

# COVID-19 Vaccine Administration

Dignity Health Medical Group – Bakersfield started patient vaccinations on January 25th. We are vaccinating our medical group patients according to vaccine supply and local federal and state guidelines. **Patients must have an appointment before coming to the vaccination location.**

## What You Need To Know (updated February 4, 2021):

**We have a limited number of vaccine appointments.**

### Current Vaccination Group

- We have a limited number of vaccine appointments available and we are prioritizing patients in accordance with guidelines from health agencies.
- We are now vaccinating established patients who are **age 65 and older**. Other groups will follow according to federal and state guidelines.
- At this time, we are unable to give vaccinations to community members who are not established patients\*.

### How It Will Work

- To get a COVID-19 vaccination, our eligible patients as noted above, will need to make an appointment by calling 661.412.0041.
- If you call, we humbly ask for extra patience as call volumes will be extreme.

### Vaccination Details

- No vaccinations will be given without a scheduled appointment.

- When scheduling, patients will be given a time to arrive and all the information they need to receive their vaccination. Hours are subject to change, so they are not posted here.
- Our vaccination site is 3838 San Dimas, A-200. **Please do not come without an appointment.**
- We are committed to distributing vaccines as equitably and broadly as possible in accordance with prioritization guidelines from health agencies.

### What is Next

- We will continue to post updates on this website, including if and when we are able to offer appointments to more age groups.
- We hope to rapidly scale the deployment of the vaccine and expand it to a larger number of patients as soon as possible.

*\*If you are not a patient of Dignity Health Medical Group – Bakersfield, please contact your local county public health department for updates.*