

The Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System (VAERS) Results

Vaccine	VAERS ID	Adverse Event Description
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	909095-1	on 12/24/2020 the resident was sleepy and stayed in bed most of the shift. He stated he was doing okay but requested pain medication for his legs at 250PM. At 255AM on 12/25/2020 the resident was observed in bed lying still, pale, eyes half open and foam coming from mouth and unresponsive. He was not breathing and with no pulse
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	910363-1	Patient had mild hypotension, decreased oral intake, somnolence starting 3 days after vaccination and death 5 days after administration. He did have advanced dementia and was hospice eligible based on history of aspiration pneumonia.
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	913733-1	My grandmother died a few hours after receiving the moderna covid vaccine booster 1. While I don't expect that the events are related, the treating hospital did not acknowledge this and I wanted to be sure a report was made.
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	914621-1	Resident in our long term care facility who received first dose of Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine on 12/22/2020, only documented side effect was mild fatigue after receiving. She passed away on 12/27/2020 of natural causes per report. Has previously been in & out of hospice care, resided in nursing home for 9+ years, elderly with dementia. Due to proximity of vaccination we felt we should report the death, even though it is not believed to be related.
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	915880-1	Patient died within 12 hours of receiving the vaccine.
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	917117-1	After vaccination, patient tested positive for COVID-19. Patient was very ill and had numerous chronic health issues prior to vaccination. Facility had a number of patients who had already tested positive for COVID-19. Vaccination continued in an effort to prevent this patient from contracting the virus or to mitigate his risk. This was unsuccessful and patient died.
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	917790-1	At the time of vaccination, there was an outbreak of residents who had already tested positive for COVID 19 at the nursing home where patient was a resident. About a week later, patient tested positive for COVID 19. She had a number of chronic, underlying health conditions. The vaccine did not have enough time to prevent COVID 19. There is no evidence that the vaccination caused patient's death. It simply didn't have time to save her life.
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	917793-1	Prior to the administration of the COVID 19 vaccine, the nursing home had an outbreak of COVID-19. Patient was vaccinated and about a week later she tested positive for COVID-19. She had underlying thyroid and diabetes disease. She died as a result of COVID-19 and her underlying health conditions and not as a result of the vaccine.
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	918065-1	1/1/2020: Residents was found unresponsive. Pronounced deceased at 6:02pm
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	918487-1	Two days post vaccine patient went into cardiac arrest and passed away.
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	918518-1	syncopal episode - arrested - CPR - death
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	919537-1	Resident exhibited no adverse events during 30 minute monitoring following vaccine administration. Resident found without pulse at 1900.
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	920326-1	Redness and warmth with edema to right side of neck and under chin. Resident was on Hospice services and expired on 1.1.21
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	920368-1	12/30/2020 07:02 AM Resident noted to have some redness in face and respiration were fast. Resident vital signs were abnormal except blood pressure. Temp at the time was 102.0 F taken temporal. Resident respirations were 22 labored at times. Pulse is 105 and pulse ox 94% on room air. Resident is made comfortable in bed. Notified triage of change in condition also made triage aware of resident receiving Covid vaccination yesterday morning. Resident appetite and fluid consumption has been poor for few days. 12/30/2020 07:32 AM Received order from agency to administer Acetaminophen 650mg suppos rectally due to resident not wanting to swallow anything including fluids, medications and food. This writer administered medication as NP ordered. Will monitor for effectiveness and adverse effects if any. 12/30/2020 08:41 AM Received new orders to obtain Flu swab, obtain CBC and BMP, and Chest Xray all to be obtained today. Notified family of resident having temperature and vital signs excluding b/p that was abnormal. Family was thankful for call and inierated to nurse that family does not want resident sent to hospital. Did educate family on benefits of Hospice services, but family persistant on continued daily care provided by nursing staff. Requests visits if decline continues. Family assured if resident continues to decline, facility will accomandate resident family to be able to be at bedside when time comes to do so. NP ordered IVF and IV Levaquin on 12/31/20. Family chose at that time to sign for Hospice services and not have resident provided with IVF or IV Antibiotics
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	920815-1	Found deceased in her home, unknown cause, 6 days after vaccine.
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	921547-1	DEATH ON 1/4/2021, RESIDENT RECIEVED VACCINE ON 1/2/20
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	921572-1	Resident had body aches, a low O2 sat and had chills starting on 12/30/20. He had stated that they had slightly improved. On 1/1/21 he sustained a fall with a diagnosis of a displaced hip fracture. On 1/2/21 during the NOC shift his O2 sat dropped again. He later went unresponsive and passed away.
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	922977-1	Fever, RespDepression & COVID positive REMDESIVIR (EUA) 200 mg x1 then 100 mg daily

