

Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine Consent Form

for Individuals Under 18 Years of Age

Section 1: Information about the child to receive Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine (please print):

Child's Name (Last, First, MI)	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	Age	
Street Address	City	State	Zip
	 Email		

Section 2: Information on the risks and benefits of the Pfizer BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine:

The Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine may prevent the person vaccinated from getting COVID-19. There is no U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) – approved vaccine to prevent COVID-19. However, the FDA has authorized the emergency use of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine to prevent COVID-19 in individuals 16 years of age and older under an Emergency Use Authorization (EUA). The Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine is administered as a 2 dose series, 3 weeks apart, into the muscle.

Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine may not protect everyone. Side effects that have been reported with the Pfizer-BioNTech Vaccine include injection site pain, tiredness, headache, muscle pain, chills, joint plan, fever, injection site swelling, injections site redness, nausea, feeling unwell, and swollen lymph nodes. There is a remote chance that the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine could cause a severe allergic reaction. A severe allergic reaction would usually occur within a few minutes to one hour after getting a dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine. For this reason, a vaccination provider may ask the person receiving the vaccine to stay at the place where they received their vaccine for monitoring after vaccination. Signs of a severe allergic reaction can include difficulty breathing, swelling of the face and throat, a fast heartbeat, and/or a bad rash all over the body. The Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine "Fact Sheet for Recipients and Caregivers" is available at https://www.fda.gov/media/144414/download.

Section 3: Consent For Minor's Vaccination:

I have reviewed the information or risks and benefits of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine in **Section 2** above and understand the risks and benefits. In providing my consent below, I agree that:

- 1. I have reviewed this consent form, and I understand that the "Fact Sheet" for Recipients and Caregivers", includes more detailed information about the potential risks and benefits of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine.
- 2. I have the legal authority to consent to have the child named above vaccinated with the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine.
- 3. I understand I am not required to accompany the child named above to the their vaccination appointment and that, by giving my consent below, the child will receive the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine whether or not I am present at the vaccination appointment.
- 4. If I have health insurance that covers the child named above, I give permission for my insurance company to be billed for the cost of administering the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine. The government is paying for the Pfizer BioNTechCOVID-19 Vaccine itself, and I will not be billed for that portion of the cost of my immunization.
- 5. I understand that as required by state law, all immunizations will be reported to the Department of Public Health of Bayonne.

I GIVE CONSENT for the child named at the top of this form to get vaccinated with the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine and have reviewed and agree to the information included in Section 3 of this form.) If this consent is not signed, dated and returned, the child will not be vaccinated.)

Signature of Legally Authorized Representative:	Date:	