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INTRODUCTION

Thanks for taking the time to find more information about how you can do your part and get the COVID-19 vaccine! Truly, I can’t think of a more pressing or important issue for our industry than ensuring everyone in our communities is vaccinated and able to safely enjoy food and drinks at our bars and restaurants. By stepping forward and getting vaccinated, you are not only ensuring your safety, you are protecting your family, friends and community. And, for that, I am so proud of you.

Right now, it’s still fairly unclear when hospitality workers will be invited to get a vaccine, but we do have some information compiled here including where each state is in the process, which group hospitality workers fall into and volunteer opportunities where they exist. As we move through the vaccination stage, we will continue to update this guide and are actively seeking out volunteers from each state to step up and offer their journalistic skills to keep their community informed. If you would like to be the designated researcher for your state or county, email us at vaccinateresearch@pdxcw.com.

It should go without saying that no one on the Lush Life team is a medical or public health professional, and the information here may be inaccurate or out of date. So, please be patient with us as we do our best to keep track of the work being done in each state.

We know that we can move past this pandemic and back towards some semblance of normality if we can just encourage our communities to get vaccinated. Thank you for your committee to your health and the safety of your community.

Stay healthy, safe and vigilant in these last days pre-vaccine,

- Lindsey
Q: How does the vaccine work?
A: The two currently available are both mRNA vaccines - they are very simple because all they make are the spike proteins that look like the outside of the virus. Your immune system learns from these proteins so it can detect and eliminate the virus earlier/faster if you come in contact with it. For more information, visit the CDC.

Q: Why do I need to get vaccinated?
A: We’re going to level with you. COVID-19 is a deadly and difficult virus. If you don’t end up on a ventilator, you may still lose your ability to taste and smell. You may permanently damage your lungs. And, almost certainly, you will pass the virus to someone else. Getting this vaccine ensures you are safeguarded against the disease, and you are helping our entire society reopen. It is imperative that we all do our part and get vaccinated at our earliest opportunity.

Q: Will I be charged for a COVID-19 vaccine?
A: The vaccine is FREE for everyone. But, if you have insurance (private, Medicare, or Medicaid), bring your card. While you will not be charged, your state will use the funds the insurance companies provide to purchase more vaccines for your neighbors.

Q: Do I need to have insurance?
A: NO. You are not required to have insurance. But, you are encouraged to provide insurance information when you get your vaccine. Most insurance plans will cover the cost of the vaccine administration as preventative care. If you don’t have insurance, you will not be
charged. The provider will just need to submit a form to the government's Provider Relief Fund to get paid.

Q: Which vaccines are currently available?
A: Most states have the Pfizer and Moderna mRNA vaccines available today. These are both two shot vaccines, which means you will need to get your first shot and then return 3-4 weeks later (depending on the vaccine administered to you) to complete your vaccination.

Johnson & Johnson's vaccine may be available in February if it proves effective and safe.

Novavax is currently in clinical trials.

Q: What group am I in?
A: This is the big question! Honestly, it's hard to tell from most communication, but the CDC does classify hospitality workers as part of group 1C. But, as you'll find out, basically everything depends state to state.

In a number of states, there isn’t clear detail yet. We’ve included any available information about the food service workers' group in your state on the state's page.

Q: How do I prove I'm eligible?
A: You may be asked to prove eligibility for your group. If your state requires this proof, you can likely use a paystub or work ID along with your government issued ID (Driver’s License, Passport), but each state is different. So, check yours for their requirements.

At the end of this guide, you will also find a template for a letter your employer can provide if your state requires that as well!

Q: Is the Hospitality group the first that will get me vaccinated?
A: It depends. A number of states have health conditions and risk factors ahead of hospitality workers. If you have such risk factors, please check - you may already be eligible to register.
Q: What else can I do?
A: An option you may want to consider is enrolling in a current trial - a few vaccines are in phase 3 trials and you have a 50% chance of getting the actual vaccine. One such vaccine is Novavax.

Q: What should I bring to my vaccination appointment?
A: Every state is different, so check yours for official rules. But, generally, you'll need:
- Government Issued Photo ID (Driver’s License, Passport)
- Proof of Employment (if required)
- Insurance Card (if you have one)
- A Pen
- Easy-To-Remove Sleeve or Sleeveless Shirt

Q: What can I expect at my appointment?
A: When you arrive, someone is going to take your temperature and ask you if you’ve been sick recently. If your temperature is over 100.5F or 38C, you will not be admitted into most facilities. Hint: if this is a drive up facility, turn off your heater and roll down your windows while you’re waiting. This will keep your body temperature in the safe zone and will not delay you.

You will be asked to fill out some basic paperwork and verify your identity. Once you have your paperwork in order, you will be asked some screening questions. Next, you get vaccinated! You will be asked to stay 15-30 minutes post-vaccination to ensure you’re all right.

