Dear Students,

**BU is requiring the COVID vaccine for all students for the Fall 2021 semester.** Please upload your information as soon as you receive your first dose of Moderna or Pfizer or if you receive a single-dose vaccine. You will then be required to upload your completed vaccine card when you receive it. One dose of a two-dose series will grant you temporary compliance until you receive your second dose.

Individually identifiable health information you provide will be confidential, and will not be shared.

We understand that many of our international students may be vaccinated abroad with vaccines that have not been approved for use in the United States. At this time, **BU plans to accept all vaccines being offered outside the United States, including those without US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) authorization or approval, unless federal or state guidelines mandate otherwise.**

To upload your documentation:

1) Log into your [Patient Connect](#) record.

2) Click the Messages menu option, then click New Message.

3) Select the COVID-19 message option, then the COVID-19 Vaccine Documentation Upload reason, and continue.

4) Upload an image of your COVID-19 vaccine documentation, ensuring that the administered dates are clearly visible. Enter each appointment date, check off the vaccine manufacturer, check both acknowledgements, and click Send.

   To file an exemption request for medical or religious reasons, choose Request for COVID-19 Vaccine Exemption from the COVID-19 (Coronavirus) message options.

More information about how to use Patient Connect is available [here](#).

For help, please email [healthwayhelp@bu.edu](mailto:healthwayhelp@bu.edu).