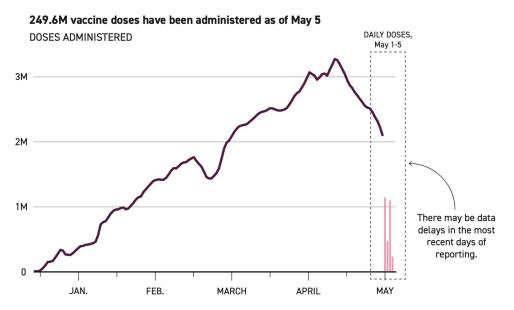


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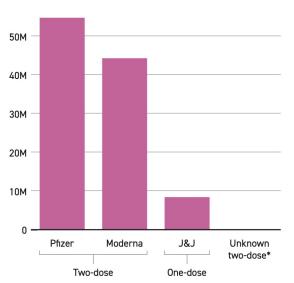
Vaccine tracker: 56.7% of the U.S. has received first dose

As of May 5, CDC data shows 56.7% of American adults have received at least one Covid-19 vaccine dose, and 41.3% have been fully vaccinated. Vaccination rates are higher for the 65-and-older group: More than 83% of older adults have received at least one dose, and 70.1% are fully vaccinated. President Joe Biden announced this week that, with the majority of American adults having gotten their first shot and the pace of vaccinations slowing down, the next area of focus will be children between 12 and 15 years of age. FDA scientists are currently deciding if and when to authorize Covid-19 vaccinations for that age group.

So far, Biden has been making good on his vaccination promises. On April 19, all U.S. adults over the age of 16 became eligible for the Covid-19 vaccine, successfully meeting the president's new deadline. At the end of April, Biden reached his goal of administering 200 million doses in his first 100 days in office, and the CDC and FDA ended the 10-day pause on the J&J one-shot Covid-19 vaccine.



107.3M total Americans, or 32.3 percent, are fully vaccinated NUMBER OF PEOPLE



Sources: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, U.S. Census



^{*}The vaccine manufacturer was not reported for about 47,000 vaccine recipients, according to the CDC.