If you get the Moderna or Pfizer vaccines, you will need to return for a second shot in one month! THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT!
Q: Are the vaccines effective against the new strains found in the UK and South Africa?
A: Moderna just confirmed that they are!

Q: I don’t see the info I need!
A: This guide will be regularly updated, so refresh this link for the latest version. If you have the mental and emotional capacity to help our efforts, we are always looking for folx to lend their local expertise. This is a community effort that only works when we work together.
If you have questions - ask us, and we'll add what we can to this document. If you know something we should know, tell us so everyone else can know!
If you would like to volunteer to be the lead in your city, send us a note. We can use the help!

Q: How do I get updates for this PDF?
A: We plan to post updated versions of this guide at pdxcw.com/vaccine. Check the front page of the PDF to see the date your version was last edited.
To make sure you have the latest news from Lush Life (including updates to this PDF), we recommend signing up for our newsletter to stay up to date on all our work, including this guide.
Alabama is managing vaccination at the state level, so the contacts and details below are state-wide.

**STATE RESOURCES**

- [Vaccination Details](#)
- [Vaccine Allocation Plan (PDF)](#)
- [Distribution Dashboard](#)

**VACCINE CONTACTS**

- [Map of Vaccine Providers](#) (link at the bottom of screen)
- Information Hotline: 800-270-7268
- Scheduling Hotline: 855-566-5333

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Food Service workers are in Group 1C. Currently, there is no scheduled start date for this group.

As of publication, the state is in Group 1A, and expects to move to Group 1B soon.

Alabama is organizing vaccinations on the state level, and plans to make updates available on the [Vaccine Details](#) page. Once your group is able, call the [Scheduling Hotline](#) 8am to 5pm each day to make your appointment.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

You can volunteer to help the Alabama Department of Public Health by filling out this form.

To volunteer your help with the vaccination effort, email thresa.dix@adph.state.al.us with your contact information.

**USEFUL LINKS**

- Info on Upcoming Vaccine Clinics
- Additional doses allocated to Alabama
Alaska is managing vaccination at the state level, so the contacts and details below are state-wide.

STATE RESOURCES

Vaccine Stage Status
Scheduling (not all providers are using this site).
Full List of Providers
Distribution Dashboard

VACCINE CONTACTS

Alaska Vaccine Information: covid19vaccine@alaska.gov
Alaska Vaccine Appointment Hotline: 907-646-3322

PRIORITY GROUPING

Food service workers have not been explicitly placed into a group, but it may be Phase 1C or Phase 1B-3. We strongly suggest providing feedback to the state through this form to make sure it happens.

Alaska is currently in Phase 1A, and 1B Tier 1. Phase 1B Tiers 2-4 are next, but there is currently no timeline. We expect information about upcoming stages to be released on the Alaska Department of Health and Social Services website.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Alaska is generally looking for state emergency volunteers.
Sign up to help distribute the Covid Vaccine in Valdez by emailing: rcragun@valdezak.gov.

USEFUL LINKS

State Vaccine FAQ
Arizona is managing vaccination at the county level, so many contacts will vary by county. We are including state level and county level links where possible.

**VACCINE CONTACTS**

- State Covid Hotline - 844-542-8201
- State Vaccine Details
- List and map of vaccination sites by county
- Pima County Vaccine Scheduling
  Pima County Health Department: 520-724-7770
- Maricopa County Vaccine Scheduling
  Maricopa County Health Department: 602-506-3011
- Vaccine Scheduling for POD Locations - Maricopa Goodyear, Maricopa Chandler, and State Farm Stadium.

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Arizona food service workers are in Phase 1B. Employers are able to fill out this form to notify the states of their staff needs. Arizonans can find their county’s information in this PDF.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

**Arizona Emergency Volunteer Sign Up**
There are no current vaccine volunteering opportunities (that we can find!). If you know of any specific opportunities, send them our way so we can include them in this guide.

**USEFUL LINKS**

- Arizona Vaccination Plan
Arkansas is managing vaccination at the state level, so the contacts and details below are state-wide.

### VACCINE CONTACTS

- Arkansas Vaccination Plan and Detail website
- Department of Health email

### PRIORITY GROUPING

Food Service workers are in **Group 1C**. Arkansas expects to begin this group’s vaccination in **April**. As of publication, the state is in **Group 1B Tier 1**.

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

**SERV and MRC** Volunteer Programs are the primary ways to volunteer for vaccine distribution. Jefferson County is looking for Volunteers to help at the Pine Bluff Convention Center Site. Call (870) 730-2000, ext. 7 for more information on helping.

