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Why I chose to vaccinate.....



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HEALTH**

South Africa, as part of the Global Community, has not been spared from the negative impact of the ruthless COVID-19. As a country we are sitting at 2.91 million infections with a mortality of 88 466. COVID-19 have impacted every sector of the society and contrary to the initial observations, worse, it affects even newborn babies due to changing strains.

Impacts of COVID-19:

- Children left orphaned, spouses lost their loved ones and parents lost their children.
- Industries lost the skills and the expertise.
- Children could not attend school properly.
- Industries lost income and profit - complete closure of businesses.
- Employees lost their jobs.
- Sporting activities closed and fans barred from attending games.
- Concerts barred and thus artists cannot perform.

All these effects of COVID-19, have a direct impact on the economy. It has been even worse for our country with a struggling economy prior pandemic. This has deepened our economic problems even further.

I chose to vaccinate because:

- I need to protect my family, neighbours, friends, colleagues and the entire community from this ruthless pandemic.
- I want children to resume their studies without disturbance.
- I want to preserve the skills and the expertise in our work environment by saving people from infection.
- I want sporting activities to return to normal.
- I want industries to reopen and gain their economic momentum.
- I want the concerts and live performance activities to reopen.



The main purpose of the vaccine is to preserve life and it is only when life is well preserved that we could go back to our normal daily lives without any fear. This will lead to economic recovery whereby firms will reopen; some will get back their jobs and new jobs may even be created. This will assist in reducing the unemployment rate which is directly linked to poverty.

**For the sake of our lives, our children's
future and our economy let us all
go and vaccinate for COVID-19.**

#Vaccine a Global Solution for COVID-19

