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COVID-19 Vaccination Clinics

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The Genesee Orleans County Health Departments (GCHD/OCHD) uses 4 types of documents to provide important information to medical and public health professionals, and to other interested persons.

Health Alerts convey information of the highest level of importance which warrants immediate action or attention from New York health providers, emergency responders, public health agencies, and/or the public.

Health Advisories provide important information for a specific incident or situation, including that impacting neighboring states; may not require immediate action.

Health Guidance contain comprehensive information pertaining to a particular disease or condition, and include recommendations, guidelines, etc. endorsed by GCHD/OCHD.

Health Updates provide new or updated information on an incident or situation; can also provide information to update a previously sent Health Alert, Health Advisory, or Health Guidance; unlikely to require immediate action.

This week, Genesee and Orleans County Health Departments (GO Health) are hosting COVID-19 vaccination clinics at their respective health departments. For the first time, each clinic will offer all three vaccines, Pfizer, Moderna and Johnson & Johnson (J&J). The Pfizer vaccine is available for anyone 12 years of age and older and the J&J and Moderna vaccine is available for anyone 18 years of age and older. J&J is one dose and Moderna and Pfizer are two doses.

Genesee County will hold their vaccination clinic on Wednesday, June 30th from 1:30p.m.-3:30p.m. at 3837 West Main Street Road in Batavia. Orleans County will hold their clinic on Thursday, July 1st from 1:30p.m.-3:30p.m. at 14016 State Route 31, Suite 101. Both clinics are available for walk-ins and registration. If you are interested in making an appointment, visit the GO Health website at <https://gohealthny.org/covid-19-vaccine-information/>.

“We want to continue to provide opportunities for our residents to get vaccinated as we try to increase vaccination rates for each county,” stated Paul Pettit, Public Health Director for GO Health. “According to the Finger Lakes Vaccine Hub, Orleans County is currently at 51.2% and Genesee County is at 55.6% of population (12+) with at least one dose. Our goal is to vaccinate as many residents as possible.”

If you are a business/church/organization that is interested in hosting a vaccination clinic, please fill out the survey and one of our staff members will be in contact with you. <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/GOHealthPopUpVaccineClinic>.

For those who are seeking testing, both health departments provide free rapid testing for those without symptoms at the respective Health Departments. For Genesee County, a rapid test drive-through clinic is scheduled for June 30th from 10:00a.m.-10:30a.m. at County Building #2, 3837 West Main St. Road, Batavia. For Orleans County, a rapid test clinic is scheduled for July 1st 10:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m. at the Orleans County Health Department at 14016 Rt. 31 West, Albion. Registration is required. To register for testing for the Genesee Test Clinic:

“Healthy People in a Healthy Community”

<http://bit.ly/GeneseeTests>. To register for the Orleans Test Clinic:
<https://bit.ly/OCHDRapidTest>.

For COVID-19 inquiries, those that do not have internet, vaccine/testing registration assistance and questions related to testing and vaccines, please call (585) 344-2580 ext.5559 for Genesee County and (585) 589-2762 for Orleans County.

For more information about the COVID-19 vaccine, visit the GO Health website at www.GOHealthNY.org and follow us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/GOHealthNY>.