

Marion County Press Release

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RE: Vaccination Clinic Schedule Week for April 5-10

Marion County Public Health Department Provides Update

(Knoxville, IA) – Marion County Public Health is hosting COVID-19 Vaccination Clinics at the following times and locations:

FIRST DOSE ONLY CLINICS:

Tuesday, April 6, 2021 from 9:00 am – 4:00 pm at Marion County Public Health Department, 2003 North Lincoln, Knoxville

Thursday, April 8, 2021 from 9:00-4:00 at Marion County Public Health Department, 2003 North Lincoln, Knoxville

Click this link to schedule <https://login.nowaitinside.com/#/booking/6o1g26EfKO9yh9tkrs0ydhyV>

Wednesday, April 7, 2021 from 1:00-4:30 at the Pleasantville Fire Station Iowa.

Click this link to schedule: <https://login.nowaitinside.com/#/booking/YI1j5SGcP1VmFBW1gh4UCSP1>

These clinics are PRIME DOSE MODERNA (first dose) clinic, only for those who live or work in Marion County who qualify. Only first doses will be provided at these clinics. All who live or work in Marion County and are listed in the governor's announcements will qualify, however, MCPHD reserves the right to prioritize doses based on need. Bring your state issued identification. If you do not live in Marion, bring documentation (pay stub, letter, name tag, other item) that demonstrates you work in Marion County.

While it may be reported that counties, including Marion, are receiving allocations of J&J, it is important for the public to take the vaccine that is available at the various providers, and not "shop" for a particular vaccine type. When MCPHD has J&J vaccine, it is for a specific use with a specific population. Closed, non-public, clinics are scheduled for those designated populations when J&J vaccine is available. MCPHD has finished offering to manufacturing who work in congregate environments and are unable to properly socially distance. Any employees who missed those clinics can sign up for any public clinic at the following links. They will receive Moderna. Other state priorities for J&J include colleges and university students who will leave campus at the end of the term. College and University employees and students who will remain on campus for the summer should wait until students leaving campus are completed, and may need to attend a clinic with Moderna. The final prioritization group for J&J are those who are at high risk, hard to reach, and hard to follow up populations. Individuals who live in their own homes, are able to drive, are mostly able to meet their own needs, should attend public clinics that are offered each week, accepting the vaccine that is available (Moderna).

SECOND DOSE ONLY CLINIC:

Saturday, April 10, 2021 Dyer Hudson Hall on the Marion County fairgrounds in Knoxville.

Second dose clinic is for those who received first dose with Marion County Public Health. Those who are due for second dose from MCPHD will receive a text message when they are due for the second dose with instructions.

- Bring your vaccination Card (second dose only)

For assistance with scheduling an appointment call 641-828-2238. Once all appointments are filled a notification will be posted onto the following websites: <https://www.facebook.com/MarionCountyIAResponsetoCOVID19> , <https://www.facebook.com/marioncountya> , <https://www.facebook.com/MarionCountyPublicHealthIowa> , <https://marionph.org/covid-19-information/> .

A schedule of clinic dates and locations will be released on Monday's at the following location: <https://www.facebook.com/MarionCountyIAResponsetoCOVID19> .

Media inquiries should be directed to Kim Dorn via phone at 641-828-2238x3850, or email at covid-19@marioncountyiowa.gov Monday – Friday from 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM.

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