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Good afternoon.

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My name is Angeline Status Laws and the chief medical director for the departmental health.

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And we have doctor when that was the chief medical officer for station empty.

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And today, um, 1 of the things we want to do is give some information as to what's happening in the ground.

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With Colvin in Missouri and also give you information on the vaccination.

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And my understanding is those individuals for.

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Today, present are attending this.

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You you have you work in the community, or you take health care for individual intellectual disability.

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So just want to frame it.

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As to why it's important that this information reaches the providers of individuals of intellectual disability.

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So 1 of the things I want to want to find out is, you know, we know that was a very.

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Very new infection meaning that nobody's heard of it or.

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Until about December, 2019 and, uh, by January, by December, January, February.

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We had it in the United States and since then we've had.

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Several waves of it and not just United States or world had.

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Has had cobit what we've learned from in the last years from our experience from last year bulletin, the United States.

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And also the rest of the country, the rest of the world, especially United Kingdom.

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Is that individuals who have an intellectual disability have.

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Died and an, at a higher rate, or have had much more serious illness.

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And higher mortality, than than others we know that the mortality from covert is higher than any other infections we've had in a while.

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But the mortality specifically.

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For those who have intellectual disability.

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Has been much higher and this is kind of that as a paper published from United Kingdom.

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They really found this to be much higher so it is very, very important.

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That we reach.

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It caregivers of individuals with intellectual disability, and we provide the information related to the infection.

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And also the vaccination, so what's happening in in Missouri Missouri was ground 0.

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For Delta, so, Delta before he came to Missouri, it had been, and it actually started in India.

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India had a huge way with a significant mortality than they had seen with the other previous waves and this was in April and may and by mid June,

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April May June was the 3 months that had the highest mortality from Delta in India.

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And then we started and, um, Missouri, um, in Southwest, Missouri, especially sprinkle in Joplin.

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Where kit fairly early on I think the 1st, week of July since the 1st, week of July we've seen the rate of go up and up and up.

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Initially with Southwest, and now it's moved to Southeast. We set the States and region.

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It's pretty much all over the state and how do we know this is the delta and not.

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Not the previous original covert or the alpha.

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Or gum, or any of those other areas, the reason is because we do do switch waste for the testing.

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In Missouri and, uh, user Missouri does a great job of actually collecting the sewage and from there because the virus is executed through the feces.

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It is collected and they can do a sampling of it into the sequence. Them.

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And they tell us what we have also, we had a sequencing for those of tested positive with covered through a state lab and our.

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County Labs and through that as well. We know. So our, at the present time or the 95%.

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Off the, uh, circulating cobin virus.

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And Missouri is, uh, is Delta.

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So, what do you need to know about Delta if you compare the virus that we had in in January, February March of.

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I'm sorry not we actually started in March yes, March, April May of 2020 March April May when Missouri at 1st wave.

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We, most of those were the original virus we had a spike of the alpha somewhere around a.

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January or February of 24,021, and now we are having a much bigger spike currently and this is from Delta so many compared to the 1st wave and the 2nd way.

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What we know, but the Delta, it is much more, um.

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Meaning that if you look at the original virus, that was only giving up to have 1 person who tested positive for comb, it gave it to another 2 or 3 individuals.

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It transmitted to 2 or 3 individuals with Delta. Every person was, in fact, with Delta is able to transmit to 7 to 8 individuals. So that means.

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You know, you're giving the infection, you're capable of giving the infection to more individuals and that means it spreads very, very quickly. So, then every other person is, in fact, it is now giving to each other individuals.

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So, it spreads very quickly and we've seen that with our.

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Wave and in, in in Missouri as well.

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The moment you start, it hits Springfield area within a week or 2 the number of individuals. In fact, it was called the drawers very, very, very shortly.

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And also, individuals who are hospitalized rules that are shopping as well.

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So that is the reason for that, what's the other 1, is that, um, the viral load, or the amount of virus it multiplies fairly quickly, the Delta, and the amount of virus that is present. Um.

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In let's say in a breadth, or when someone speaks in the saliva that gets out of one's nose and mouth into the air around them is much more saturated with the virus.

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Than compared to the previous variable, what does that mean? That means just a person they're unmasked. They don't wear a mask and they don't cover their nose and mouth fully and they speak and.

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They, and if they they have the virus and they don't know, they have the virus.

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They are sending that virus at a much more high density into the air around them, and people who get into that airspace or that is personal space.

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Are going to get higher going to be infected at the higher rate of.

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Getting infected, um, so that is very, very important. That's why this is much more and much more.

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In fact, the other thing we are seeing is that.

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Typically, before reduced the after person got exposed, and then by the time they develop symptoms, it took them about 5 to 7 days.

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Before now we are seeing that the delta people are getting sick quicker. So, but then day, 32 day, 3 people have started seeing symptoms and we already know that.