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COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	923993-1	Patient was vaccinated Dec 30, 2020. Prime dose of Moderna vaccine. Observed for full 15 minutes post-injection. No complaints when asked during observation. Released. Subsequently, vaccine clinic staff learned from the patient's supervisor that on Jan 4, 2021 that the patient had expired on Jan 2, 2021. By report from the supervisor, the patient was found dead at his home. The patient's primary care provider was unaware of his death when contacted by this reporter today (Jan 6, 2021). Electronic Medical Record without any information since the vaccination.
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	924126-1	resident expired 1/1/2021
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	924186-1	Resident expired 1/3/21
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	924664-1	At approximately, 1855, I was alerted by caregiver, resident was not responding. Per caregiver, she was doing her rounds and found resident in bed, unresponsive, mouth open, observed gurgling noises and tongue hanging out of mouth. This primary caregiver observed resident at baseline and ambulating after dinner at approximately, 1800 less than an hour prior to incident. This PCG called 911 for EMS and gave report of incident. Resident was taken to Medical Center Emergency Department. At ER, CT scan and X-ray was performed. Per report from ER RN, CT scan and x-ray revealed an intracranial aneurysm and fluid in the lungs. Per RN, resident was still unresponsive and was admitted to Medical Center for observation and comfort measures. This primary caregiver reported to RN, resident recently received the first dose of COVID-19 vaccine on 1/2/21. Primary caregiver received a call from Castle RN at 0700, resident expired at 0615.
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	925154-1	Deceased
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	925264-1	PT was found deceased in his home on 1/5/2021
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	926600-1	Patient did not report any signs or symptoms of adverse reaction to vaccine. Patient suffered from several comorbidities (diabetes and renal insufficiency). Patient reported not feeling well 01/06/2021 and passed away that day.
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	926797-1	had a vaccination on 12/31/2020 late morning passed away early morning 01/01/2021. This is a 93 year old with significant heart issues. EF of 20% among other comorbidities. He died suddenly approximately 0430, it is unlikely it was related to receiving the vaccine.
COVID19 (COVID19 (MODERNA)) (1201)	927260-1	No adverse effects noted after vaccination. Patient with cardiac history was found unresponsive at 16:45 on 1/6/21. Abnormal breathing patterns, eyes partially closed SPO2 was 41%, pulseless with no cardiac sounds upon auscultation. CPR and pulse was regained and patient was breathing. Patient sent to Hospital ER where she remained in an unstable condition had multiple cardiac arrest and severe bradycardia and in the end the hospital was unable to bring her back.
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	907575-1	Diarrhoea; This is a spontaneous report from a contactable other healthcare professional via Agency and downloaded from the Regulatory Authority GB-MHRA-WEBCOVID-20201212222117, Safety Report Unique Identifier GB-MHRA-ADR 24542707 and EU-EC-10007191252. An elderly patient of an unspecified gender received bnt162b2 (batch/lot number not provided), via an unspecified route of administration in 2020 at single dose for COVID-19 immunisation. The patient's medical history and concomitant medications were not reported. The patient experienced diarrhoea in 2020. The patient died due to diarrhoea on 10Dec2020. It was not reported if an autopsy was performed. No follow-up attempts are possible. Information on the lot/batch number not obtainable. No further information is expected.; Reported Cause(s) of Death: diarrhoea
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	908245-1	Asystole; Circulatory collapse; This is a spontaneous report from a contactable pharmacist received from Agency and downloaded from the Regulatory Authority-WEB GB-MHRA-WEBCOVID-20201214111558, Safety Report Unique Identifier GB-MHRA-ADR 24542972 and EU-EC-10007191566 received via Regulatory Authority. An adult female patient received bnt162b2 (batch/lot number not provided), via an unspecified route of administration on 13Dec2020 at single dose for COVID-19 vaccination. The patient's medical history was not reported. Concomitant medication included sildenafil, acetylsalicylic acid, allopurinol, levothyroxine, spironolactone, amiloride hydrochloride, furosemide and desogestrel. The patient experienced asystole on 13Dec2020, circulatory collapse on 13Dec2020. The patient died due to asystole and circulatory collapse on 13Dec2020. It was not reported if an autopsy was performed. No follow-up attempts are possible. Information about batch number is not obtainable. No further information is expected.; Reported Cause(s) of Death: circulatory collapse; Asystole
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	913143-1	Vaccine administered with no immediate adverse reaction at 11:29am. Vaccine screening questions were completed and resident was not feeling sick and temperature was 98F. At approximately 1:30pm the resident passed away.
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	913881-1	the patient died; This is a spontaneous report from a contactable consumer through a Pfizer employee. A 98-99 years old patient of an unspecified gender received bnt162b2 (COMIRNATY), via an unspecified route of administration possibly on 27Dec2020 at single dose for covid-19 immunization. The patient's medical history and concomitant medications were not reported. The patient died on 29Dec2020. Event details: The Pfizer employee was informed, by a member of the Covid vaccine team at the ministry of health, that an elderly person 98-99 years old, who used to stay in an elderly home, who also had other serious diseases and received the vaccine possibly on 27Dec2020, had died this morning (29Dec2020). As it was mentioned to the Pfizer employee, they were 'sure' that the cause of death did not related to the vaccine. It was not reported if an autopsy was performed. Information on the lot/batch number has been requested.; Reported Cause(s) of Death: unknown cause of death
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	914604-1	Spouse awoke 12/20 and found spouse dead. Client was not transferred to hospital.
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	914690-1	Within 24 hours of receiving the vaccine, fever and respiratory distress, and anxiety developed requiring oxygen, morphine and ativan. My Mom passed away on the evening of 12/26/2020.
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	914805-1	RESIDENT CODED AND EXPIRED