### USEFUL LINKS

- Arkansas Phase Guide

When you’re eligible, you can schedule a vaccine at [Walgreens](#) and [UAMS vaccination clinic](#) among others.
California is managing vaccination at the county level, so many contacts will vary by county. We are including state level and county level links where possible. Since there are 58 counties, we listed the 10 most populous on this page. You can also use [this state provided list](mailto:vaccinateresearch@pdxcw.com), which includes all the county portals.

**STATE & LOCAL RESOURCES**

Statewide Vaccination Guide  
List of All County Portals + Alert Sign-up  
LA County Info Hub  
LA County Vaccine Dashboard + Alert Sign-up  
San Diego County Info Hub  
San Diego County Vaccine Appointments  
Orange County Vaccine Tracker  
Orange County Vaccine Sign-up  
Riverside County Vaccine Portal  
Riverside County Vaccine Sign-up  
San Bernardino County Vaccine Portal  
San Bernardino County Vaccine Sign-up  
Santa Clara County Vaccine Portal + Sign-up  
Alameda County Vaccine Portal + Sign-up  
Sacramento County Vaccine Info (email)  
Contra Costa County Vaccine Provider List + Info  
San Francisco Vaccine Notification Sign-up

Would you like us to list your county’s info here? Let us know at vaccinateresearch@pdxcw.com
It is not yet determined which phase or group California food service workers will be in.

The Community Vaccine Advisory Committee which determines vaccine roll-out rules meets regularly, and is accepting comments from the public via email - we strongly encourage you to clearly communicate why Food Worker vaccinations are so important.

Each CA county has its own distribution plan based on CVAC findings, so it’s really important to make your voices heard at this level.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

State-wide volunteer portal
California Health Corps
OC Vaccine Volunteer Portal
Ventura County Vaccine Volunteer Portal
LA County Vaccine Volunteer Portal
San Bernardino County Vaccine Volunteer Portal
Santa Clara County COVID Volunteer Portal
Alameda County Vaccine Volunteer Portal
Contra Costa County Volunteer Portal

USEFUL LINKS

UCSF clinical trials
Colorado is managing vaccination at the state level, so the contacts and details below are state-wide.

STATE RESOURCES

Vaccination Dashboard and Details
Latest Vaccine Details

VACCINE CONTACTS

Information Hotline: 303-389-1687
Denver Public Health: 303-602-3700

PRIORITY GROUPING

Food Service workers are in Phase 2. Colorado expects to begin this group’s vaccination in the spring.
As of publication, the state is in Phase 1A + 1B

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

You can sign up to help the Colorado Volunteer Mobilizers.
This is a general form to sign up to volunteer, and currently has no connection to the vaccination process.
If you know of any special opportunities currently available, let us know and we’ll share it in the next version of this publication.

USEFUL LINKS

Colorado Vaccine FAQ
Connecticut is managing vaccination at the state level, so the contacts and details below are state-wide.

**STATE RESOURCES**

State Vaccination Roll-out Dashboard  
VAMS Enrollment for Employers  
VAMS for Eligible Individuals  
Connecticut Department of Public Health

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Connecticut Food Service Workers are in Phase 1B. The state expects to begin this group’s vaccination soon.

Phase 1B employers should sign up to include their employees in this round of vaccines through the VAMS portal or the Vaccine Clinics listed here. Eligible Independent Contractors can sign up themselves.

As of publication, the state is in Phase 1A and 75+ residents and expects to start scheduling for Phase 1B soon.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES AND TRIALS**

Connecticut COVID Vaccine Volunteer Sign Up  
Redding Health Department Volunteer Sign Up  
Yale Clinical Trials
Delaware is managing vaccination at the state level, so the contacts and details below are state-wide.

**STATE RESOURCES**

**Delaware Vaccine Information**

Vaccine Call Center at 1-833-643-1715 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, and from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Saturday. Or email Vaccine@delaware.gov.

Individuals with general questions about coronavirus can call 2-1-1 or for people who are deaf or hard of hearing, please text your ZIP code to 898-211.

For those with specific health-related questions, email us at DPHCall@delaware.gov.

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Right now, Delaware is in Phase 1B.

Food service workers are in ‘Remaining Group 1,’ which is set to begin in March 2021.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

Delaware Does More lists a number of volunteer opportunities including everything from mask making for healthcare workers to helping Meals on Wheels deliver supplies.

At the moment, there are not specific opportunities to volunteer in exchange for a vaccine.

**USEFUL DETAILS**

Delaware is in need of supplementary blood for their blood banks. If you can, schedule a donation here.

It is also worth noting that the wait times in Delaware have been excessively long. If you schedule an appointment, it is advisable to clear your schedule and be ready to wait!
Florida is managing vaccination on a mix of state, county, and city level, so many details will be local. We are including state and local level information where possible.

