

## Health messaging on YouTube for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse (CALD) Communities: Here's what we found

83.4% across 4 CALD

communities

learned something new after watching COVID-19 prevention YouTube videos in native language.

## **Did You Know?**





86.7% across 4 CALD

communities found YouTube videos in native language useful in communicating COVID-19 prevention messages.

10.4%

across CALD communities

13.3%

in **Bengali** community

Increased knowledge after watching a COVID-19 prevention YouTube video

in native language

15.4%

in Arabic-speaking community

10.0%

in Spanish-speaking community

Note: All communities (N=127), Arabic-speaking community ( $n_1$ =26), Bengali community ( $n_2$ =45), Chinese community ( $n_3$ =26), Spanish-speaking community ( $n_4$ =30)



**Vaccines** 

Moderna

Johnson & Johnson

Why haven't you gotten the COVID-19 vaccine yet?

Only 4% of people in my

Arabic-Speaking community have gotten
the vaccine, so I will wait and see until they
get it. They are one of my trusted sources
of health information.

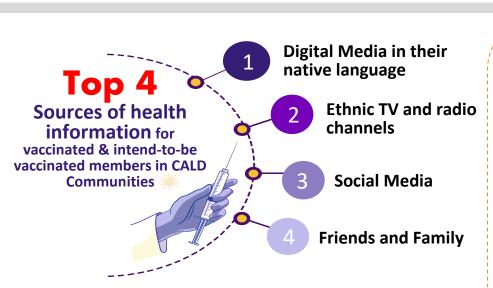


Only **67%** across CALD communities reported they can find trustworthy health information.

Only **41%** from the Arabic-Speaking community can find trustworthy health information compared to 68% from the Chinese community, 82% Bengali community, and 86% Spanish-speaking community.

Only 4% from
Arabic-speaking
community received
vaccination, followed
by the Chinese
Community (35%),
Bengali Community
(58%), and Spanishspeaking Community
(72%).

Note: All communities (N=318): Arabic-speaking community ( $n_1$ =105), Bengali community ( $n_2$ =77), Chinese community ( $n_3$ =60), Spanish-speaking community ( $n_2$ =76)



Note: All communities (N=205): Arabic-speaking community ( $n_1$ =26), Bengali community ( $n_2$ =68), Chinese community ( $n_3$ =43), Spanish-speaking community ( $n_4$ =68)

## **5 Tips** to increase COVID-19 vaccine uptake in CALD communities:

Target digital and social media platforms to deliver culturally and linguistically appropriate vaccine messages.

Target ethnic media outlets to circulate COVID-19 vaccine messages.

Engage local community leaders in disseminating accurate information about COVID-19 vaccine.

Increase capacity of community-based organizations to provide vaccine outreach to each community.

Employ a targeted approach that tailors outreach to each language community and refrain from one size fits all approach.