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COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	914895-1	Injection given on 12/28/20 - no adverse events and no issues yesterday; Death today, 12/30/20, approx.. 2am today (unknown if related - Administrator marked as natural causes)
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	914917-1	Death by massive heart attack. Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine EUA
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	914961-1	pt passed away with an hour to hour and 1/2 of receiving vaccine. per nursing home staff they did not expect pt to make it many more days. pt was unresponsive in room when shot was given. per nursing home staff pt was 14 + days post covid
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	914994-1	pt was a nursing home pt. pt received first dose of covid vaccine. pt was monitored for 15 minutes after getting shot. staff reported that pt was 15 days post covid. Pt passed away with in 90 minutes of getting vaccine
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	915562-1	pt received vaccine at covid clinic on 12/30 at approximately 3:30, pt vomited 4 minutes after receiving shot--dark brown vomit, staff reported pt had vomited night before. Per staff report pt became short of breath between 6 and 7 pm that night. Pt had DNR on file. pt passed away at approximately 10pm. Staff reported pt was 14 + days post covid
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	915682-1	Resident received vaccine per pharmacy at the facility at 5 pm. Approximately 6:45 resident found unresponsive and EMS contacted. Upon EMS arrival at facility, resident went into cardiac arrest, code initiated by EMS and transported to hospital. Resident expired at hospital at approximately 8 pm
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	915920-1	Resident received vaccine in am and expired that afternoon.
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	918388-1	Resident found unresponsive without pulse, respirations at 04:30 CPR performed, expired at 04:52 by Rescue
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	918418-1	Resident became SOB, congested and hypoxic requiring oxygen, respiratory treatments and suctioning. Stabilized after treatment and for the next 72 hours with oxygen saturations in the 90s. On 1/3/2021 was found without pulse and respirations. Resident was a DNR on Hospice.
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	918721-1	cardiac arrest; heart failure; did not feel well, lost consciousness and died; did not feel well, lost consciousness and died; This is a spontaneous report from a contactable consumer. A 75-year-old male patient received bnt162b2 (PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 VACCINE), via an unspecified route of administration on 28Dec2020 08:30 at single dose for covid-19 immunisation. Medical history included suffered from the past from heart attacks, active heart disease, malignant disease. The patient's concomitant medications were not reported. A man of 75 years old, who suffers from many different background diseases, died (this morning 28Dec2020) from cardiac arrest, two hours after he received the injection. The man received the injection at 8.30am, and after he was feeling okay he was released to go home. After a while when he was home he did not feel well, lost consciousness and died, and he was pronounced dead from heart failure. The patient died on 28Dec2020. It was not reported if an autopsy was performed. The outcome of the event cardiac arrest and heart failure was fatal while the outcome of the other events was unknown. No follow-up attempts are possible; information about lot/batch number cannot be obtained.; Sender's Comments: Linked Report(s) : IL-PFIZER INC-2020517177 same reporter, same vaccine, reporting similar events in different patients.; Reported Cause(s) of Death: heart failure; cardiac arrest
