

# **The City of Calgary COVID Vaccine Taskforce**



## Responsibilities

Support the province in delivery of Covid vaccinations to Calgarians, including support in the form of:

- Identifying and providing vaccination sites;
- Assisting with communication to Calgarians;
- Providing sector priorities;
- Acting as the singular representative to the province for city services;
- Identifying and working with local community groups as necessary;
- Transportation of Calgarians to and from vaccine sites;
- Represent external agency members of the Calgary Emergency Management Agency in discussions and proceedings relating to the distribution of vaccines;
- Other forms of support not associated with the direct application of healthcare services.



## Calgary Neighbourhoods

- Subject matter expert in community relations and liaise with community groups to identify unique considerations and solutions for the vaccination of Calgary's communities;
- Liaise with Civic Partners and non-profit organizations.

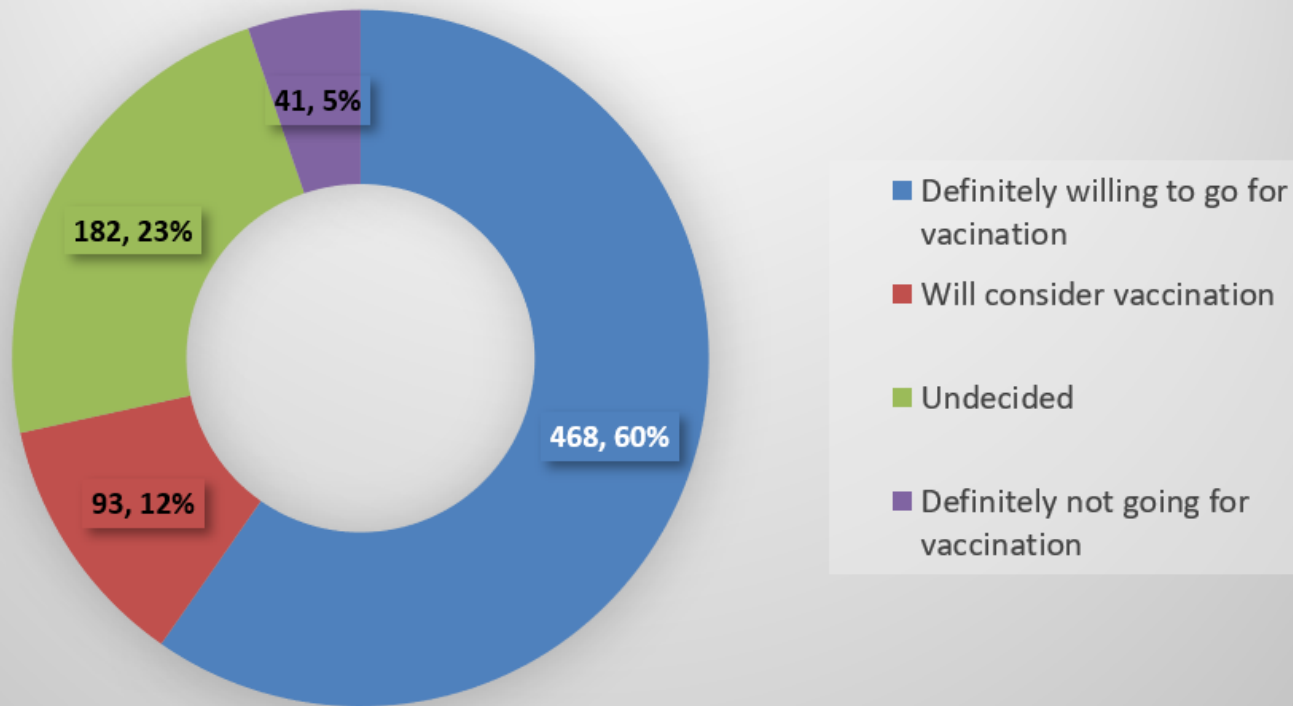


## Community Considerations

- Calgary Neighbourhoods has engaged with non-profit organizations, Civic Partners, City staff, and community to document offers of support, considerations, recommendations, and advocacy related to vaccine planning and implementation with a particular focus on populations experiencing vulnerability.
- Organizations have offered facilities to act as vaccination sites
- Support communication of accurate information to the community in partnership with the Government of Alberta, Alberta Health Services, and non-profit organizations and partners
- Coordinating information from community to Vaccine Task Force, including data from the Calgary East Zone Newcomer Collaborative on vaccine willingness