**STATE & LOCAL RESOURCES**

Find a Vaccine Center  
County Information Search  
General Information

**VACCINE EMAIL + PHONE**

Florida’s Patient Portal: 305-351-9531 or email  
24/7 Hotline: 866-779-6121 or email  
County Health Offices (email and phone):  
- Miami-Dade: 786-336-1437  
- Hillsborough (Tampa): 813-307-8074  
- Orange (Orlando): 407-858-1494  
- Broward (Ft. Lauderdale): 954-467-4700  
- Collier (Naples): 239-252-8200  
- Duval (Jacksonville): 904-253-1000  
- Escambia (Pensacola): 850-595-6700  
- Monroe (The Keys): 305-293-7500

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Let’s be honest. DeSantis has made exactly the kind of mess we all knew he would. Seemingly, Florida will put an end to vaccine tourism soon, and will be putting tighter constraints on who can get a vaccine and when. Having said that, with a little effort, we are fairly confident hospitality workers (or anyone with enough effort) can get vaccinated now. Currently, Florida says that they are only vaccinating healthcare workers and those over 65 years old, and there are seemingly no further communicated plans. We suggest creating an account at Patient Portal and checkingly daily to sign up.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

St. Augustine: If you are interested in helping out with COVID vaccine proliferation, there are a few opportunities through St. John’s. NOTE: Volunteering here does not ensure you will get vaccinated.
GEORGIA

Georgia is managing vaccination at the state level, so the contacts and details below are state-wide.

STATE RESOURCES

Vaccination Site Finder
Vaccination Plan
Vaccine Data Dashboard
Vaccination Dashboard

VACCINE CONTACTS

Georgia Department of Public Health:
COVID-19 Hotline: (888) 357-0169

PRIORITY GROUPING

Georgia does not currently indicate when Food Service Workers will be able to get a vaccine, but this group will likely fall into Phase 2 or 3. There is no current start date for these Phases. Georgia is currently in Phase 1-A+.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

You can sign up to help with the vaccination effort through Georgia Responds.
If you know of any other volunteer opportunities, please send them our way so we can include them in this guide.
Hawai’i is managing vaccination at the county level, so many contacts will vary by county. We are including state level and county level links where possible.

**VACCINE CONTACTS**

Hawai’i Department of Health: **808-586-4400**
- Vaccination Dashboard
- Vaccine Info
- Register for the Vaccine

Scheduling:
- O’ahu Pacific Health
- Kaua’i
- Maui
- Hawai’i

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Food service workers will likely be in Phase 1C or Phase 2.
Hawai’i is currently in Phase 1B and is looking to move to 1C in the Spring of 2021.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

At this time, we haven’t found any opportunities to volunteer in Hawai’i.
If you know of any other volunteer opportunities, please send them our way so we can include them in this guide.
Idaho is managing vaccination at the district level, so many contacts will vary by district. We are including state level and district level links where possible.

STATE RESOURCES

Idaho Vaccine FAQ
Idaho Vaccine Distribution Timeline
Idaho Vaccine Dashboard
Idaho Vaccine Dashboard 2

VACCINE CONTACTS

Idaho District Health Department Contacts

PRIORITY GROUPING

We were unable to find a specific mention of food service workers, but this group will likely fall into Group 3, which is expected to start at the end of March or Early April.

As of publication, the state is in Groups 1 and 2.

More information can be found on Idaho’s Vaccine Distribution Timeline.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Idaho Medical Reserve Corps is how Idaho recommends you volunteer.

We have not found any specific volunteer opportunities for vaccine distribution.

If you know of any other volunteer opportunities, please send them our way so we can include them in this guide.
Illinois is managing vaccination at the County and City level, so many contacts will vary by area. We are including state and local level information where possible.

**STATE & LOCAL RESOURCES**

- Illinois State Vaccination Dashboard
- Chi COVID Coach (including Vaccine Registration)
- Cook County Vaccine Portal
- Cook County Vaccine Update Signup
- DuPage County Vaccine Portal
- DuPage County Vaccine Update Signup
- Lake County Vaccine Portal
- Lake County County Vaccine Update Signup
- Will County Vaccine Portal
- Will County County Vaccine Update Signup

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Food Service workers are expected to be in Phase 1C, which is currently still in draft form.

As of publication, Illinois is between Phase 1A and 1B.

Chicago expects to start Phase 1B around January 25th, and 1C around March 29th.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Illinois Helps!
- Pait County Vaccination Clinic
Indiana is managing vaccination at the state level, so the contacts and details below are state-wide.