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	918722-1	found dead in his bed; This is a spontaneous report from a contactable healthcare professional received via the Ministry of Health department of epidemiology. The department of epidemiology reported similar events for two patients. This is the second of two reports. A 61-year-old male patient received the first dose of BNT162B2 (PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 mRNA VACCINE; Lot Number: EK4175), via an unspecified route of administration on 24Dec2020 as a single dose for COVID-19 immunization. Medical history included schizophrenia, very heavy smoker for almost 50 years, emphysema, and tumor resection in the bladder. The patient's concomitant medications were not reported. On 28Dec2020, the patient was found dead in his bed. It was reported that the patient did not have any complaints in the days following the vaccination. Then, on 28Dec2020, the patient was found dead. The cause of death was unknown. It was not reported if an autopsy was performed.; Sender's Comments: A reasonable possibility that the event unknown cause of death is related to vaccination with BNT162B2 cannot be completely excluded until further information regarding clinical course and death cause is provided. Of note, the patient did not have any complaints in the days following the vaccination. The case was confounded by the patient's underlying conditions. The impact of this report on the benefit/risk profile of the Pfizer product is evaluated as part of Pfizer procedures for safety evaluation, including the review and analysis of aggregate data for adverse events. Any safety concern identified as part of this review, as well as any appropriate action in response, will be promptly notified to Regulatory Authorities, Ethics Committees and Investigators, as appropriate.,Linked Report(s) : IL-PFIZER INC-2020517122 same reporter, same vaccine, reporting similar events in different patients.; Reported Cause(s) of Death: found dead in his bed
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	918723-1	pt found unreponsive at home by spouse and died; This is a spontaneous report from a non-contactable physician. An 85-year-old male patient received the first dose of BNT162B2 (PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 mRNA VACCINE), via an unspecified route of administration in Dec2020 (at the age of 85-years-old) as a single dose for COVID-19 immunization. Medical history included a chronic cardiac history and limited mobility. It was unknown if prior to the vaccination the patient was diagnosed with COVID-19. The patient's concomitant medications included multiple unspecified medications. It was unknown whether the patient received any other vaccine within 4 weeks prior to the vaccine. In Dec2020, the patient had died. The clinical course was reported as follows: the patient returned from the physician's office after the vaccination and was fine at home resting. Approximately 10 hours after vaccination, the patient was found unresponsive at home by his spouse and had died. The cause of death was unknown. It was not reported if an autopsy was performed. The lot number for the vaccine, BNT162B2, was not provided and will be requested during follow up.; Sender's Comments: The limited information available does not allow a meaningful assessment by the company. Past medical history, current state of health and concomitant treatments were not reported. The case will be reassessed upon receipt of follow up information. The impact of this report on the benefit/risk profile of the Pfizer product is evaluated as part of Pfizer procedures for safety evaluation, including the review and analysis of aggregate data for adverse events. Any safety concern identified as part of this review, as well as any appropriate action in response, will be promptly notified to regulatory authorities, Ethics Committees, and Investigators, as appropriate.; Reported Cause(s) of Death: pt found unresponsive at home by spouse and died