### Distribution of Respondents as to Willingness to Receiving Vaccination (n=784)

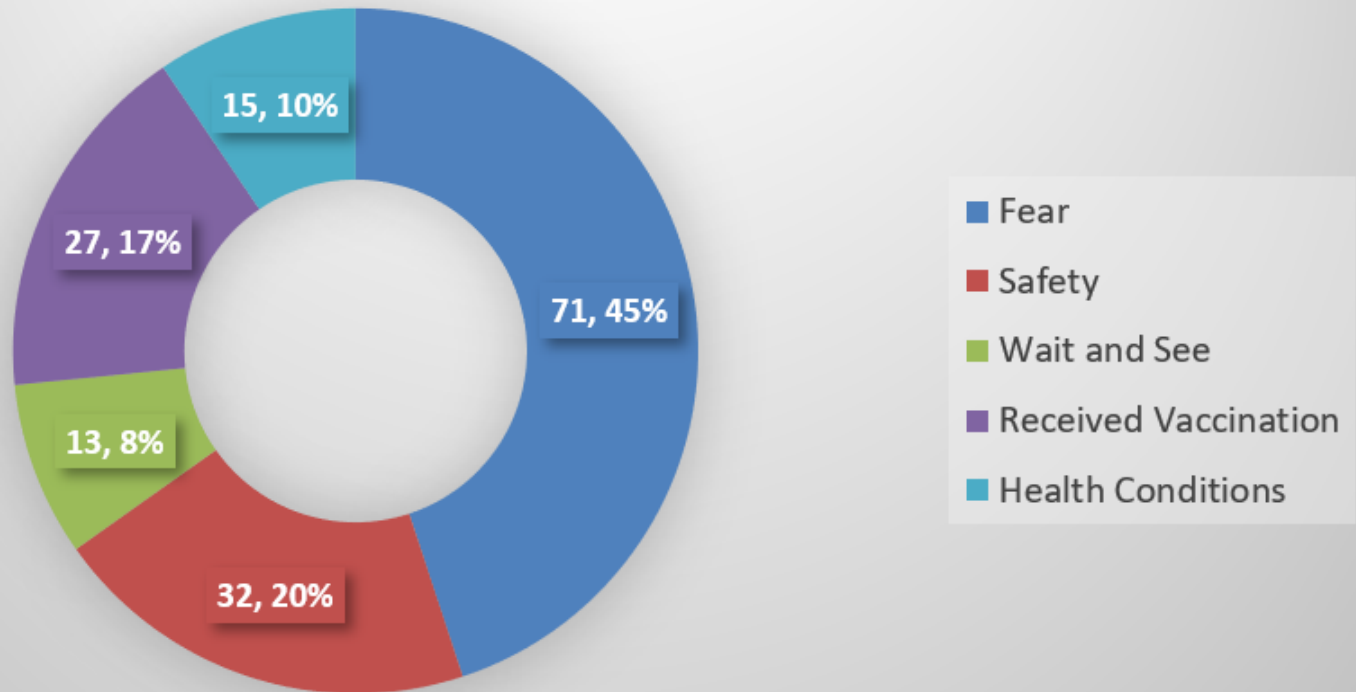


Question 1: Once the COVID-19 vaccine becomes available, which among the options will you take?



