COVID-19 VACCINE



WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR THE COVID-19 VACCINE RIGHT NOW? WHAT DOES 1B MEAN?

Priority 1b Population Description:

Persons that have been disproportionately affected by COVID-19 and frontline workers with higher risk of exposure due to inability to work remotely and proximity to coworkers or the public.

- Age 65 or older
- Frontline essential worker (Below are examples of frontline workers within the eligible categories for Phase 1b.)
 - ° First responders Fire, law enforcement, 911 worker, security personnel, school officer
 - Education K-12 teacher, school administrator, student support staff, student aide, day care worker and center-based childcare provider, home visiting provider, early intervention therapists, Head Start/Early Head Start provider, Preschool for All provider
 - ° Food and agriculture Processing plants, veterinary health, livestock services, animal care
 - Manufacturing Industrial production of goods for distribution to retail, wholesale, or other manufacturers
 - ^o Corrections workers and incarcerated individuals Correctional officer and staff, jail officer and staff, juvenile facility staff, a worker providing in-person support or services, incarcerated individuals
 - ° United States Postal Service workers
 - Public transit worker Flight crew, bus driver, train conductor, taxi driver, para-transit driver, in-person support, ride sharing service driver
 - ° Grocery store worker Bagger, cashier, stocker, pickup, customer service
 - Shelters and adult day care staff Homeless shelter, women's shelter, adult day/drop-in program, sheltered workshop

For further information, see the CDC link here: <u>https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/categories-essential-workers.html</u>