



COVID-19 VACCINATION UPDATE

Marc's Pharmacy is pleased to announce that we are participating in the COVID-19 Phase 1B vaccination program being conducted by the Ohio Department of Health. We are actively working through the State's latest guidance and will be prepared to begin scheduling qualified Ohio residents soon (check back daily).

Ohio Department of Health Timeline for Vaccine Administration.

Phase 1A (currently active) includes those below who choose to be vaccinated:

- Healthcare workers and personnel who are routinely involved in the care of COVID-19 patients.
- Residents and staff in nursing homes.
- Residents and staff in assisted living facilities.
- Patients and staff at state psychiatric hospitals.
- People with developmental disabilities and those with mental health disorders, including substance use disorders, who live in group homes, residential facilities, or centers, and staff at those locations.
- Residents and staff at our two state-run homes for Ohio veterans.
- EMS responders.

Phase 1B starting January 19th

Vaccinations in Phase 1B are expected to begin the week of January 19th. Governor DeWine announced a tiered system for offering vaccinations to the estimated 2.2 million people who are eligible for the vaccine under this phase, beginning with those who are 80 or older. When a new age group begins, vaccinations may not be complete for the previous age group. It will take a number of weeks to distribute all of the vaccine given the limited doses available.

- The week of Jan. 19th: Ohioans 80 years of age and older.
- The week of Jan. 25th: Ohioans 75 years of age and older; those with severe congenital, developmental, or early-onset medical disorders.
- The week of Feb. 1st: Ohioans 70 years of age and older; employees of K-12 schools that wish to remain or return to in-person or hybrid models.
- The week of Feb. 8th: Ohioans 65 years of age and older.

We strongly encourage all Ohio residents that are able to get vaccinated to do so. When the time comes for your population to get vaccinated, use the Marc's COVID-19 scheduler to schedule your appointment. Vaccine and appointment availability is limited so check back frequently. We will continue to provide updates on the COVID-19 vaccine as more information becomes available.