## Reasons for Not Wanting/Undecided to Receive Vaccination (n=158)

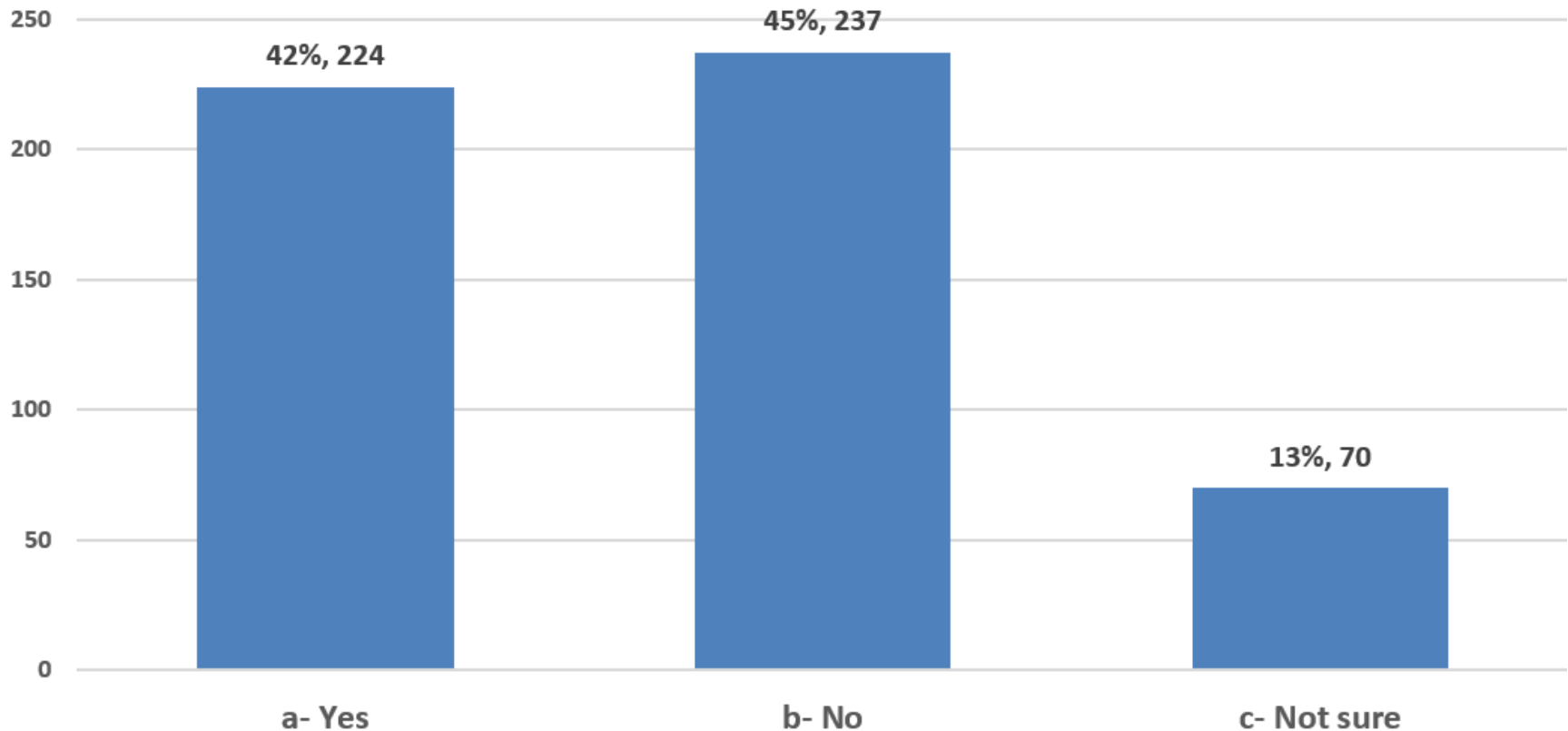
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Question 2: If the answer is “Definitely not going for vaccination” or Undecided. Explain why.



## Distribution of Survey Participants as to Willingness to Get More Information (n=531)



Question 4. Would you like more information to help you decide?

## Alberta COVID-18 vaccine program

- Seniors 75+ can book now – online or via 811:  
<https://www.alberta.ca/covid19-vaccine.aspx#book>
- Sign up to get notified when its your turn:  
<https://www.alberta.ca/covid19-vaccine.aspx#signup>

## COVID-19 vaccine pharmacy locations

[Alberta Blue Cross website](#)



## 211 – transportation support to vaccine appointments

If you do not have the means to get to a vaccination centre, such as getting a ride a family member, friend, taxi, or other source of transportation, you can call 211 for help in connecting with resources in your community

If your organization is providing vaccine transportation, please contact 211 Alberta as soon as possible at 780-392-8722 or [database@ab.211.ca](mailto:database@ab.211.ca).



# VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO DRIVE SENIORS



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**WE ARE IN NEED OF VOLUNTEER DRIVERS FOR OUR PROGRAM**

## **TRANSPORTATION FOR VACCINATION**

**WHICH PROVIDES SENIORS ROUND-TRIP SERVICE  
TO THEIR COVID-19 VACCINATIONS**

### **HOW TO APPLY**

**VOLUNTEER APPLICATION FORM**

<https://www.calgaryseniors.org/fast-track-volunteer-application>



### **THIS PROGRAM SUPPORTS SENIORS (65+)**

**WHO HAVE LIMITED SOCIAL SUPPORT (NO FRIENDS  
OR FAMILY IN THE CITY) ... AND WHO NO LONGER DRIVE ...**