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Before a person with covid show symptoms as a day, or 2, when they can actually be, in fact, and meaning.

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They do not know they have the virus, but they could be transmitting to other individuals. So it starts fairly rapidly in the day. 3.

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Update exposure into adjust can.

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Covert or be, in fact, if the day 2 they can be in factor by day 3, they could be testing positive or show symptoms of it.

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The other thing is saying is also rapid decline.

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So, before it is, we should, the 2nd week is when people tend to get sick after having Colvin, now, we are seeing them get sick.

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Especially the individually, so, covert positive are getting seriously ill.

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By the end of last week by the 789, we're seeing a big difference when they're getting sick, a quicker needing oxygen, quicker and having to be hospitalized quicker. So, that is 1 thing. We're seeing with the delta.

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The other thing that we see in, especially departmental health, because we have been testing a staff.

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For we test them on a regular basis, at least once or twice a week. Um, and it's been an ongoing process. So, based on that, what we are.

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Seeing is that a good number of those who are testing positive are symptomatic before we used to have a lot of indigenous or asymptomatic? But with Delta is seeing individuals are much more symptomatic. Especially there's more like allergies.

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It's more of the headache. The nasal congestion.

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A runny nose and then, of course, they have fever after a day.

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So, those symptoms are also different. The other thing, this is the most troublesome of all is that we are seeing individuals who are getting, in fact, with Delta to be much younger. You remember the 1st.

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Vague individuals where all nursing home patients of people who are about 65 or 78 year old individuals are the ones who are getting really sick with it.

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Now, we are, it is not unusual to find individuals who are in their thirties, forties or fifties, being hospitalized with call that, and being on a ventilator or needing medical attention. So.

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This virus, it's mutant because it's mutated and made itself the, the viruses mutated meaning made changes to its spike protein.

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And what does endless attaching proteins and that means what it means is, it's just able to infect individual faster and get through the population quicker.

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And so that is what we are, that is what our fight against is now, how does vaccinate? What role does vaccination play in all this?

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What we are seeing is, um, people who are in the hospital really sick with Co, with the 98% or higher or vaccinated.

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So, those who are getting really sick with Colvin.

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Or racks are vaccinated does that mean that vaccinated individuals and you're never going to find individual and vaccinate individual the hospital? That's not true.

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You can find somebody, but the rate is much smaller and usually the vaccinated individuals who need level of care that of a hospital. Typically, they have multiple multiple medical conditions and Co, morbid other conditions that, you know.

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That even the vaccination, they're not equal that as much protected.

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But overwhelmingly more the 98% of individuals. So currently in the.

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Hospital in Missouri, Delta on the, or I actually have a data.

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Or, or I'm vaccinated, so with that, I would just distressing the importance of vaccination. And so I will then now handed over to doctor will have to talk more about the vaccination.

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Thank you Dr. status last. So, my name is Devon. I'm an emergency physician, and I practice out of the New York City area. Um, I've, uh.

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Uh, I work in emergency departments and I've actually, uh.

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Ran a large trauma, tertiary care center during the 1st, wave of the pandemic in March of 2020. uh, and saw a lot of what, um, Dr, Dennis clauses saying, and describing a occur in the New York City area.

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We were ground 0, um, the hottest zone in the country during that time. Uh, since then, I think it's gotten much better, but we're starting to also see a spike on on the East coast as well.

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So, I can certainly sympathize and understand the, um, the nature and which things are occurring in Missouri also.

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Um, over the past 5 to 6 years, I've been taking care of people with disabilities and my group of physicians.

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Oversee a group of physicians that sees patients throughout the state of Missouri, via telemedicine, not just for covert for any, Ah, any illness and we have also seen a spike in a covert like symptoms and cobit positives.

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Um, in in the Missouri area. Just like doctor status.

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Was saying,

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so it is pretty scary and it is disappointing to see that,

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the cobia illness is coming back,

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I want to talk about the positive that's there,

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and we know vaccinations work.

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So I think that's the biggest thing here.

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We know the vaccinations help prevent people from getting severely ill, which means you don't have to go to the hospital and potentially not die as a result of the vaccine as a result of the infection.

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Because of the vaccination, so, um, I myself got vaccinated and immunized to covert in the beginning of this year in January when it was 1st available to us.

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And before I did, so along with, um, uh, before I did, so I wanted to find out information about the vaccine to help educate myself. So, I knew that it was a safe drug to take.

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And, uh, also, I was getting questions for my patients from my colleagues, and also from my family and friends.

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So I put this presentation together to share with you, the information that I looked into personally, and I looked at primary sources, the scientists that developed the vaccine.

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Um, the to help make my decision so I wanted to share this information with, you.

