Why are some children sick months after getting COVID?

Doctors don't know and need your child's help to find answers.

Your child can join the RECOVER study and get paid to help us learn why some children who get COVID will have long-term health effects and symptoms, called Long COVID.

Children with Long COVID may get new, ongoing, or returning symptoms – keeping them from playing with friends and going to school.







Want more information? Here's what you should know.

Can my child join this study?

Your child can join whether they've had COVID or not. This includes children of all ages:

- Babies
- Preschool and school age children
- Teenagers
- Young adults up to age 25 years

We need children from all races, ethnicities, and backgrounds to join so we can learn about Long COVID in everyone.

You can also join as their parent or caregiver!

What will my child do if they join?

We'll pay you for your time and may ask you and your child to:

- Answer survey questions
- Have checkups and tests
- Take part for up to 4 years

This study will not give anyone a treatment or medicine for COVID. If your child joins this study, your child can still take treatments and medicines their doctor gives them.

Why join?

Many children have already joined RECOVER studies. But we still **need thousands of children to join** to help us understand Long COVID. Researchers will compare children who had COVID to those who never did to answer these questions:

- Why do some children get Long COVID and others don't?
- What symptoms do children feel when they get Long COVID and how long do they feel sick?
- How does having Long COVID affect children's health and development, as they grow?

Will their information be kept private?



Yes! Your child's privacy is important to us. We will follow all laws to protect your child's personal information.



Learn more about RECOVER and Long COVID at RECOVERcovid.org