

# STAFF VACCINATION STATUS

The [NHS COVID Pass](#) system went live on the 30 September 2021, all staff will need to use this to provide evidence of status.

## FULLY VACCINATED

All staff that have both initial doses of the vaccine or have received permanent exemption from the vaccine.

No further action is currently required. Staff to apply for booster vaccine after 180 days from their second dose. You should record details of the [NHS COVID pass](#) evidence for all relevant staff.

Staff that received their second dose of the vaccine over 180 days ago (six months) can either book their booster vaccine via the [National Booking System](#) or attend a 'walk-in' centre, for your nearest centre, see here: [www.nhs.uk/grab-a-jab](http://www.nhs.uk/grab-a-jab)

## TEMPORARY EXEMPTIONS

Staff with temporary exemption have until the 28 October 2021 to receive their first dose, in order to be fully vaccinated for the 23 December 2021.

You should keep records of all staff who have submitted temporary exemptions and ensure to track their current progress in relation to their vaccination status.

Staff that are pregnant are also eligible for a time-limited exemption through the [Form for Medical Exemption](#). Should pregnant staff take this route, their exemption will expire 16 weeks post-partum (after birth) to allow them enough time to be vaccinated.

## NO EXEMPTION/VACCINATION

Staff without temporary exemption and either of their Covid-19 vaccine doses, will be unable to enter the care home from the 11 November 2021.

Staff who have had their first dose, that do not have temporary exemption, will be unable to work from the 11 November until they have received their second dose.

For staff who are potentially eligible for permanent exemption from the Covid vaccinations, it should be encouraged that they utilise the local AGH exemption pathway.

Further details can be found here: [Covid-19 Vaccination Exemptions](#)

Staff without temporary exemption would need to be redeployed or given notice for the 11 November 2021.

For staff with a temporary exemption, but with no intention of receiving their Covid-19 vaccine, will need to be redeployed or given notice for the 23 December 2021.

Staff with no intention of having the Covid-19 vaccination risk contract termination, this is due to not being able to legally carry out their duties, because of the the mandatory vaccination legislation.