**STATE & LOCAL RESOURCES**

Vaccine Information  
Vaccine Dashboard  
Vaccination site map and portal

**VACCINE CONTACTS**

General questions about COVID-19 may be directed to:  
[IDOH Epidemiology Resource Center](https://www.in.gov/health/coronavirus/)  
Toll-Free Phone Number: [877-826-0011](tel:877-826-0011)

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

The vaccination of Hoosiers against COVID-19 has begun. Any Hoosier age 70 and older is now eligible to schedule a vaccination appointment, as are long-term care residents, first responders (fire, law enforcement, emergency medical services, reservists and volunteers) who have in-person contact with the public and licensed and unlicensed healthcare workers who have in-person contact with patients or infectious material in any healthcare setting.

Food Workers are slated to recieve vaccines in Phase 2 under the current vaccination plan. There is no scheduled date for Phase 2 to start yet.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

State Emergency Registry of Volunteers for Indiana.  
If you are not medically trained but want to be involved, there are still opportunities to help with registration and checking people in.
Iowa is managing vaccination at the County level, so many details will be local. We are including state and local level information where possible.

STATE & LOCAL RESOURCES

- Iowa Department of Public Health COVID-19 Vaccine Information
- Sign Up for Polk County (Des Moines)
- Linn County Vaccine Info
- Scott County Vaccine Info
- Dallas Count Vaccine Signup
- Story Vounty Vaccine info

VACCINE CONTACTS

- Iowa Department of Health: 515-281-7689
- COVID-19 Hotline: 211

PRIORITY GROUPING

Iowa is currently in Phase 1A and is scheduled to move to 1B on February 1st.

Food service workers will likely fall into Phase 1B Tier 2 or Phase 1C

To make sure this happens as early as possible, please email the director of Iowa’s Infectious Disease Advisory Council and make sure they know it’s critical to include food service workers in these early vaccination phases.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

- Keokuk County needs vaccine distribution volunteers
- Novavax trial volunteer
Kansas is managing vaccination at the county level, so many contacts will vary by county. We are including state level and county level links where possible.

**GOVERNMENT RESOURCES**

- Kansas COVID-19 Vaccine Information
- State Vaccine Dashboard
- State Prioritization Plan
- State Vaccine Finder
- Johnson County Vaccine Hub
- Johnson County Phase 2 Interest form
- Sedgwick County Vaccine Hub
- Shawnee County Vaccine Hub
- Shawnee County Phase 2 Interest Form

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Kansas Food Service Workers are expected to be in Phase 2, which has already started in many counties.

If you set up a MyChart with Kansas Health System, they will notify you when you can get your vaccine.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

- KC Covid Care Force
- Sedgwick County Volunteer Recruitment

If you know of any other volunteer opportunities, please send them our way so we can include them in this guide.
Food workers are in Phase 1C, which is set to begin on 2/1 Governor Beshear clarified in a press conference that hospitality workers are essential. Currently, Kentucky is still in Phase 1B, which is focused on vaccinating educators and first responders along with any person over the age of 65.

Kentucky invites citizens of the Commonwealth to volunteer in exchange for early access to a vaccine. After 40 hours, you will be invited to sign up for a vaccination. To volunteer, click here.

Sign up for details in Louisville here.
Louisiana is managing vaccination at the state level, so the contacts and details below are state-wide.

**STATE RESOURCES**

- Louisiana Vaccine Locations
- Louisiana Vaccination Plan
- New Orleans Vaccine Hub

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Food service workers will likely be in Phase 1C, as the state expects it will follow the evolving CDC guidelines.

At this time, they have not made public if they’re taking feedback from the community through a specific channel. We recommend contacting the Louisiana Health Department and the New Orleans Mayor’s office for more information and to advocate for hospitality workers.

Louisiana is currently in Phase 1B Tier 1.

The state expects to move into 1C in early 2021, but no specific date was found.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Ready NOLA Vaccine Volunteering

**USEFUL LINKS**

- Ongoing Vaccine Trials
- V-Safe After-Vaccine Health App.
  
Text COVIDNOLA to 888777 to receive alerts
Maryland Department of Health:
(410) 767-6500 | (877) 463-3464.

WE ARE IN PHASE 1A: Food Service is Phase 2.
Vaccine prioritization may be subject to change.
The state has adopted a rolling vaccine allocation model, meaning it may not wait for every member of a particular group to get vaccinated before moving ahead; individuals will still have the opportunity to be vaccinated in subsequent phases.
Maryland will move into Phase 1B on Mon., Jan. 18 and will update eligibility criteria on this page.

At this time, we haven’t found any volunteering opportunities available in Maryland.
If you know of any, send them our way so we can include them in this guide.
Montana’s Full Plan

You can find your county public health office contact information through this form.

Frontline Essential Workers are in Group 1C, which is not yet scheduled.

Montana is currently in Phase 1A and is scheduled to move to Phase 1B on 1/18. There is no scheduled time for Phase 1C.

