



ADPH OPENS APPOINTMENTS FOR SENIORS (75 AND OLDER) TO GET COVID VACCINE, BEGINNING JANUARY 18

Governor Kaye Ivey and the Alabama Department of Public Health announced today (1.8.2021) Seniors (75 and older) can make appointments to get the Covid vaccine beginning January 18. First responders, including law enforcement, are also eligible.

Here's What You Need to Do

Schedule Your Appointment Now: First Come, First Served

Contact the COVID-19 Vaccine Scheduling Hotline: [855.566.5333](tel:855.566.5333)

The hotline is open from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. seven days a week.

No vaccine will be provided at any site without an appointment first. Specific information, such as what to bring and what to wear, will be provided when appointments are made.

*** Due to massive call volume, ADPH states to expect the busy signal. You are encouraged to try and call again later if this occurs. (The hotline has received over 338,000 calls within the first few hours of operation.)

If Seniors want to be vaccinated at a site other than those listed, such as a private provider, contact those sites directly.

Mobile Locations – Must Schedule Appointment Through Covid Hotline

- FOPHC - Women's Health - N. Bayou St.

- Infirmery Health - Mobile Infirmery
- Mainstreet Family Care - Mobile
- Providence Hospital
- Semmes Pharmacy
- Springhill Memorial Hospital
- USA Children's & Women's Hospital
- USA Health University Hospital

Link to Site Locations Here:

<https://www.alabamapublichealth.gov/covid19/assets/adph-covid19-vaccination-providers.pdf>

Link to Full Press Release Here:

<https://www.alabamapublichealth.gov/news/2021/01/08.html>

General ADPH Information Here:

<https://www.alabamapublichealth.gov/covid19/vaccine.html>

CDC Information on Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine:

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/different-vaccines/Pfizer-BioNTech.html>

CDC Information on Moderna Vaccine:

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/different-vaccines/Moderna.html>

FYI...

VIA CENTER WORKING ON POTENTIALLY SERVING AS A PUBLIC VACCINE SITE FOR SENIORS

We have heard from our members and our community's Seniors that they are ready to be vaccinated! We have reached out to the Mobile County Covid Response Team, the Mobile City Council, the Mobile County Commission and the Mobile County Health Department indicating we would like to serve as a drive-through distribution site.

Currently, the site selection for *public distribution* is “in process” for these types of sites. We have submitted a proposal to be considered during this planning process. We know how important this is; if we can serve as a site, we will.

STIMULUS PAYMENTS DELIVERED THROUGH AN ECONOMIC PAYMENT (EIP) CARD

Instead of direct deposit or paper check, you may be getting your funds through an EIP card. Many have already received their \$600 stimulus check through the CARES Act. However, 8 million stimulus payments will now be paid on EIP cards, which is a pre-paid debit card.

Track Your Payment

You can track where your second stimulus payment/EIP card is through the IRS website. You will be asked to enter your 1) Social Security Number or Individual Tax ID Number 2) Date of Birth and 3) Address.

Tracking Website: <https://sa.www4.irs.gov/irfof-wmsp/notice;jsessionid=P-Z4DrRoRAmqd3yEGHPNFN2.6a>

This site is a secure site and is part of the IRS

Activate Your EIP Card

EIP Website to Activate Card: <https://www.eipcard.com/>

This site is a secure site and is part of the U.S. Department of Treasury