

# **Our latest COVID-19** research findings and insights

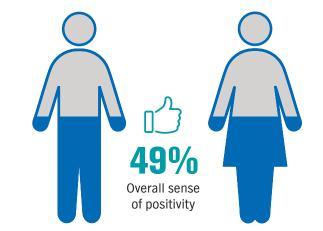
Members' views on the vaccine and return to the workplace

## **The COVID-19 Vaccine**

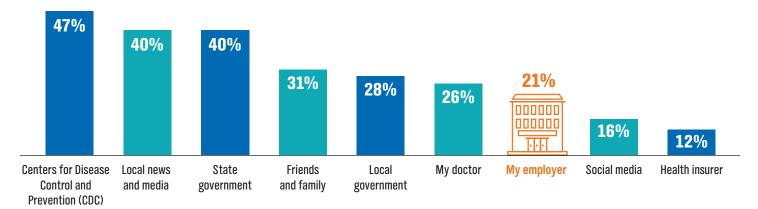
How members feel about the COVID-19 vaccine<sup>1</sup>

25% Sense of relief, hope, and freedom

24% Safe and protected by the vaccine



#### Where members learn about the vaccine<sup>1</sup>



#### Most are willing to receive a seasonal booster<sup>1</sup>



Already vaccinated

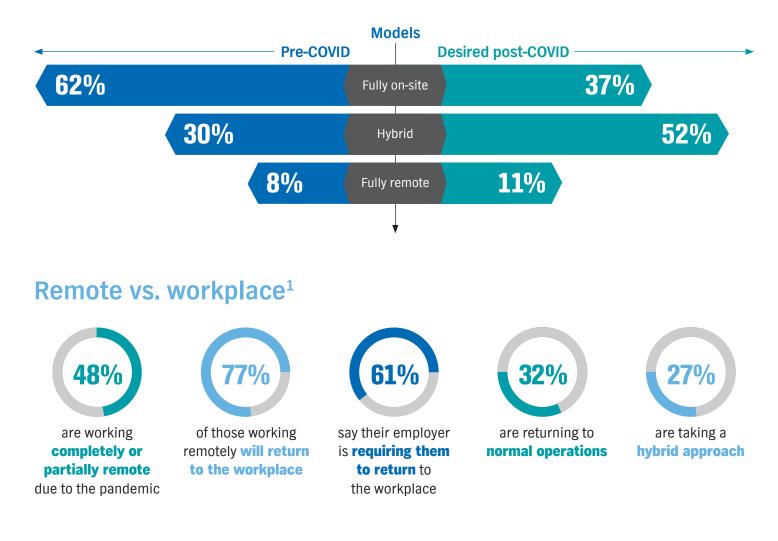




Planning vaccination



## More U.S. employees prefer a hybrid working model<sup>2</sup>



## **Easing the transition**

## Important considerations to help members feel comfortable returning to the workplace<sup>1</sup>

When asked what employer actions would make them more comfortable:



85% Hand-sanitizing stations



Mask requirement in the building



75%

Capacity requirements for meeting and break rooms



Added space between workstations



Mandatory COVID-19 vaccination









**63%** believe their employer should incentivize vaccinations<sup>1</sup>



### Tactics to increase employee comfort, based on industry<sup>1</sup>



For the latest COVID-19 vaccine information and care resources, visit empireblue.com/coronavirus or talk to your Empire representative.



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1 Empire MSI: Facilitated COVID19 Member Vaccine Survey, Wave 3, April 2021. 2 Andrea Alexander, McKinsey & Company: ReImagining the Post Pandemic Workforce (accessed April 2021): mckinsey.com.

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