At this time, we haven’t found any volunteering opportunities available in Montana. If you know of any, send them our way so we can include them in this guide.

If you are Native, you are already eligible for a vaccine in Montana. Those who are Black, Latin or Asian are also allowed to participate in Phase 1B. Additionally, if you have any co-morbidities including obesity, asthma and diabetes, you will be eligible for Phase 1B.
Maine is managing vaccination at the state level, so the contacts and details below are state-wide.

**STATE RESOURCES**

Maine Vaccine Hub  
Maine Vaccination Sites  
Maine Department of Health and Human Services

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Maine Food Service workers are in Phase 1C. The state expects to begin this group’s vaccination in May and June.  
As of publication, Maine is in Phase 1A and expects to start Phase 1B in February.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

Maine Ready

If you know of any other volunteer opportunities, please send them our way so we can include them in this guide.
Massachusetts is managing vaccination at the state level, so the contacts and details below are state-wide.

**STATE RESOUCES**

- Massachusetts COVID-19 Vaccine Hub
- Massachusetts Phase Timeline
- Massachusetts Vaccination Sites
- MA Department of Public Health
- MA Vaccine Alerts

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Massachusetts food service workers are in Phase 2. The state expects to begin this group’s vaccination in February-March. As of publication, the state is in Phase 1.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

- MA Responds

If you know of any other volunteer opportunities, please send them our way so we can include them in this guide.
Michigan is managing vaccination at the county level, so the contacts and details below are both state and local links. If you don’t see your county on this list, let us know!

**STATE RESOURCES**

State-Wide Vaccine Information  
State-Wide Vaccine Dashboard  
MI Covid Alert App  
Detroit Vaccine Updates and Scheduling  
Wayne County Vaccine Updates and Provider List  
Oakland County Vaccine Registration and Dashboard  
Macomb County Vaccine Portal  
Kent County Vaccine Portal  
Ottawa County Vaccine Portal + Vaccine Notification  
Muskegon County Vaccine Portal

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Food service workers are not explicitly listed in Phase 1C, but may be in this group. Participating in upcoming virtual town halls and contacting the Michigan Department of Health are two good ways to make sure our industry is taken into consideration.

**VOLUNTEER AND TRIAL OPPORTUNITIES**

Michigan state-wide volunteer opportunities can be found here.  
U of M Vaccine Trials
Minnesota is managing vaccination at the state level, so the contacts and details below are state-wide.

STATE RESOURCES

Minnesota COVID-19 Vaccine Dashboard
MN Vaccine Phases and Planning

VACCINE CONTACTS

MN Helpline: 651-297-1304 (Weekdays - from 9am-4pm)

PRIORITY GROUPING

Minnesota is currently in Phase 1A.
Food service workers will likely be in Phase 1C, according to the December 30th Advisory Committee minutes, however they have not published a definite ruling yet.

VOLUNTEERING

MN Responds

USEFUL LINKS & DETAILS

MN Vaccine Allocation Advisory Group
COVIDaware MN Exposure Notification
The nine Minnesota vaccination locations are: Anoka, Brooklyn Center, Fergus Falls, Marshall, Mountain Iron, North Mankato, Rochester, St. Cloud, and Thief River Falls
Appointments for pilot sites will be made available every Tuesday at noon.
Phone Registration: 612-426-7230
Online Registration
Mississippi is managing vaccination at the state level, so the contacts and details below are state-wide.

STATE RESOURCES

Mississippi Vaccine Information
Eligibility and Appointments
Screening and Scheduling
Vaccination Statistics

VACCINE CONTACTS

Department of Health: email or 601-576-7400
Mississippi Covid Hotline: (877) 978-6453

PRIORITY GROUPING

The phase for food service workers in Mississippi is currently unknown. We strongly suggest signing up for the state’s email updates at the bottom of the page here to stay up to date.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Volunteer Mississippi

USEFUL DETAILS

According to the state: “The recent increase in online vaccination appointments has scheduled all of Mississippi’s current vaccine supply. Appointments are expected to resume in mid-February when we receive a new vaccine shipment.”
MISSOURI

Missouri is managing vaccination at the state and county level, so the contacts and details below reflect state and local information.

VACCINE CONTACTS

Missouri Vaccine Information
Missouri Department of Health email or 877-435-8411
Missouri Vaccine Provider Map
Kansas City Vaccine Information Request
St Louis Vaccine Information Request

PRIORITY GROUPING

Food service workers are in Phase 2. Missouri is currently in Phase 1A, 1B-1, and 1B-2.
Many counties and cities have information surveys ready to contact you when your phase starts. We recommend filling these out.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

St. Louis Point of Dispensing Emergency Volunteer Sign-up.

