










## Covid-19 vaccines: The facts and the myths

| False    | Vaccine fact  |
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|  It was rushed and isn't safe.                           | Researchers took no safety shortcuts. Large studies show the vaccine is safe.                    |
|  It changes my DNA.                                      | It's impossible for the vaccine to change your DNA.  |
|  It can give you Covid-19.                               | The vaccine doesn't contain a live virus strain.   |
|  It contains egg protein.                               | It doesn't contain egg proteins and can be given to people with allergies.                       |
|  It causes severe side effects.                        | For most, the vaccine causes mild side effects that resolve in a few days.                       |
|  It makes women infertile.                             | There is no evidence that the vaccine causes infertility.  |
|  It contains alcohol.                                  | It doesn't contain alcohol.  |
|  It can't be taken if you have existing health issues. | Always contact your GP if you have existing health issues.                                       |
|  There is human and animal DNA in the vaccine.         | The Covid-19 vaccines do not contain human or animal DNA.  |
|  There is a microchip inside the vaccine.              | There aren't any microchips inside the Covid-19 vaccines.  |

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