Protect yourself from Pneumococcal Disease

If you are 65 or older or have certain medical conditions, it is recommended that you get vaccinated to protect against pneumococcal disease.

Pneumococcal disease in adults can range from mild to serious, and can sometimes be fatal.

There are two types of vaccine that can provide protection against pneumococcal disease

PCV15, PCV20, or PCV21 **New**

Protects against 15-21 strains of pneumococcal disease.

Recommended for:
- Adults 65 years and older.
- Adults 19-64 years with certain medical conditions or risk factors.

PCV 20 or 21 requires only one dose.

PPSV23

Protects against 23 strains of pneumococcal disease.

Recommended for:
- Children 2-18 years old with certain medical conditions.
- Adults 19 years or older who get PCV15 or who have previously received only PCV7 or PCV13.

Medicare Part B covers 100% of the cost of any of these vaccines when administered at least 12 months apart.

Say NO to disease. Say YES to vaccines!

Talk to your provider or pharmacist to see if they recommend these or other vaccines for you.

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