This is for being an St. Louis emergency volunteer. There is currently no known volunteer opportunity specifically for vaccine distribution.
Nebraska is managing vaccination at the County level, so at least some details will be local, not state level.

**STATE RESOURCES**

- Vaccination Dashboard
- Sarpy County Vaccine Portal

**VACCINE CONTACTS**

- Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services: (402) 471-6423

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Nebraska is JUST beginning Phase 1B and is scheduled to move to Phase 2 in May 2021.

Food service workers are in Phase 2.

While Food and Agriculture are listed in Phase 1B, that’s does not include Food Service.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Novavax vaccine trial - Omaha.
- Eastern Nebraska Medical Reserve Corps.

This is for being an emergency volunteer. There are currently no known volunteer opportunities specifically for vaccine distribution.

**USEFUL DETAILS**

Nebraska is one of the few states that is not inviting hospitality workers in Phase 1. We recommend reaching out to your local public health officials to change this policy.
Sign up through this portal. Individuals and employers interested in the COVID-19 vaccine can complete this form.

Nevada’s Full COVID Vaccine Plan.

Service Industry will be in Tier 1C or Tier 2, but Nevada has not yet indicated which designation hospitality workers will get. Much like all of the information in this document, Tiers are subject to change and adjust!

State Resources

Washoe County Health District: (775) 328-2400
Southern Nevada Health District: (702) 759-1000

Vaccines Contacts

To find out when you can be vaccinated check out your county’s plan at NVCOVIDFighter.org, nevada211.org or Call 211 or 1-866-535-5654.

Priority Grouping

Find the current Tier being vaccinated.

Volunteer Opportunities

All volunteer opportunities run through Immunize Nevada.
To check when you will be eligible, New Hampshire made this useful tool. Here is a brief rundown of New Hampshire’s plan. When you are eligible, you can sign up here.

New Hampshire is currently in Phase 1B. Food workers in Phase 3B should expect to start the process in May. You can find the phases here.

This link offers opportunities in New Hampshire as a state emergency volunteer. There is currently no known volunteer opportunity specifically for vaccine distribution. Vaccine trials are also happening in New Hampshire. Click through to see if you’re eligible.
New Jersey is managing vaccination at the state level, so the contacts and details below are state-wide.

**STATE RESOURCES**

New Jersey Vaccination Hub
Vaccine Registration Portal

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Food service workers may be in Phase 1C, however this is not yet official. New Jersey is currently in Phase 1B, which includes many persons at high risk.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

NJ Medical Corps Volunteer Sign-up
Help NJ Now Sign-up
Essex County Volunteer Email
South Orange & Maplewood Volunteer Sign-up
Bergen County Volunteer Sign-up

**USEFUL DETAILS**

Text NJCOVID to 898-211 to receive alerts
Download the COVID Alert NJ app.
New Mexico is scheduling appointments statewide through this system.

STATE RESOURCES

New Mexico’s Vaccine Plan Overview

VACCINE CONTACTS

New Mexico Department of Health:
Hotline: 1-855-600-3453
Vaccine Registration

PRIORITY GROUPING

New Mexico is currently in Phase 1B. Phase 1C is scheduled to begin in the Spring in 2021.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Currently, New Mexico is recruiting volunteers for future vaccine distribution. There is no explicit edict guaranteeing a vaccine for volunteers, but this is a great way to serve your community!
NEW YORK

New York is managing vaccination at the state level, but there are multiple sign-up locations. Below, you will find contacts and details for both state-wide and local resources.

STATE RESOURCES

- New York Vaccination Hub
- New York State Vaccination Center Sign-up
- New York City Vaccine Finder
- Capital Region Vaccine Network

PRIORITY GROUPING

Food service workers may be in Phase 1C, however this is not yet official. New York is currently in Phase 1A and expects to move to Phase 1B in February.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

- NYC Volunteer Portal
- New York State Volunteer Portal

USEFUL LINKS

Download the COVID Alert NY app.
If someone offers you vaccine for payment, that’s a red flag - report it to 833-VAX-SCAM or STOPVAXFRAUD@health.ny.gov
North Carolina is managing vaccination at the county level, so while some information available is state-wide, we’ve also included details on NC’s largest counties. If you don’t see your county on this list, let us know!

**GOVERNMENT RESOURCES**

North Carolina Vaccine Portal  
North Carolina Vaccine Provider List  
Mecklenburg County Vaccine Information + Sign-up  
Wake County Vaccine Information + Sign-up  
Guilford County Vaccine Information + Sign-up

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Food service are part of Group 3. Currently, North Carolina is vaccinating Group 1. Expect to sign up for vaccination through your county, but for now, make sure to sign up for updates from the state by filling out this form, and checking off Group 3.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

NC Volunteer Opportunities  
NC Volunteer Sign-up
North Dakota is managing vaccination statewide through [this dashboard](#).