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2nd, okay so before we even get started about talking about the covid vaccine, I want to just spend a 2nd talking about vaccines in general. So, in general of vaccines doesn't matter what type of vaccine it is.

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Vaccines are not a treatment for the illness vaccines.

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Are medication that's given before you get the illness to prevent you from getting the illness vaccines,

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protect your body from the disease,

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and actually vaccines,

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Prime your body to make your body aware that there could be a potential exposure to something like a virus or bacteria and help.

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Strengthen your body to fight that infection in the event that you're exposed to that particular infection.

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And throughout history,

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over the past century,

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we've been giving vaccinations for different illnesses and quite frankly have successfully eradicated some,

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very lethal and problematic illnesses like polio,

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like smallpox.

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Our children. My children don't even know what smallpox and polio, um, is mainly only because there was a vaccine available, and there was mass vaccination and we've essentially eradicated that problem.

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So, historically, there are different types of science used to create and generate this vaccine. They're alive deactivated.

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You see them listed on the, on the presentation, um, and many times there, combinations of the like, but with the Kofi virus, there was initially, um.

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The 1st vaccines, the 1st, 2 vaccines that were available to, uh, to the community in, and the United States were vaccines called vaccines. So both the Pfizer, and during a vaccine are use technology.

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So, this technology has been around for for many years, and it's actually using other drugs as well to generate other medications and Therapeutics, but really hadn't ever been used to develop a vaccine before. Uh, but the science actually works and makes sense to develop a vaccine.

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So, basically, the way that it works, um, is basically the, the molecule is injected into into the body.

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That molecule last for about a day or so and then a body degrades it.

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But before the body degrades it, it creates a harmless protein called the spike protein, which is the same protein that's on the covert virus on the corona virus itself.

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The protein itself doesn't do anything but the protein actually primes your body. It tells your body that look if you're exposed to this particular protein, which is also found on the corona virus.

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You should be able to fight it and your body built in, uh, antibodies to that particular protein and now is ready to fight off a real infection.

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So, in the event that you are exposed to the spike protein on an actual corona virus, your body now, has the strength to fight it off.

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The key safety points about the vaccines is number 1, it does not expose you to the virus. Remember we said, it's the molecule that exposes you to and it's less than a day that that molecule stays in your system, but it does not expose you to the virus.

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And as such, it does not, uh, actually cause you to get.

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The current virus covert infection so you will not test positive for the virus as a result of the vaccine alone.

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And the most important thing here is sometimes people get confused with the letters and, and are 2 completely different things.

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Nowhere in the development of the vaccine, any type of vaccine is the DNA molecule of your body affected yourselves. The DNA of yourselves is not affected by this vaccine.

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It literally many people get confused because sounds like DNA. It's not. So, it does not affect or interfere with your own DNA.

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The 2nd, type of vaccine that's available on the market for is the viral vector vaccine. That's the J and J vaccine the Johnson and Johnson vaccine.

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And the way that that works is that, um, the vaccine is actually a harmless, um, virus that's injected into your body that virus tells your body to make antibodies against the covert spike protein.

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And now again, your body is now primed to fight off that infection. If your body was exposed to the corona virus in the future. J. J. vaccine is a 1 dose vaccine.

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Um, and again, that harmless virus that's injected into your body gets, uh, uh, out of your system within a day or 2.

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So that's the 2nd, um, type of vaccine that's available.

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And again, the same 3 key safety points exist with the Johnson and Johnson vaccine, the viral vector vaccine.

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It doesn't expose you to the virus. You will not test positive just because of getting the vaccine and it does not interfere with your DNA.

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The approval process for the vaccines, and any drug that's available on the market is the same. So essentially there are 4 phases of approval.

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And in the 1st phase, they they test them healthy volunteers, um, small group, just to see if there's any immediate and serious side effects

phase 2 is when they take more people.

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Um, and they test hundreds of people and to see if, um, that causes any type of side effects or negative effects. And also to see if the actual virus a vaccine works.

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And once it passes phase 2,

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it goes to phase 3,

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because we know it works and we know by now that it doesn't cause serious side effects in phase 3,

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they test a large group of patients over thousands of patients in different subsets of people with autoimmune diseases people with hypertension people with strokes,

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and they get males,

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females,

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different types of different ages and and they check to see if there's any variability and the different types of populations.

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All 3 vaccines that are approved and are given, um, uh, in the United States have gone through all 3 phases.

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the the community at large,

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the public to actually get this particular,

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the vaccine and then phase 4 is an ongoing monitoring of everybody that gets vaccinated to ensure that.

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There's nothing that we're missing in the larger population that goes on for years they actually goes on for decades con, continuous monitoring monitoring monitoring.

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We can't wait for phase 4 to be finished because that could be 30 years and we can't live and have so many people die from the virus for 30 years. So that's it's not just not practical. And actually, most drugs don't actually get on to the market like that.

