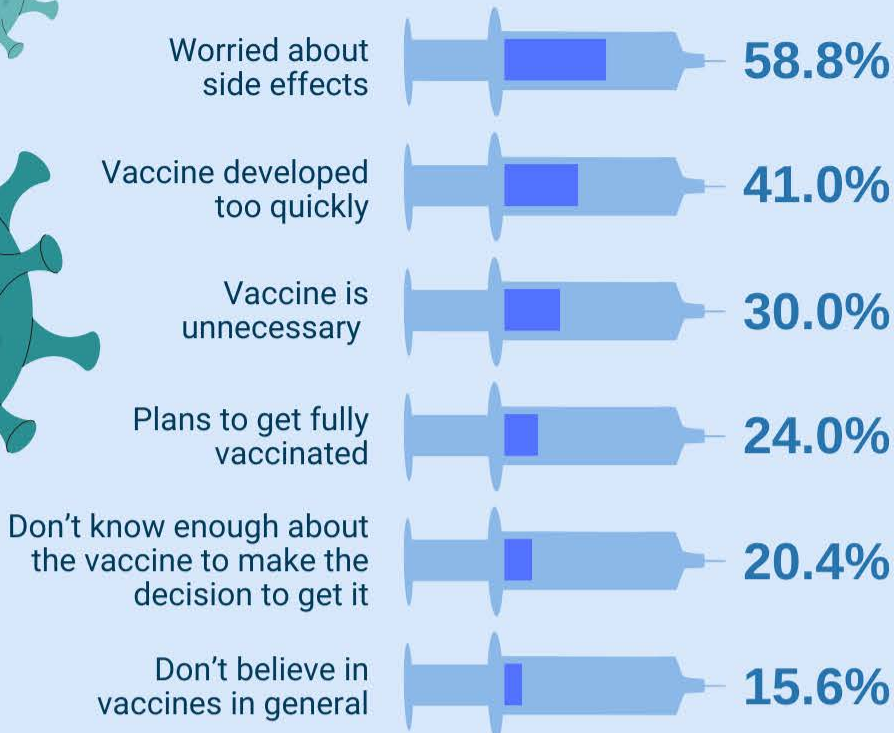


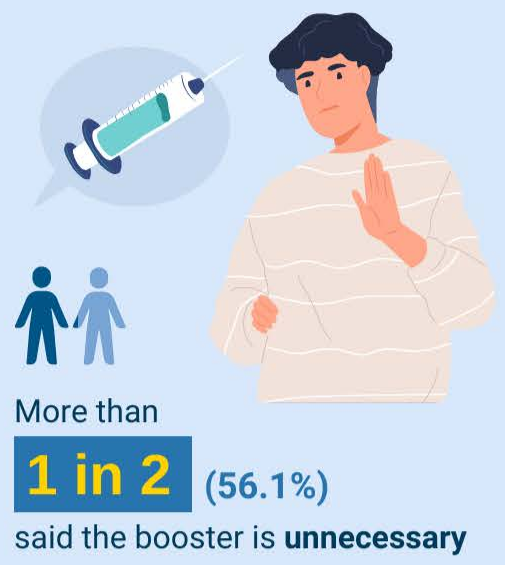
2022 California Health Interview Survey (CHIS) Preliminary COVID-19 Estimates

New data from the February and March 2022 CHIS sheds light on reasons Californians were not vaccinated, experiences with long COVID, risk reduction behaviors, personal and financial impacts of the pandemic, and more.

Reasons California adults were not fully vaccinated



Among California adults who are not fully vaccinated or who are fully vaccinated but unlikely to receive the booster...



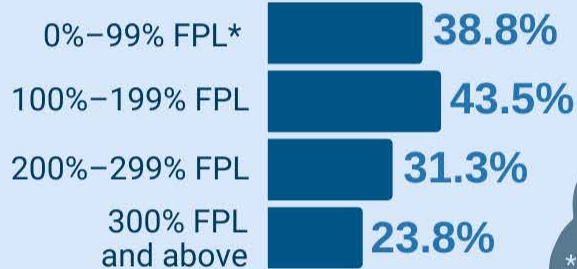
Long COVID

Among California adults who have had COVID-19 or had a positive test result

Nearly **1 in 3** (30.9%) said they experienced COVID symptoms for two months or longer



