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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 contains comprehensive information pertaining to a particular disease or condition, and includes 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.

COVID-19 Update – Back- to-School Pop-up Clinics

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

GO Health Departments will be on the road with Back-to-School Pop-up Clinics the week of August 9th across Genesee and Orleans Counties. The Pfizer vaccine will be offered at the clinics, which is approved for everyone 12 years of age and older. COVID-19 vaccines are both safe and effective.

“The Back-to-School Pop-up Vaccine Clinics are a great way for our youth and young adults 12 years of age and older to conveniently get the vaccine before school starts,” stated Paul Pettit, Public Health Director for GO Health.

Each clinic is open to the public and walk-ins will be accepted. Appointments are strongly encouraged and can be made via the links listed below. Anyone under the age of 18 must have a parent or guardian with them to receive the vaccine. The second dose of the vaccine will be offered three weeks after the first shot at the same school during the same time.

“It is important for all that are currently eligible to get their vaccine now to ensure we have the best protection and are successful in having in-person learning this school year,” stated Pettit. “Getting vaccinated against COVID-19 is the most effective way to protect yourself and others. Vaccinated individuals continue to represent a very small amount of the total cases and current transmission rates so we need to continue to get as many people vaccinated as possible.”

“Healthy People in a Healthy Community”

Monday 8/9/21	Pembroke Junior/Senior High School 8750 Alleghany Road Corfu, NY 14036	9:00-11:00AM	http://bit.ly/Pfizer1Pembroke
	LeRoy Wolcott Street School 2 Trigon Park Le Roy, NY 14482	2:30-4:30PM	http://bit.ly/Pfizer1LeRoy
Tuesday 8/10/21	Medina High School 2 Mustang Drive Medina, NY 14103	9:30-11:30AM	http://bit.ly/Pfizer1Medina
	Byron-Bergen Jr/Sr HS Cafeteria 6917 W Bergen Road Bergen, NY 14416	2:30-4:30PM	http://bit.ly/Pfizer1BB
Wednesday 8/11/21	Notre Dame High School 73 Union Street Batavia, NY 14020	9:00-11:00AM	http://bit.ly/Pfizer1NotreDame
	Genesee County Health Dept. 3837 W Main Street Rd. Batavia, NY 14020	1:30-3:30PM	https://gohealthny.org/
Thursday 8/12/21	Albion: Charles D'Amico High School 302 East Ave Albion, NY 14411	9:00-11:00AM	http://bit.ly/Pfizer1Albion
	Orleans County Health Dept. 14016 NY-31, Suite 101 Albion, NY 14411	1:30-3:30PM	https://gohealthny.org/