FDA-authorized vaccine series

Do I have to quarantine or submit a negative test to enter the U.S.?

All international travelers to NYS must comply with all [CDC](#) requirements, which currently include proof of negative test or recent COVID recovery in order to board airplanes to the U.S. The CDC does recommend delaying international travel until you are **fully** vaccinated.

[NYS](#) follows CDC recommendations **with the following exceptions:**

- **Fully Vaccinated:** those who have not recovered from COVID-19 in the past 3-months are recommended to get tested 3-5 days after arrival in New York from international travel.
- **Unvaccinated:** those who have not recovered from COVID-19 in the past 3-months are recommended to get tested 3-5 days after arrival in New York - **consider a non-mandated self quarantine period of 7-days if tested after 3-5 days, otherwise 10-days** - and - avoid contact with people at higher risk for severe disease for 14-days, regardless of test result
- **All Travelers** must still complete the [NYS Traveler Health Form](#)