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So, the 1st question that I asked myself and many people have asked me is, how did the vaccine get approved so quickly?

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We know that a research has been is happening on many different, um, illnesses, and there are many different drugs that are being developed. Um, but and it takes years and years, even decades for these drugs that come out into the market.

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So, how did this vaccine get approved so quickly?

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Well, there's 3 main reasons in which why this vaccine was approved, so quickly number 1, we knew the technology existed so it's been used in other drugs before.

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So we knew that the science existed, it was just a matter of taking that science and applying to this particular illness number 2. I'm sure you've heard of a project warp speed.

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So that basically was to get all different types of funding government,

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a lot of people put a lot of money into this project,

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at the same time from all over the world,

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that never happens.

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Right? So, you never get all this money up front. Usually when you're developing a drug, it's a little bit a little bit a little that takes so long to fundraise, to be able to actually develop a drug in this particular case. Because obviously chronic virus has affected.

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So many people throughout the world, there was funding available upfront to develop the vaccine. So that helped. And lastly, there was an abundance of volunteers because corona virus has effected. All of us.

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There were so many people available that weren't volunteering. That wanted to actually participate in the studies and the trials that getting volunteers wasn't an issue.

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So all 3 of these things, the technology being existing, the funding being available, and the fact that we had volunteers to test this vaccine on.

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We were able to the scientific community was able to develop the vaccine and have it available to the, to the, to the public at large in over in just less than a year about a year or so. And that's.

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Quite remarkable that that's that's never really happened, um, in the history of medicine.

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So, the safety, these vaccines, all 3 of them are extremely, extremely safe. There.

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There are some minor side effects that are to be expected because these expected effects are what is actually allowing your body to mount immune response some local redness and pain some cold like symptoms.

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Maybe some fatigue for a day or 2, minor local allergic reactions, these things occur within the day. They last for about a day and then they're gone.

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I felt some of these symptoms for a few hours about at the 20 hour mark, and by the next day morning, I was perfectly fine with both of my doses.

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Secondly, there are some serious side effects, but these serious side effects are extremely, extremely, extremely rare and I'll talk about them in detail, but they're listed there for you to look at and we're gonna go through each 1 of them next.

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So before we go through the serious side effects, you have to realize how many doses of these vaccines were delivered from December to August, over 340Million doses of the coven vaccine were administered to people in the United States.

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So that's a lot a lot of those 346Million doses. I don't think ever there was a drug that was given at this scale in the past and of those. Now, you have these 4 major side effects.

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So, the 1st, 1 is anaphylaxis, which is a severe life threatening, allergic reaction to the vaccine. And that occurs in about 2 to 5 people per 1Million people that are vaccinated. So extremely, extremely rare.

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The 2nd is a specific effect that occurs after the J and J vaccine, which is also rare. It's called syndrome. danberry syndrome is a neurologic disorder that occurs after not just a covert vaccine, but many other vaccines.

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And this is this is a known phenomenon.

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And in most times, it's a transit thing, so, last for a week or 2, and then it gets better, sometimes it does last longer and it can have some longer term side effects so longer term effects.

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But just to give you the numbers, a 143 cases were reported of syndrome and over 13Million doses were given of the JJ vaccine. So very, very fuse quite rare.

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Same thing with this thrombosis with thrombocytopenia syndrome, which is the clotting, the blood clotting that we've heard so much about with the Jane J vaccine 39 confirmed cases after 13Million doses. So, again, very, very small.

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Lastly, we're hearing cases about and pericarditis, which is inflammation around the lining of the heart and the actual heart muscle. Very rare, but documented but 716 cases of these, these are very transient.

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Don't last don't last long and most people do recover from this, but again, 716 out of 346,000,000.

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a very rare,

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the biggest precaution to know about when you're getting the vaccine is if you are allergic to some of the components,

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any of the components of the vaccine,

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a contraindicated for you to get it.

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That's the 1 known Contra indication.

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And also, if you're allergic to the 1st dose, you should probably hold off, he had severe allergic reaction to 1st dose. You probably should hold off on the 2nd dose. And lastly anybody who's had a severe allergic reaction.

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Anaphylactic reaction to anything will be observed longer after getting the vaccine just to make sure they don't develop a severe reaction to the, to the actual vaccine.

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Uh, again, uh, like I said, phase 4 is ongoing and it's gonna be ongoing for for decades. And basically, um.

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Would you when you when you get your vaccine, you have the opportunity to sign up for the various program, which is an app on your phone, you get text messages, uh, to ask you how you're feeling if you're experiencing inside effects, I would encourage you to sign up for it, this way, you can report if anything is happening.

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Um, and then we can actually keep keep track of some of the effects that are happening to individuals getting vaccinated.

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So, why get the vaccine? So, the, there is a little bit of misconception on why get the vaccine many people are saying, well, you know, there's.