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COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	918727-1	died the day after receiving the first injection of vaccine against Covid-19 in suspected cardiac arrest; This is a spontaneous report from a web page with a contactable physician as publisher. A multi-sick, elderly patient of an unspecified gender received the first dose of BNT162B2 (PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 VACCINE), via an unspecified route of administration on an unspecified date at single dose for covid vaccination. The patient medical history was not reported. The patient's concomitant medications were not reported. The patient died the day after vaccination of a suspected heart stop. The patient died the day after receiving the first injection of vaccine against covid-19. The patient died on an unspecified date. It was not reported if an autopsy was performed. No follow-up attempts are possible; information about LOT/batch number cannot be obtained.; Sender's Comments: The information available in this report is limited and does not allow a medically meaningful assessment of the case. In particular the following relevant information is not available: complete medical history and complete demographics, treatment dates and dose, concomitant medications (if any), event descriptors, autopsy report. The impact of this report on the benefit/risk profile of the Pfizer product is evaluated as part of Pfizer procedures for safety evaluation, including the review and analysis of aggregate data for adverse events. Any safety concern identified as part of this review, as well as any appropriate action in response, will be promptly notified to regulatory authorities, Ethics Committees, and Investigators, as appropriate.; Reported Cause(s) of Death: suspected heart stop
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	919108-1	Fever, Malaise
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	920545-1	"The resident received is vaccine around 11:00 am and tolerated it without any difficulty or immediate adverse effects. He was at therapy from 12:36 pm until 1:22 pm when he stated he was too tired and could not do anymore. The therapist took him back to his room at that time and he got into bed himself but stated his legs felt heavy. At 1:50 pm the CNA answered his call light and found he had taken himself to the bathroom. She stated that when he went to get back into the bed it was ""abnormal"" how he was getting into it so she assisted him. At that time he quit breathing and she called a RN into the room immediately. He was found without a pulse, respirations, or blood pressure at 1:54 pm. He was a DNR."
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	920832-1	Vaccine 12/30/2020 Screening PCR done 12/31/2020 Symptoms 1/1/2021 COVID test result came back positive 1/2/2021 Deceased 1/4/2021
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	920891-1	"deceased on 31Dec2020 with no previous side effect; This is a spontaneous report from a contactable physician via ""Pfizer"". An 87-year-old female patient received the first dose of the bnt162b2 (PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 MRNA VACCINE; Lot Number: ""not known because vaccination team vaccinated at care home""), via an unspecified route of administration on 29Dec2020 at a single dose for COVID-19 immunization. The patient's medical history included upper respiratory tract infection, changing patient weakness; both from an unknown date and unknown if ongoing. Concomitant medications were not reported. The patient experienced: deceased on 31Dec2020 with no previous side effect; which resulted in death on 31Dec2020. The clinical course was reported as follows: the patient received the first dose of the PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 MRNA VACCINE on 29Dec2020; and the patient was deceased on 31Dec2020 with no previous side effect. The patient received the vaccination with a negative COVID-test on 25Dec2020; ""in case of upper respiratory tract infection and changing patient weakness"". The physician reported that ""after good breakfast at 09:13 found without vital signs during routine control."" The clinical outcome of the event was fatal. The patient died on 31Dec2020 due to unknown cause of death. It was unknown if an autopsy was performed. The batch/lot numbers for the vaccine, PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 MRNA VACCINE, were not provided and will be requested during follow up.; Sender's Comments: The limited information available does not allow a meaningful assessment by the company. The advance old patient had upper respiratory tract infection, changing patient weakness; further information such as complete medical history, concomitant treatments, particularly death cause and autopsy results are needed for fully medical assessment. The impact of this report on the benefit/risk profile of the Pfizer product is evaluated as part of Pfizer procedures for safety evaluation, including the review and analysis of aggregate data for adverse events. Any safety concern identified as part of this review, as well as any appropriate action in response, will be promptly notified to regulatory authorities, Ethics Committees, and Investigators, as appropriate.; Reported Cause(s) of Death: deceased on 31Dec2020 with no previous side effect"
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	921175-1	Resident received Covid Vaccine, noted after 30 mins with labored breathing BP 161/77, HR 116, R 38, T 101.4,
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	921481-1	Vaccine given on 12/29/20 by Pharmacy. On 1/1/21, resident became lethargic and sluggish and developed a rash on forearms. He was a Hospice recipient and doctor and Hospice ordered no treatment, just to continue to monitor. When no improvement of condition reported, doctor and Hospice ordered comfort meds (Morphine, Ativan, Levsin). Resident expired on 1/4/2021
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	921667-1	LTCF Pfizer Vaccine clinic conducted 12/29/2020 Vaccine lead received a call indicating that a staff member deceased somewhere between 1/3/2021 and 1/4/2021. Cause of death is unknown, and an autopsy is being performed.
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	921768-1	Vaccine received at about 0900 on 01/04/2021 at her place of work, Medical Center, where she was employed as a housekeeper. About one hour after receiving the vaccine she experienced a hot flash, nausea, and feeling like she was going to pass out after she had bent down. Later at about 1500 hours she appeared tired and lethargic, then a short time later, at about 1600 hours, upon arrival to a friends home she complained of feeling hot and having difficulty breathing. She then collapsed, then when medics arrived, she was still breathing slowly then went into cardiac arrest and was unable to be revived.
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	921880-1	The resident was found deceased a little less than 12 hours following COVID vaccination, and he had had some changes over the last 2 days. He was 96 and had been on hospice care for a little while. Noone noticed any side effects from vaccine after it was given

