

# HOW TO ADMINISTER THE INACTIVATED PANDEMIC COVID-19 VACCINE (CoronaVac)?



- Administer the vaccine to the patient in a sitting position.
- Open “AŞILA” (VACCINATE!) application and scan the QR code on the vaccine package.
- Shake the vial well before use.
- There is no syringe in the vaccine package. Administer the vaccine with a standard vaccine syringe.
- Administer a dose of vaccine (0.5 ml) intramuscularly at a 90° angle to persons aged 18 years and older.
- Make sure that the person does not leave the healthcare facility for 15 minutes (30 minutes for the person with a history of allergies) after the vaccination.

## POINTS TO CONSIDER

- Administer the vaccine immediately after opening the vial.
- In order to monitor adverse effects, administer the vaccine preferably to the left arm.
- Allow at least two weeks between the inactivated COVID-19 vaccine and the seasonal influenza, pneumococcal, meningococcal and other inactivated routine vaccines.
- Allow at least four weeks between the inactivated COVID-19 vaccination and live vaccines.



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