Rare J&J Vaccine Symptoms

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Federal health officials halted use of the Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 vaccine after the FDA recommended pausing its use as they examine a rare blood-clotting disorder that emerged in six recipients. If you've received the J&J vaccine and develop the following symptoms within three weeks of receiving your vaccination, contact your healthcare provider or seek medical care. Symptoms include:

- Severe headache
- Leg pain
- Abdominal pain
- Shortness of breath

To view the CDC Health Alert regarding the J&J vaccine, click here. You can report adverse events following receipt of any COVID-19 vaccine to the Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System (VAERS). If you are scheduled to receive the J&J vaccine, please contact your healthcare provider, vaccination location, or clinic to learn about additional vaccine availability.