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COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	923149-1	<p>first death case due to Covid-19 vaccination in country; deterioration in the general condition; stomach was hard and caused pain under pressure; Urethral and abdominal pain; Urethral and abdominal pain; restless; his blood pressure dropped; pulse increased; This is a spontaneous report from five contactable consumers and a contactable other health professional via Pfizer Employee received form Internet source. A 91-year-old female patient receive BNT162B2 (COMIRNATY), via an unspecified route of administration on 24Dec2020 at single dose for covid-19 vaccination. Medical history included dementia from an unknown date and unknown if ongoing. The patient's concomitant medications were not reported. The resident had previously reacted negatively to a flu vaccine and therefore no further vaccinations were recommended. The patient experienced urethral and abdominal pain, urethral and abdominal pain, restless, his blood pressure dropped, pulse increased all on 26Dec2020, deterioration in the general condition and death on 29Dec2020. On Christmas Eve, the residents of a nursing home for dementia in the Lucerne were vaccinated with the Pfizer/Biontech vaccine. The affected, otherwise healthy resident, suffered from pain in the urethra and abdomen two days later. The examination by the home doctor revealed a decrease in blood pressure and an increase in the pulse. At the last consultation on Sunday evening, 27 December, the patient was stable with persistent sensitivity to pressure of the abdomen. The following day, the management of the institution did not report back to the home doctor. On the morning of December 29, the nursing home informed the doctor about a deterioration of the general condition. By the time the doctor was called back the same morning, the patient had already died, vaccinated on Christmas Eve and dead five days later. The patient underwent lab tests and procedures which included blood pressure measurement: decreased on 26Dec2020, heart rate: increased on 26Dec2020, home doctor examination: decrease in blood pressure and an increase in the pulse on 26Dec2020, home doctor examination: condition was stable with persistent sensitivity to pressure of the abdomen on 27Dec2020. The patient died on 29Dec2020. It was not reported if an autopsy was performed. The news of the death of a 91-year-old person after she was vaccinated against Covid-19 is circulating on social media channels and information platforms. Investigations by the health authorities and have shown that due to the medical history and the course of the disease, a connection between death and the Covid-19 vaccination is unlikely. Neither the medical history nor the acute course of the disease suggest a direct causal connection between the Covid-19 vaccination and death. The comprehensive information available indicates the pre-existing diseases as a natural cause of death. This was also noted on the death certificate. Event occurred in a country different from that of the reporter. This may be a duplicate report if another reporter from the country where the event occurred has submitted the same information to his/her local agency. Information on the Lot/Batch number has been requested.; Sender's Comments: The reported information is limited and does not allow a meaningful assessment of the case. It will be reassessed upon receipt of follow up information. The impact of this report on the benefit/risk profile of the Pfizer product is evaluated as part of Pfizer procedures for safety evaluation, including the review and analysis of aggregate data for adverse events. Any safety concern identified as part of this review, as well as any appropriate action in response, will be promptly notified to regulatory authorities, Ethics Committees, and Investigators, as appropriate.; Reported Cause(s) of Death: unknown cause of death</p>
