

# CONSENT CHECKLIST

## FOR COVID-19 VACCINATION

***If you choose to have a vaccine for yourself or your child, you should take this form to your appointment and ensure it is signed by both you and the clinician.***

“**Informed consent**” means agreeing to something once you have been given the full information surrounding it. Informed consent is legally required in the UK *before* you undergo a medical procedure, such as COVID-19 vaccination.

*Both patient/carer and clinician should tick the box for each statement they understand. See overleaf for verifications.*

Statement	Patient	Clinician
1. Unlike traditional vaccines, the vaccines being used for COVID-19 (“the COVID-19 vaccines”) instruct the body cells to create the SARS-CoV-2 spike protein.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. The COVID-19 vaccines may reduce severity of symptoms if the patient gets COVID-19, but may not prevent them from getting COVID-19 nor from passing it on.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Although alternative treatments are available, the COVID-19 vaccines have been granted Emergency Use Authorisation, so require less comprehensive clinical data.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. By 8 Sep 2021, of the 48,344,566 people that had received at least one jab, there had been 1,645 deaths († <b>1 in 29,389 chance of dying from vaccine</b> ) and 1,196,813 adverse reactions <i>officially reported</i> . The <i>actual</i> figures may be ten times higher. Adverse reactions were reported more often in younger people than in older adults.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Adverse reactions to the COVID-19 vaccines include, but are not limited to: strokes, blindness, deafness, clotting, miscarriages, anaphylaxis and cardiovascular disorders.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. We will not know what the possible long term effects of the COVID-19 vaccines may be (e.g., infertility) until after the studies of the clinical trials conclude in 2023. For this reason, the COVID-19 vaccines may be considered experimental.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. The manufacturers of the COVID-19 vaccines are immune from civil liability.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. As of 11 Jan 2021, the average age of death in the UK with COVID-19 was 83.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Crude mortality rates from 29 Jun 2020 to 12 May 2021 show under-30’s <i>may</i> be more likely to die from taking a COVID-19 vaccine <sup>†</sup> than from dying with COVID-19: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Under fives: 1 in 500,000 chance of dying with COVID-19</b></li> <li>• <b>5 to 9 years-old: 1 in 1,000,000 chance of dying with COVID-19</b></li> <li>• <b>10 to 19 years-old: 1 in 166,667 chance of dying <i>with</i> COVID-19</b></li> <li>• <b>20 to 29 years-old: 1 in 43,478 chance of dying with COVID-19</b></li> <li>• 30 to 39 years-old: 1 in 12,500 chance of dying with COVID-19</li> <li>• 40 to 49 years-old: 1 in 4,065 chance of dying with COVID-19</li> <li>• 50 to 59 years-old: 1 in 1,399 chance of dying with COVID-19</li> <li>• 60 to 69 years-old: 1 in 500 chance of dying with COVID-19</li> <li>• 70 to 79 years-old: 1 in 189 chance of dying with COVID-19</li> <li>• 80 years-old and above: 1 in 44 chance of dying with COVID-19</li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. <i>The patient/carer does not feel coerced and is free to refuse a COVID-19 vaccine.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Patient/carer:**

*I accept each of the above statements, and hereby give my informed consent to receive an experimental COVID-19 vaccine, for which the long-term effects are unknown.*

Patient name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Clinician:**

*I accept the above statements, and the patient/carer has given informed consent to receive a COVID-19 vaccine. I am not liable for any resulting adverse reactions.*

Clinician name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

***Once signed by both parties, this form should be kept by the patient/carer.***

## Official statement verification:

- #1  "Understanding mRNA COVID-19 Vaccines"  
**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**  
<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/different-vaccines/mrna.html>
- #2  "Science Brief: COVID-19 Vaccines and Vaccination"  
**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**  
<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/science/science-briefs/fully-vaccinated-people.html>
- #3, #7  "Consultation document: changes to Human Medicine Regulation to support the rollout of COVID-19 vaccines"  
**Department of Health & Social Care**  
<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/distributing-vaccines-and-treatments-for-covid-19-and-flu/consultation-document-changes-to-human-medicine-regulations-to-support-the-rollout-of-covid-19-vaccines#civil-liability-and-immunity>
- #4  "Yellow Card: please help to reverse the decline in reporting of suspected adverse drug reactions"  
**Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency**  
<https://www.gov.uk/drug-safety-update/yellow-card-please-help-to-reverse-the-decline-in-reporting-of-suspected-adverse-drug-reactions#dont-wait-for-someone-else-to-report-it>
- #4, #5  "Vaccinations in the UK | Coronavirus in the UK"  
**Public Health England**  
<https://coronavirus.data.gov.uk/details/vaccinations>
- #4, #5  Coronavirus Yellow Card data (simplified and searchable)  
**Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency (via UK Column)**  
<https://yellowcard.ukcolumn.org>  
Data taken from MHRA Yellow Card site: <https://coronavirus-yellowcard.mhra.gov.uk>
- #6  "COVID-19 vaccines in development"  
**Specialist Pharmacy Service / National Health Service**  
<https://www.sps.nhs.uk/medicines/covid-19-vaccine>
- #8  "Average age of those who had died with COVID-19"  
**Office for National Statistics**  
<https://www.ons.gov.uk/aboutus/transparencyandgovernance/freedomofinformationfoi/averageageofthosewhohaddiedwithcovid19>
- #9  "COVID-19 confirmed deaths in England (to 31 April 2021): report"  
**Public Health England**  
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-reported-sars-cov-2-deaths-in-england/covid-19-confirmed-deaths-in-england-to-31-april-2021-report#age-and-sex-distribution>