

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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COVID-19 Vaccination Announcement – First Dose Only

Hendry County — The Department of Health in Hendry County will receive a limited allotment of COVID-19 Vaccines and will now accept pre-registrations by using the new online registration system. Please do not call the direct phone number for the Health Department. You must use the online registration system listed below.

Individuals can now pre-register to "get in line" and will be notified with available appointment time. Visit https://myvaccine.fl.gov/ or call 866-201-6745. If you call the phone number, you still need to go online to "pre-register".

Print or take a photo of your pre-registration confirmation to bring with you and also visit www.preparehendry.com to download a consent form that is required to receive your vaccine. You must wait until you are notified of your appointment time. Your pre-registration is not your appointment. All clients receiving a vaccine must be registered.

The Health Department will be following the Governor's Executive Order 20-315.

COVID-19 vaccine shall only be given to the following populations (Must have proper ID):

- · Long-term care facility residents and staff
- Persons 65 years of age and older
- Health care personnel with direct patient contact

The Health Department will also be following the State Surgeon General's <u>Public Health Advisory</u>, which requires every vaccine provider in Florida to ensure every recipient is either a resident of Florida or is a frontline healthcare worker providing services in Florida.

Florida Residency Requirements:

 Valid Florida Driver License or Florida Identification Card OR

Two of the following items:

- A deed, mortgage, monthly mortgage statement, mortgage payment booklet or residential rental or lease agreement. (Copies of deeds can be found on the County Property Appraiser website)
- A utility bill or utility connection/work order that is not more than 2 months old.
- Mail from a bank or other financial institution, including checking, savings, or investment account statements, that is not more than 2 months old.
- Mail from a government agency that is not more than 2 months old. (Mail from a government agency can
 include tax bills showing a Florida address. Tax bills can be found on the County Property Appraiser
 website).

By appointment only: Pre-register to "get in line" to receive notification of your vaccine appointment by visiting https://myvaccine.fl.gov/.

- Location: Hendry County Health Department
 1140 Pratt Blvd. <u>LaBelle</u>, FL 33935
 Wednesday, February 10, 2021 from 8:30 a.m. to Noon
- Location: Hendry County Health Department
 1100 S. Olympia, <u>Clewiston</u>, FL 33440
 Thursday, February 11, 2021 from 8:30 a.m. to Noon