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Their breakthrough infections, you know, why should I get the vaccination if I can potentially get affected by the virus? Um, after getting it, which is true you can get infected, um, after getting the vaccine.

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But what the vaccine does is, it prevents you from getting severe infections where you may need to be connected to life, support breathing machines and medications to help with your blood pressure and heart rate. Because you're so so sick.

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And also prevents you from dying from the infection.

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It is the vaccine is extra, extraordinarily effective in preventing that.

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You may still get corona virus, but you may not and you will most likely not end up in the hospital severely sick on, on life support.

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So that's something to just really understand and focus on.

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So, I wanted to cover a few misconceptions in the last 2 or 3 minutes of my presentation then I'll be done talking and will answer all of your questions. So, the 1st, misconception is can receiving the covert 19 vaccine, cause you to become magnetic.

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And my response to that is no, so, if you were expecting to become a superhero, um, after the vaccine, it's not going to happen and I'm sorry to disappoint you about that. You will not become magnetic. There's no medals in these vaccines.

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And there it does not cause an electromagnetic field.

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Do any of the cobra 19 vaccines authorize for use in the United States shed, or release any of their components? No, there is no shedding because we're not giving you the virus itself.

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The, the, the term viral shedding is used to describe when viruses are spread the vaccines do not give you the virus. So there is no shedding as a result of the vaccine.

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Is it safe for me to get the covert vaccine? If I'd like to have a baby 1 day from all the information we have? Yes, it is safe. If you'd like to become pregnant it does not affect male or female fertility.

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Will covert 19 vaccine alter my DNA. I think we've spoken about this already. It will not affect your DNA.

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Well, getting the coven 19 vaccine caused me to test positive for Kovac 19 on a viral test. No, because we're not you're not getting the Calvin 19 virus. You're not getting the virus with the vaccine. You're getting the vaccine itself.

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So, if you do test positive after, you know, maybe a week or 2, after getting the vaccine, it's because you were exposed to and you actually have an infection.

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So, in summary after reviewing all of the information here, this is what I use to make my decision to get the coven vaccine. I feel like the covert vaccine is 1 of the safest drugs available.

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There were no corners cut in developing the vaccine. It's important to get the vaccine, so you don't get seriously ill hospitalized or die.

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And even after getting the vaccine, the mitigation techniques of social distancing, washing your hands and wearing a mask are just as important until we can get this.

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4th wave under control and then the authorities will allow us to start to reduce these measures, but even after getting the vaccine, you still got to wear the mask.

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So you don't spread the disease and you don't give the virus the opportunity to replicate. There's this thing in virology where they say replication equals mutation and that's the scariest part.

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The more people that get infected the more the virus replicates the more replicates the more. It can cause a mutation and the more mutations occurred. The higher likelihood of eventually. Hopefully never.

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But maybe forming a variant that is not effected by the vaccine and now we start all over again.

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So, it's very important to get the vaccine to continue the mitigation steps. Let's get this under control and yes, I did get my vaccine. Like, I've mentioned a few times, but that's, uh, that's my presentation.

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And, um, I think now we can start to answer some questions and I could, if you can help us with that, That'll be great. Absolutely.

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Sure, so 1st question 8 months ago today I tested positive for coven 19. I still do not have my tastes and smells. Do you all have any data or recommendations on what to do?

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And I have been fully vaccinated. Uh, yeah, I can take that.

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So, um, W, what to do is to give it some time, because eventually the tastes and smells does comeback in majority of patients overwhelming majority of the patients. It does come back.

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There are some reports that some people don't get 1 of the 2 senses back either taste or smell, but overwhelming majority of the time you will get your senses back. So just give it some time.

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Uh, there is no medicine to take to try to get those senses back faster. It's just a matter of your neurons regenerating and being able to get those census back.

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And 1 reason with the long covert that.

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You know, even though individuals that mild symptoms, or they think God is not a big deal.

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The reality of long call this is real. I mean, people do get long cobit and loss of smell and taste is very common to the long covert and the stuff that had pointed out.

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Only time can heal. There's nothing else we can do about it.

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Yeah, and just to piggyback on that.

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angelina, like he said, so the, um, uh, the loss of tastes and smells inconvenient, but it's not necessarily the thing that's gonna cause a disability or or you're not going to be able to do certain things.

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There are other symptoms, though, with a cobit infection.

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Maybe you had a minor infection and I got the runny nose whatnot, but there are these reports of long haul syndrome that Angela was talking about where you get chronic, shortness of breath, forgetfulness, chronic dizziness.

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Um, a lot of these things difficulty concentrating, these things can affect your long term functional capability and that's why it's so important to get this pandemic under control.

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So, even if you get minor symptoms, you can have these long term effects, which can be detrimental.

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Can you take the slides down? So I can see some faces assigned as possible. That'd be great.

