COMMUNITY PROTECTION:
Widespread vaccination for COVID-19 means the virus cannot infect as many people, resulting in fewer people spreading the virus.

AT LEAST 80 PERCENT of the population needs to be vaccinated to attain community protection, according to medical experts.

NATURAL IMMUNITY:
There is not enough data available to indicate how long someone who had COVID-19 is immune to the virus, otherwise known as natural immunity. Early studies indicate natural immunity may not last long, but more data is needed.

ONGOING VACCINATIONS:
At this time, it is anticipated the vaccines will be given using only one or two shots. It’s possible future booster shots will be needed.

SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY:
EVEN AFTER GETTING VACCINATED,

SOCIAL DISTANCING
WEARING A MASK
AND WASHING HANDS

WILL BE CRITICAL TO HALTING SPREAD OF THE VIRUS.

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