

# Make an appointment for vaccination against covid-19

In the letter you received in the mailbox, you see a date in the title. That date shows when you can make an appointment for vaccination. You book your vaccination time yourself. While booking, you will also receive information about where the vaccination takes place.

## How to book an appointment for vaccination

There are two ways to book an appointment for a vaccination against covid-19:

### 1. Book an appointment at [1177.se/blekinge/bokavaccin](https://1177.se/blekinge/bokavaccin)

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Select the group you belong to and follow the instructions.

### 2. Call your health centre to make an appointment.

You can find contact details for all health centres at [1177.se/blekinge](https://1177.se/blekinge).

Booking a vaccination does not require logging in with a bank ID.

It may happen, that there are no appointments available when you try to book. In that case, please try again at a later time. We do not offer drop-in appointments. If you run out of appointments when booking online, it will not help to call the health centre as the same calendar is used.

If you have already been vaccinated against covid-19, you can disregard this information letter.

## Important information ahead of your covid-19 vaccination

- Please bring your identity card with you when you are vaccinated.
- The vaccine is given in two doses per person. You will be given a new appointment for dose 2 as you receive dose 1.
- You will be required to complete a health declaration prior to vaccination. You can do this at [1177.se/blekinge](https://1177.se/blekinge) or by talking to your health centre.
- Do not come to the vaccination if you have a cold. If you have cold symptoms, you need to reschedule. This applies even if the symptoms are mild.
- Vaccination is carried out in different ways at different health centres. In some cases, you may have to wait outside the health centre until it is your turn. Please note that there may be a delay after the appointment.
- Please wear clothes that make it easy for the vaccinator to reach your upper arm.

## If you are being treated with blood-thinning medication

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Waran: you can be vaccinated if your treatment is stable and your dose has not needed to be changed in the last two weeks. If your dose has changed in the last two weeks, your last PK (INR) test should have been below 3.0, otherwise you should come back after you have taken a new PK test.

Other blood thinners such as Eliquis, Xarelto, Pradaxa, Lixiana, Innohep or Thromblyl have no bearing on the timing of vaccination.

**Right to compensation for your trip**

You have the right to be compensated for your travel to and from the covid-19 vaccination. This is to ensure that no one has to miss out on the vaccination for financial reasons. The journey to and from the vaccination therefore counts as a medical journey. You can find information about medical journeys at [1177.se/blekinge](https://1177.se/blekinge).

**Vaccination can protect you and others**

Vaccination is the most effective way to avoid getting seriously ill with covid-19. Vaccination can also help to reduce the spread of infection, so that we can eventually return to a more normal life.

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The [1177.se/blekinge](https://1177.se/blekinge) website provides fact-checked information about the covid-19 vaccination.