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Absolutely, let me stop sharing.

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Well, I say that I can, but it's being a little cranky with me so it's taking me a 2nd okay. Problem.

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So, while he is doing that, maybe I can read the next question that's in the chat. It says my love the 1 is experiencing is continuing to experience pain in his arm more than 48 hours after getting the shot.

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What he need to seek medical attention, or does the pain last a bit longer in certain people and he just needs to wait it out.

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So so I would say, I mean, I guess it depends on the reaction that is experiencing if it's just simply pain at the site of the infection some people do have a pain. That lasts a little longer than 48 hours.

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If it's severe swelling or any type of severe redness, maybe you should go speak to a doctor to see if the site is infected or if there's something else happening.

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But if it's simply just pain at the site, give it some time, that's actually your body mounting a response. Like I mentioned, before it's an expected risk. There are some side effects they call it, but that are expected effects.

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We want we want you to have some effect otherwise we don't know if this is working or not. So that's just your body. I mean, his body reacting to the vaccine, and actually mounting an immune response.

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So I can help with just asking.

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We've had individuals who had 2 or 3 days of pain, and the local reaction and local tenderness and that area. It's not terribly painful, but definitely more so in the area.

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So just give a data to take a Tylenol.

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Just rest off a little bit and should generally be. Okay but as as Devon pointed out, if any of those.

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Get redness, or it seems like something else is going on. Then just connect console with the doctor.

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Okay, so we have 1 other question well, scenario and a couple questions in there I'm experiencing the inflammation around the heart previously stated that I didn't have any have prior.

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And my heartbeat in a rapid pace, even when I'm resting how long should I wait before seeking medical attention? And how long has it taken on the average for this to subside and patients.

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I would say, um, if you are experiencing symptoms, like rapid heartbeat um, and you haven't had that before this is new. Don't don't wait. You should go speak to a physician, uh, call your primary doctor.

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And get it checked out, you may have a sensation of your heart racing fast, and after they measure it, and they do some other tests, it may not necessarily be that. It may just be the sensation.

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Not necessarily your heart racing, but that's the best case scenario.

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It can potentially be that pericarditis that we were discussing and the only way to make that diagnosis is to actually see a physician who can do some tests,

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including maybe an ultrasound of the heart to see if that inflammation actually does exist along with some other blood tests,

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so if you're feeling that.

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Call your doctor don't wait.

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Okay, and that is all of the questions that we have today.

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Okay, so I guess there's 1 that just came in says, how can I convince or encourage people to get vaccinated when they are not getting vaccinated for political reasons.

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Just tell them that the virus doesn't know that they are blue or red.

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It's very fair. It's, it treats everyone equal.

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It does it discriminate is not picky.

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About a political views, it just needs a warm body to some magical and survive.

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And he's smart about it, it will take the 1st body that is available. Once it's floating around in the air around you and use.

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You don't mask any 2nd and 3, and also your mouth it's going to go in and.

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Is going to find a way to multiply and keep giving it to other people. So the vaccine, the virus does not discriminate whether you are.

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Blue or red, or what your political views are, it just wants a 1 body and.

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And so the answer is.

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That's from the virus perspective in a V discriminate. We believe people have different values so.

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The, the answer is, you know, people have to understand the science. This is not the propaganda.

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By any party, this is it's across the world. If it is just an American propaganda, it will only be in an America.

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This is across the world and I don't think there's any country no matter what they believe in.

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Have been sped beliefs then what was driving this then we received countries that.

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Uh, promoting a particular agenda, but we see it across the world.

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So, you know, people just had open the I see for what it is and understand the science behind it. Of course, they have the right to do what's right for their body. Everybody has the right to do that. But unfortunately.

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When our rights interfere with other people's wellness, and we really have to look at a bigger picture.

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And I have the right to make a conscious decision to my body, but if it's going to impact other people, then I have to.

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Take a step back and look at it much more carefully. Who else is affected by the.

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Decision I make and and I think that is someone each and everyone has to think from that perspective 1 thing we know the only way the virus is going to die off is when he does not have anymore.

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1 bodies to go in and multiply, meaning that it can go to a body and multiply quickly and rapidly. And then.

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Too are from somebody's a saliva and.

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And air passage into the air, and then get into somebody else's body, it keeps going if you want to stop it. 1 way is everybody mask.

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And associate distance, so the virus gives us 6 weeks, the 6 foot distance so that it cannot jump that far and the mask. So that it does not you don't check in.

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And also the vaccine, so that in case, the virus doesn't get into a body. You have a fire extinguisher.

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To just does it out, multiply it a little better, make as positive, but 2000 out.

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And not let you let it harm your body. These are the only 3 ways we are going to get it on this virus.

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So just want to throw it out there. Yeah. And so there's misinformation and then there's political.