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	923219-1	<p>Sudden death; This is a spontaneous report from a contactable physician and consumer. A 41-year-old female patient received the first dose of BNT162B2 (COMIRNATY; Lot Number: UNKNOWN), via an unspecified route of administration on 30Dec2020 at 0.3 mL single dose for COVID-19 immunisation. Medical history included hypertension. The patient's concomitant medications were not reported. On 01Jan2021, the patient experienced sudden death. The clinical course was as follows: The patient didn't experience any adverse event at the moment of inoculation with COVID-19 vaccine or the following days. On 01Jan2021, at lunch time, two days after receiving the vaccine, the patient was found unresponsive in her bed by her partner. The cause of death was unknown. It was reported that an autopsy would be performed in the next days; the results were not yet available. The lot number for the vaccine, BNT162B2, was not provided and will be requested during follow up.; Sender's Comments: The reported information is limited and does not allow a meaningful assessment of the case. It will be reassessed upon receipt of follow up information. The impact of this report on the benefit/risk profile of the Pfizer product is evaluated as part of Pfizer procedures for safety evaluation, including the review and analysis of aggregate data for adverse events. Any safety concern identified as part of this review, as well as any appropriate action in response, will be promptly notified to regulatory authorities, Ethics Committees, and Investigators, as appropriate.; Reported Cause(s) of Death: Sudden death</p>
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	924456-1	<p>Patient did not display any obvious signs or symptoms; the vaccination was administered at approximately 10:00 AM and the patient continued throughout her day without any complaints or signs of adverse reaction. Patient was helped to bed by the nursing assistant estimated at around 9:00 PM. The facility received notification from the lab around 11:00 PM that the patient's COVID-19 specimen collection from Sunday, 1/3/21, detected COVID-19. When the nursing staff went to the room to check on the resident and prepare her to move to a COVID-19 care area the patient was found unresponsive, no movement, no chest rises, noted regurgitated small amount of food to mouth left side, lying on left side. Pupils non reactive.</p>
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	924464-1	<p>coughing up blood, significant hemoptysis -- > cardiac arrest. started day after vaccine but likely related to ongoing progression of lung cancer</p>
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	925556-1	<p>Expired 1/05/2021</p>
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	925616-1	<p>cardiac arrest; This is a spontaneous report from a contactable physician. A 64-year-old male patient received BNT162B2 (PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19 mRNA VACCINE), via an unspecified route of administration on 30Dec2020 as single dose for covid-19 immunization. Medical history included asthma and a little overweight from an unknown date. The patient's concomitant medications were not reported. The patient experienced cardiac arrest on an unspecified date, which was serious as it lead to death. The patient died on an unspecified date. It was not reported if an autopsy was performed. This batch/lot number is not available despite the follow-up attempts made. No further information is expected.; Sender's Comments: The reported information is limited and does not allow a meaningful assessment of the case. It will be reassessed upon receipt of follow up information. The impact of this report on the benefit/risk profile of the Pfizer product is evaluated as part of Pfizer procedures for safety evaluation, including the review and analysis of aggregate data for adverse events. Any safety concern identified as part of this review, as well as any appropriate action in response, will be promptly notified to regulatory authorities, Ethics Committees, and Investigators, as appropriate.; Reported Cause(s) of Death: cardiac arrest</p>
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	926269-1	<p>"Pt last seen at 1200 by nurse for ID band check. No visible signs of distress noted. Pt states ""I just want to be left alone"". 1230 nurse was called to pt room. Pt was noted unresponsive, no pulse and respiration noted. CPR started immediately, at 1239 first shock given. 1245 EMT took over, at 1319 EMT called time of death"</p>
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	926462-1	<p>Patient developed hypoxia on 1/4/2021 and did not respond to maximal treatment and passed way on 1/5/2021</p>
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	926568-1	<p>patient declined 12/30/2020 and was transferred to hospital where he did not respond to treatment and passed away 1/4/2020</p>

