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Cumberland County Department of Health Announces Pfizer Boosters for Individuals who are 65 and older or at High-Risk for COVID-19 Infection and Transmission

CUMBERLAND COUNTY, NJ (9/9/2021) – The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has announced that the Pfizer vaccine has been approved for booster doses for certain individuals at least 6 months after completion of the primary series starting September 24, 2021. The eligible groups include:

- people 65 years and older and residents in long-term care settings;
- people age 50–64 years with [underlying medical conditions](#);
- people age 18–49 years with [underlying medical conditions](#) based on their individual benefits and risks, and
- people aged 18-64 years who are at increased risk for COVID-19 exposure and transmission because of occupational or institutional settings, including healthcare workers, based on their individual benefits and risks.

Both the Pfizer vaccine and the Moderna vaccine are approved for a third dose for individuals who are immunocompromised.

Currently, a booster dose has not been approved for the Johnson & Johnson vaccine. Individuals who received a Johnson & Johnson vaccine should wait for more information to come out about their booster dose.

Joesph Derella, Director of the Cumberland County Board of Commissioners, is urging everyone who is eligible to receive a booster shot to take immediate advantage of this opportunity stating, “It is extremely important for individuals at high risk to receive booster shots to minimize the potential of severe illness from break through COVID infections.”

Carol Musso, Commissioner Liaison to the County Department of Health, is encouraging those who have not received their first or second vaccinations to be vaccinated as soon as possible stating, “Rising COVID-19 infection rates in our region make it critically important that everyone who can be vaccinated do so as soon as possible.”



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The Cumberland County Department of Health is prepared to vaccinate all individuals who need either a first, second, or booster dose of any COVID-19 vaccine. Vaccination clinics will be held throughout the county for convenience of the community.

MOBILE Clinic dates and times (walk-up, no appointment required):

- Tuesday, September 28th, 2021 12:00 PM – 7:00 PM. Memorial High School (maintenance building parking lot) located at 625 North 7th Street, Millville.
- Thursday, September 30th, 2021 12:00 PM – 6:00 PM. Lakeside Middle School (parking lot) located at 2 Sharp Street, Millville.

CCDOH Office Clinic dates and times (appointments required):

- Wednesday, September 29th, 2021 3:30 PM – 6:00 PM. FamCare Building located at 30 Magnolia Avenue, Bridgeton.
- Monday, October 4th, 2021 1:00 PM – 6:00 PM. Cumberland County Fire Training Center located at 634 Vineland Avenue, Bridgeton.
- Friday, October 15th, 2021 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM. CCDOH located at 1 East Vine Street, Millville.
- Thursday, October 28th, 2021 1:00 PM – 6:00 PM. Cumberland County Fire Training Center located at 634 Vineland Avenue, Bridgeton.

Appointments are not required for Mobile Vaccination Clinics. Appointments are required for Cumberland County Department of Health office clinics. To schedule your appointment, please visit www.cumberlandcountynjvaccination.org. Remember to bring your Vaccination Record Card with you to the appointment.

When scheduling via the Cumberland County Department of Health website, it's important to click on the vaccine appointment that matches what your individual need is.

Options include:

- Moderna Booster
- Pfizer Booster
- Moderna
- Pfizer
- Johnson & Johnson

If you were vaccinated by the Cumberland County Department of Health previously, you can use the same email address to register.



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All vaccination clinics will offer 1st, 2nd, and booster doses to the public. Moderna, Pfizer, and Johnson & Johnson vaccines are available. COVID-19 vaccinations are safe and effective at preventing illness as well as severe COVID-19 and death. COVID-19 vaccines are always free regardless of insurance or immigration status.

For more information and to find more information about Booster Doses, please visit our Facebook page www.facebook.com/CCDOH or our website www.ccdoh.org.

Questions? Contact us at (856) 327-7602 or e-mail: cumberlandcovid@ccdoh.org. The Cumberland County Department of Health knows that scheduling an appointment online may present a challenge for some individuals in our county. Individuals who live in Cumberland County and are over 60 and/or disabled without internet access can contact the Office on Aging for assistance at (856) 453-2220. For those who have transportation issues, contact the Cumberland Area Transit System (CATS) at (856) 691-7799.

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