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So your question was specifically about how do I battle the political aspect of this and I've had that question asked of me as well before.

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And this is how I kind of respond to it is like, the political leaders from both parties. If you look at just take Donald Trump and Joe Biden, 2 different parties, right? Leaders.

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Guess what they have in common. They both have the, they both took the vaccine, so.

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Yeah, there may be some political, but when it goes when it, when you talk about their own health, when the individual politician is making a decision about their own health, red or blue.

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They're both doing the same thing. They're getting the vaccine so that's what you should focus on. So, if the leader of the political party that you follow.

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Is saying that for their own health their and their families health they're getting vaccinated. It's probably the right thing to do. I mean, I, that's 1 of the reasons.

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Why, it's the right thing to do, and then there's misinformation, which is the other thing on on Facebook and social media. That is a very difficult thing to combat. This is why we have these types of conversations.

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The only way to combat that is if you have real information.

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Then you have to take the right information and talk about the right information with your friends, your colleagues, your family and and just present the information.

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I'm not here to push or to convince you. I want to give you the information. So you the right information. So then you can make the right decision about your own health.

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And even if it's more than politics, also belief system, so we have, um.

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We're also seeing members from very liberal um.

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Police system as well if you think the vaccine.

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People who believe they're very healthy. They lead very healthy lifestyles. They eat healthy. They drink them water. They exercise they run the marathon.

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And they believe that they, that's all they needed to do to fight this virus. Now.

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The virus is much smarter than what our bodies can do is is quite small.

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So much more, and they're shocked when they get.

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Sick and they end up in the hospital they're shop saying, you know, I, I lived a really healthy lifestyle.

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Um, you know, I did not have any problems, unfortunately.

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You know, we do not know who is going to get it who's going to get sick with it or who's not going to sick we're not gonna get sick with it unless it enters one's body.

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And by that time is a little too late. There's nothing we can do.

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So, anything and everything we do, we need to do before the virus in the cell body.

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And multiplies and, um, and we, and then kind of waited out to see how what is going to react.

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So, it's both sides of the political spectrum, both sides of the belief system. Um, you know, there's and there's a lot of belief among people that their body strong enough that they don't need it.

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And that's not a political base.

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God, that's a belief in one's own help. Somehow. I is stronger because of all the positive decisions they made a choice that they made for their life.

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You know, so it's, it's important to understand that.

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That this is not the time to put your body to the test.

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It's a time to fight the virus.

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And not for the money to the test. Absolutely.

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Uh, I, I agree, uh, why take the risk it's just unnecessary risk of maybe you'll just have a cold and never have a long term symptom.

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Or maybe you'll die what the stakes are just too high, too.

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And I really want to point out 1 of the audience members, talked about the loss of sense of smell and taste. It's horrible. Anything about it. And you cannot smell your chocolate chick.

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Cookie chip cookie for Christmas, or apple pie during fall festival, or a pumpkin pie and I'll just smell all those amazing food that you're going to have for Thanksgiving.

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That is a loss if you smell goes, your days goes, your case goes, is your case is very much related to smell and smell and taste such a good is important for all quality of life.

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To enjoy it to enjoy life and food.

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And memories are connected through smell wonderful memory. So, even though people think it is no big deal, but the issue I'm seeing is that.

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Those who have lost sense of smell and taste.

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They did not have it like a big they were not shot at brand. They were not in the hospital.

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They had it mild for a few days and yet this, this last for a long period of time, 8 months I know independence of tiredness. They've been.

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Still battling tire, they can get up go to work.

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And just do the basics, but to do anything more, they don't have the energy. I know individuals is a play sports.

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And be really, really good at it and they are struggling to get back even 50% of where they were.

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People who are not able to get their breathing stamina to run where they were. It sets you back so much.

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That you don't know when it's going to get back to the original level of functioning is it really worth it?

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When you how waste to contain it, and that's the question we have to ask ourselves.

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Exactly, exactly.

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So, 1, other item came in actually to part, I says, can you address children in the vaccine and do you think children under 12 will be able to get vaccinated soon?

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That's a really, really good question. I'm hoping. So I have 2 girls once 12 and 1 to 11, uh, just turned 11. so my 12 year old has her vaccine. My 11 year old is dying to get her. She's waiting and waiting. She wants to get the vaccine I want to give it to her.

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I do believe that in the next few months. Probably, by the end of the year, the age limit is probably going to go a little lower. I'm not saying newborns, but maybe 8 year olds.

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I think it may go down to the 8 year old age range and then.

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Personally, I will get my 11 year old vaccinated.

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And and I'll be much happier, because now my entire family will be protected. Right now. We, we limited the things that we do because I know that 1 person in the house is not is not fully vaccinated.

