

Vaccination — Bring it on!

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PA. COVID-19 Vaccine Information

COVID-19 VACCINATION PHASES IN PENNSYLVANIA

Phase 1A

- Long-term care facility residents
- Health care personnel including, but not limited to:
 - Emergency medical service personnel
 - Nurses
 - Nursing assistants
 - Physicians
 - Dentists
 - Dental hygienists
 - Chiropractors
 - Therapists
 - Phlebotomists
 - Pharmacists
 - Technicians
 - Pharmacy technicians
 - Health professions students and trainees
 - Direct support professionals
 - Clinical personnel in school settings or correctional facilities
 - Contractual HCP not directly employed by the health care facility
 - Persons not directly involved in patient care but potentially exposed to infectious material that can transmit disease among or from health care personnel and patients

Phase 1B

- People ages 75 and older
- People in congregate settings not otherwise specified as LTCF and persons receiving home and community-based services
- First responders
- Correctional officers and other workers serving people in congregate care settings not included in Phase 1A
- Food and agricultural workers
- U.S. Postal Service workers
- Manufacturing workers
- Grocery store workers
- Education workers
- Clergy and other essential support for houses of worship
- Public transit workers
- Individuals caring for children or adults in early childhood and adult day programs

Phase 1C

- People ages 65-74
- People aged 16-64 with high risk conditions causing increased risk for severe disease
- Essential workers in these sectors:
 - Transportation and logistics
 - Water and wastewater
 - Food service
 - Housing construction
 - Finance, including bank tellers
 - Information technology
 - Communications
 - Energy, including nuclear reactors
 - Legal services
 - Federal, state, county and local government workers, including county election workers, elected officials and members of the judiciary and their staff
 - Media
 - Public safety
 - Public health workers

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