Lower income adults who had COVID-19 or tested positive were more likely to experience long COVID



*Federal Poverty Level

Adults with a risk factor (asthma, diabetes, or high blood pressure) were more likely to have long COVID than those who do not have risk factors



Adults with risk factors

38.8%

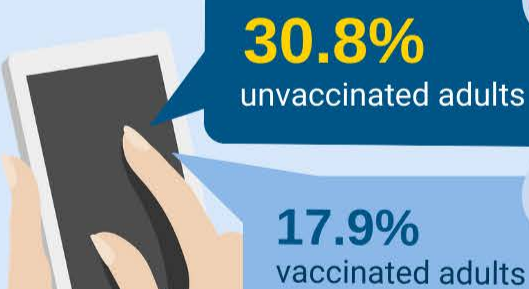
Adults who do not have risk factors

26.4%

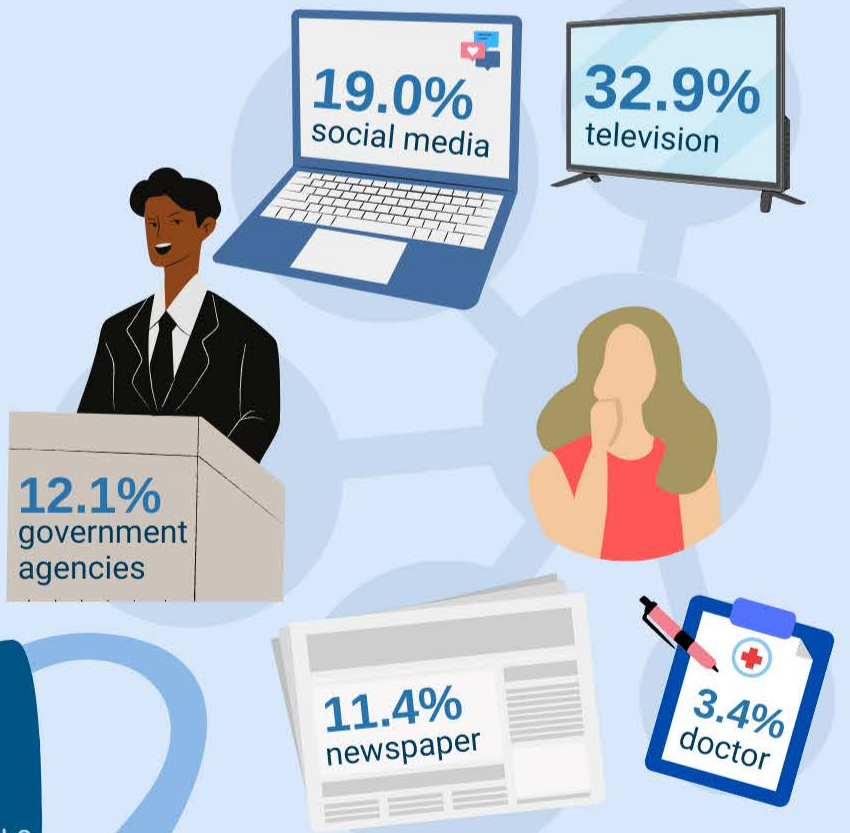
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Where did Californians get their COVID-19 news and information?

Unvaccinated adults were almost **2x as likely** as fully vaccinated adults to report social media as their main source of information about COVID-19



Among all California adults...

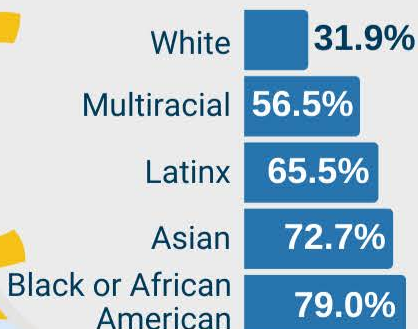


Risk reduction behaviors: masking up
How often did California adults wear a face covering when leaving home in the past week?

Nearly **3 in 4** (72.7%) California adults reported "always" or "usually"

1 in 4 (25%) unvaccinated California adults reported "never"

Who always wore face coverings?



2x less likely than other racial groups

Financial impacts of the pandemic

Among all California adults...

16.5%

reported a reduction in work hours or income

11.9%

experienced financial difficulties with basic necessities, including paying bills, tuition, and groceries