Vaccine	VAERS ID	Adverse Event Description
COVID19 (COVID19 (PFIZER-BIONTECH)) (1200)	927189-1	Patient was vaccinated at 11am and was found at the facility in his room deceased at approximately 3:00pm. Nurse did not have cause of death

Note: Submitting a report to VAERS does not mean that healthcare personnel or the vaccine caused or contributed to the adverse event (possible side effect).

Notes:

Caveats: VAERS accepts reports of adverse events and reactions that occur following vaccination. Healthcare providers, vaccine manufacturers, and the public can submit reports to VAERS. While very important in monitoring vaccine safety, VAERS reports alone cannot be used to determine if a vaccine caused or contributed to an adverse event or illness. The reports may contain information that is incomplete, inaccurate, coincidental, or unverifiable. Most reports to VAERS are voluntary, which means they are subject to biases. This creates specific limitations on how the data can be used scientifically. Data from VAERS reports should always be interpreted with these limitations in mind.

The strengths of VAERS are that it is national in scope and can quickly provide an early warning of a safety problem with a vaccine. As part of CDC and FDA's multi-system approach to post-licensure vaccine safety monitoring, VAERS is designed to rapidly detect unusual or unexpected patterns of adverse events, also known as "safety signals." If a safety signal is found in VAERS, further studies can be done in safety systems such as the CDC's Vaccine Safety Datalink (VSD) or the Clinical Immunization Safety Assessment (CISA) project. These systems do not have the same limitations as VAERS, and can better assess health risks and possible connections between adverse events and a vaccine.

Key considerations and limitations of VAERS data:

- Vaccine providers are encouraged to report any clinically significant health problem following vaccination to VAERS, whether or not they believe the vaccine was the cause.
- Reports may include incomplete, inaccurate, coincidental and unverified information.
- The number of reports alone cannot be interpreted or used to reach conclusions about the existence, severity, frequency, or rates of problems associated with vaccines.
- VAERS data are limited to vaccine adverse event reports received between 1990 and the most recent date for which data are available.
- VAERS data do not represent all known safety information for a vaccine and should be interpreted in the context of other scientific information.

Some items may have more than 1 occurrence in any single event report, such as Symptoms, Vaccine Products, Manufacturers, and Event Categories. If data are grouped by any of these items, then the number in the Events Reported column may exceed the total number of unique events. If percentages are shown, then the associated percentage of total unique event reports will exceed 100% in such cases. For example, the number of Symptoms mentioned is likely to exceed the number of events reported, because many reports include more than 1 Symptom. When more than 1 Symptom occurs in a single report, then the percentage of Symptoms to unique events is more than 100%. [More information. \(/wonder/help/vaers.html#Suppress\)](#)

Data contains VAERS reports processed as of the previous Friday. The VAERS data in WONDER are updated weekly, yet the VAERS system receives continuous updates including revisions and new reports for preceding time periods. [More information. \(/wonder/help/vaers.html#Reporting\)](#)

Values of Event Category field vary in their availability over time due to changes in the reporting form. The "Emergency Room/Office Visit" value was available only for events reported using the VAERS-1 form, active 07/01/1990 to 06/29/2017. The "Congenital Anomaly/Birth Defect", "Emergency Room", and "Office Visit" values are available only for events reported using the VAERS 2.0 form, active 06/30/2017 to present. These changes must be considered when evaluating count of events for these categories.

Help: See [The Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System \(VAERS\) Documentation \(/wonder/help/vaers.html\)](#) for more information.

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