

JASPER COUNTY

HEALTH DEPT.

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RE: Phase 1a for COVID vaccine - Jasper County Healthcare workers

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Jasper County Health Department has partnered with Mercy One Newton, Newton Clinic, and Newton Medicap Pharmacy to distribute the COVID-19 vaccine based on availability by priority groups in Jasper County. Mercy One Newton will be administering the COVID vaccine for their employees in a closed POD (point of dispensing). Long term care facilities in Jasper County will be receiving their doses directly from the State.

PHASE- 1a: The first phase and current phase is group 1a includes healthcare personnel and long-term care residents. IDPH is requiring that we only do phase 1a at this time. A second dose of COVID vaccine will be required in 28 days from the first dose.

Work Group Proposed Interim Phase 1 Sequence

	Phase 1c Adults with high -risk medical conditions Adults 65+	
	Phase 1b Essential workers (examples: Education Sector, Food & Agriculture, Utilities, Police, Firefighters, Corrections Officers, Transportation)	
Phase 1a Health care personnel LTCF residents		

Source: CDC

HEALTHCARE PERSONNEL

Newton Clinic and Newton Medicap Pharmacy will be giving the Moderna, COVID-19 vaccine to eligible healthcare workers, **hopefully starting 12/22/2020** when they may receive the vaccine. If the vaccine shipment is delayed, we will send out a notification and post on our Facebook page.

Healthcare workers should bring the following items:

- Badge or letter from a healthcare employer
- Insurance card

The following location will be administering the vaccine when it becomes available to each priority group:

Newton Clinic: walk-in 7:30-4:30 PM, Monday to Friday, 9-11 AM on Saturdays

Medicap: must schedule and complete paperwork online, times 9:30 AM - 4:45 PM

Click the link to schedule: <https://hipaa.jotform.com/203496424890159>

Mercy One Newton: employees and contracted staff ONLY