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**PERFORMANCE GAP/ ACTIVITY NEED:** With vaccines arriving at Providence ministries as early as this week, there have been several requests for the latest information on vaccine availability, safety, efficacy, and side effects.

**DESIRED OUTCOMES:** At the end of the activity, attendees will be able to:

- evaluate the current COVID-19 vaccines, their safety, efficacy and side effects.
- discuss the FDA vaccine fact sheet.
- practice how to respond to patients' questions and hesitancy.
- emphasize that masking, social distancing and hand-washing are still necessary during and after the vaccination period. .
- determine if there is a required period of time between receiving the flu shot and the COVID vaccine.
- prepare to assess cultural diversity issues in risk, incidence, prevalence, disease burden, or mortality associated with the COVID-19 vaccine and/or cultural disparities in access, diagnosis at more advanced stages, or less adherence to treatment regimens.