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So, uh, yeah, that's my my feeling we don't have any raw. I don't know of any raw information out there that specifically supports that but I know that they're constantly testing different age groups and they're getting a little closer to that 88 year old age range.

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The other thing when children, especially Delta, we are seeing, um.

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Younger children getting testing positive for not only testing positive. A call within. Some of them are symptomatic, much higher.

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Then what we noted for the alpha or the original.

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Variant the original strain on the alpha Varian.

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So, uh, Delta is making kids sick.

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So this is important again, if you have children in the household that are not vaccinated.

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It's important that you teach them appropriate masking.

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Social distancing, and, um, and also we practice that very clearly and we, if I have a child in the house cannot be vaccinated, because it's not available to them at that age range.

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I have to be more careful as an adult of what I do with my free time. You know can I bring that virus inside my house?

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And then give it to my child. So it's very, very important that, I think, through all the actors before saying yes. To any birthday party or a big social event.

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Figuring out how many people are going to be there? Is it going to be outside or inside?

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Is there enough room if it's going to be inside or it's going to be covered area.

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And there could be enough people that I can spread out a little bit, or, you know, just think about it before.

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Saying, yes, to all these social events, because if you bring it in, as we know, even as vaccinated individuals.

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Adults, we can get the infection and they can transmit to other individuals, even though we're not get too sick and they're protected they can still accept it and give it.

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And so it's very, very important that you think through that when you have a child, who is not vaccinated.

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Our actions and the decisions we make in our.

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The activities Yeah and and, you know, there's this whole talk about mask mandates and I know we're kind of going off topic, but basically with with children, the only protection they have is the mask.

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So, for me, whether it's mandated by the state, or whether I'm going to make my own decision about my children, it just makes sense to me that.

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And if the only way to protect my child is to give them a mask to wear and that allows them to go to school to participate in activities versus doing everything virtual. Like, it was last year.

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In my opinion, it's a no brainer to me, you know, whether it's mandated or whether I have to make my own decision, whatever the state is saying, I will mass my child. And I hope that all of the other.

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Children are also masked, so as a, as a community as a as a local group, everybody's protecting themselves.

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So, and, like angeline said, even after the vaccine, we all have to do that because there are members of our community that just can't get vaccinated. Even if they want to, because it's not approved to get vaccinated and the younger population.

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Other questions.

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The only other piece that came in with specific for a child and 2 I've seen a lot more kids, toddlers, getting habit and their symptoms are all over the place. I have a child under to what symptoms should I be looking for? She work to get it.

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Oh, boy, so I, you know, the other day, 2 days ago, I was in, uh, the the emergency department, and, you know, I see kids, adults, I see everybody from birth to, to to death. Unfortunately. Um, and.

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I, I had somebody who was 16 months, and all she had literally was a runny nose.

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And that's it. And mom brought her in because she was worried about it. Rightfully. So and did the child tested positive for code before.

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Someone who came in with a runny nose I'd say, given tissue and gall, There'll be no testing done on that individual because the symptoms are so minor sometimes.

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Um, especially in children, because their immune responses and so well, developed yet. Um.

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Any type of upper respiratory failure, runny nose a cough fever for sure. Um, even a rash should be brought to the attention of your physician. I'm not saying, run to the emergency room. That's not what I'm saying.

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But I'm saying, certainly talk to your doctor about it because it can be a sign of coven. And the only way they know is to really get tested.

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And also, remember some adults brought it in.

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Sibling or somebody brought it in and that is important. This is why we all have looking at behaviors that we have.

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People in the household who cannot get vaccinated.

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Our behavior is natural a lot and being responsible and we have a duty to protect those.

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But can I be vaccinated and, and I think that's exactly what I was saying. You know.

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Be be cautious, be fine with who comes to the house better mask. If somebody comes to the house, ask them to wear a mask, you wear a mask.

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And, and be be conscious of all the decisions we make an interaction with other people, because we know that somebody in the house.

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Who is vulnerable yeah. And I think that's why we're mainly having this because everybody that's an audience here interacts with.

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People that are vulnerable individuals with disabilities so they are vulnerable to life threatening issues that occur when they get cobit.

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So, as people that take care of people, individuals with disabilities that sometimes don't have as much control over what they can do versus, um, the general population, it's in their best interest.

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And it's our obligation to make sure that they're protected. And that means we should all get the vaccine.

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I believe that is the last question that we have, so that's that's kind of nice timing today.

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Thank you, thank you very much. I appreciate everything you do for the vulnerable population of intellectual disability.

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And I'm really grateful for the work you do, especially during this kind of make and.

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And in doing this very, very tough time.

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You know, take care of yourselves and, um, also keep our vulnerable population, intellectual disability, individual safe as well. And vaccine nation is definitely a good tool to do that.

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All right, well, thank you everybody and have a great evening, and then we can.

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Thank you. Bye. Bye. Bye. Bye. Bye.