# HELPUSALLBE VACCINATION READY



### **PROTECT YOURSELF!**

• **FDA-authorized COVID-19 vaccines** have demonstrated effectiveness in preventing COVID-19 development in those vaccinated.



# **PROTECT OTHERS!**

- Herd immunity happens when a virus can't spread because it keeps encountering people who
  are protected against infection.
- Vaccination will build this immunity without people having to experience sickness.
- Our nation's most vulnerable residents, including young children and elders, are counting on us.



#### **DO IT SAFELY!**

- FDA-authorized COVID-19 vaccinations have been rigorously tested in large, well designed studies, following the same multi-phase process as every other vaccine.
- Data from these studies have been made available for public review to offer transparency.
- Prior to earning approval for Emergency Use Authorization, authorized vaccines withstood FDA scrutiny by meeting *all quality, safety, and efficacy standards*.



## **STOP THE PANDEMIC!**

- COVID-19 vaccination will be an important tool to help stop the pandemic.
- **Wearing masks and social distancing** help reduce your chance of being exposed to the virus or spreading it to others, but these measures are not enough to stop the pandemic.
- Vaccination is our strongest countermeasure to overcome the Public Health Emergency.
- *The United States has done this before,* with diseases that include: Smallpox, Polio, Diphtheria, and Rubella.