

COVID-19 VACCINE UPDATE

Ohio County Healthcare designated by state to begin administering 1b COVID-19 vaccinations.

Hartford, Ky (Feb. 11, 2021) – As announced by the Governor’s office today, Ohio County Healthcare (OCH) has been designated as a COVID-19 vaccination site under the state’s new vaccination infrastructure plan. Beginning next week, OCH will administer first doses of the Moderna vaccination to individuals on the Ohio County waiting list who are classified as Tier 1a or 1b according to state guidelines.

Ohio County Hospital
1211 Old Main Street
Hartford, KY 42347

**Ohio County Family Care
& Quick Care**
20 E McMurtry Avenue
Hartford, KY 42347

**Ohio County Family Care
Beaver Dam**
1313 N Main Street
Beaver Dam, KY 42320

Fordsville Area Medical Clinic
44 W Main Street
Fordsville, KY 42343

Butler County Family Care
210 N Main Street
Morgantown, KY 42261

Ohio County Specialty Care
1215 Old Main Street
Hartford, KY 42347

112 East McMurtry Avenue
Hartford, KY 42347

2200 East Parrish
Bldg. B LL104
Owensboro, KY 42303

“This is an important next step in protecting some of the most vulnerable in our community,” states Blaine Pieper, CEO. “Over the last six weeks, we have administered over 1400 initial and booster doses to the 1a phase of healthcare workers, first responders, and other community partners. We are thankful that we can now begin to offer that same level of protection to additional community members in the 1b and 1c populations. This is an important next step in stemming the spread of the COVID-19 virus.”

Individuals who are currently registered on the Ohio County wait list will begin receiving calls to schedule appointments as early as Friday, February 12th. Appointments will be scheduled in the order that calls were initially received. Vaccinations will be administered at Ohio County Hospital in the front lobby area. The date and time of appointments will be communicated on an individual basis during the scheduling call. Online scheduling is also anticipated to be made available in the coming weeks.

Ohio County will continue to receive weekly allocations of vaccine as supplies are available. Citizens of the Ohio, Butler, and McLean County communities are encouraged to call 270-215-9082 to be added to the wait list or register online at OCHcares.com. 1c individuals are welcome to register with the understanding that priority scheduling will be given to the 1b population.

Ohio County Healthcare has worked closely with county and state officials to ensure that vaccinations would be made available to the communities we serve. We extend our sincere appreciation for the efforts put forth from the Ohio County Judge Executive’s office, Comcare Ambulance Service, Kentucky Hospital Association, Kentucky Dept. of Public Health, and the Governor’s office to ensure vaccination availability on a local level.

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