

# WHY GET VACCINATED?



## WHAT DOES THE VACCINE DO?

The COVID-19 vaccine reduces risks of contracting the virus and protects others from contracting the coronavirus through herd immunity. The vaccine also helps to decrease the severity and side effects experienced in individuals who contract the virus.

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- No drive-through testing required during move-in weekend if proof of vaccination is submitted by July 25

## WHAT IF I'M UNABLE TO ACCESS A VACCINE?

No access, no problem – vaccines are available locally in locations surrounding campus. For more information visit [marionlhdwv.org/](http://marionlhdwv.org/).

Students are encouraged to get vaccinated for COVID-19 by July 25. Contact Student Health to submit your record of vaccination.

**Student Health Services: (304) 367-4155**



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\*If you display signs or symptoms of COVID-19, you are not exempt from COVID protocols even if vaccinated.