### STATE RESOURCES

**North Dakota’s Full COVID-19 Plan**

Here’s a map of [where all vaccinations are being distributed](#) across the state.

### VACCINE CONTACTS

- North Dakota Department of Health: 701-328-2372

### PRIORITY GROUPING

North Dakota is JUST beginning Phase 1B and there is no known date for future Phases. **Food Service workers are explicitly excluded from Phase 1**, and should expect to be included in Phase 2.

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

At this time we haven’t found any volunteering opportunities available in North Dakota. If you know of any, [send them our way](#) so we can include them in this guide.

The North Dakota Veteran’s Affairs hospitals are offering opportunities for both veterans and civilians (over the age of 18) to participate in vaccine trials. [You can sign up here](#). **Sanford Health also has trial opportunities**. **Lillestol needs volunteers for their trials too!**
Ohio is managing vaccination at the provider and county level, so while some information available is state-wide, local links are included here too.

If you don’t see your local info on this list, let us know!

**GOVERNMENT RESOURCES**

Ohio Vaccine Information
Ohio Vaccine Provider Locations
Ohio Vaccine Dashboard
Franklin County Vaccine Portal
Cuyahoga County Vaccine Portal + notification form
Columbus Vaccine Portal + “no waste” sign-up

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

There is currently no information on timing or who will be included in future phases. The latest information on phases is available [here](#).

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

Ohio Responds Specific for vaccination and Covid response.
Serve Ohio General volunteering opportunities.
Oklahoma is managing appointments through their dashboard, which you can find here.

STATE RESOURCES

Oklahoma’s Full COVID Plan
Oklahoma’s Phase Breakdown

VACCINE CONTACTS

Oklahoma State Department of Health: 405-271-5600
COVID-19 Call Center: 2-1-1

PRIORITY GROUPING

Restaurant Workers are deemed essential by the governor, and as such are in Phase 3. Currently, Oklahoma is wrapping Phase 1 and will be in Phase 2 before the end of January.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

The Oklahoma Medical Reserve Corps is looking for volunteers. You can sign up here. OU needs help too.
And, Lynn Institute needs volunteers for their trials. You can read more here.
Oregon has only defined the requirements for Phase 1 eligibility, but has indicated that some preference will be given to essential workers (like you!). While the state seemingly is allowing counties to distribute, the platform is statewide, and can be found here: Oregon’s Vaccine Portal

## STATE RESOURCES

Oregon’s full plan
Eligibility App (scroll to mid-page)

## VACCINE CONTACTS

Multnomah CO Health Dept (email)  
phone: 503-988-3674

Oregon Health Authority  
971-673-1222  503-988-8939  
(Mon.– Fri., 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.) (Sat. – Sun., 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.)

## PRIORITY GROUPING

Details on vaccine distribution beyond Phase 1A are not available. Food service workers have not yet received a Phase assignment.

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

While there are no specific designations for vaccines in exchange for volunteer hours, Oregon is asking for volunteer support. You can opt in here.
Asante has similar opportunities in the Southern part of Oregon.
Astra Zeneca is looking for clinical trial volunteers in Portland. You can sign up here.
Pennsylvania is distributing vaccines at a number of different levels. The links below are a mix of state and local resources.

**STATE RESOURCES**

- PA Vaccine Dashboard
- PhilaVax Enrolment and Vaccine Interest Form
- Allegheny County (Pittsburgh) Vaccine Info
- Allegheny County Plan (PDF)
- Pennsylvania Department of Health 1-877-724-3258

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Food Service Workers are in Phase 1C.
Currently the state is in  Phase 1A

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

- ServPA
- Delaware County
- Philadelphia County
- Allegheny County

**USEFUL LINKS**

Download the [COVID Alert PA app](#).
Please note that Philadelphia is no longer working through Philly Fighting Covid, if you’re previously signed up through their portal.
Rhode Island does not currently have an online portal to sign up for a vaccine, and final decisions have not yet been made about who can get vaccinated in each phase of Rhode Island’s COVID-19 vaccination program. Right now, only healthcare workers have access to vaccines, and there are no communicated plans to move to the next group or what the next group will be.

**STATE RESOURCES**

You can read more about Rhode Island’s plans here. And you can see the full plan here.

**VACCINE CONTACTS**

Department of Health
3 Capitol Hill
Providence, RI 02908
(401) 222-5960

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Rhode Island Department of Health will post updates here once final decisions have been made about who will be included in each phase of vaccination.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

Rhode Island Responds is looking for medical and community volunteers to help their efforts in distributing the vaccine. There are no indications you will receive a vaccine for helping.
South Carolina offers a [COVID-19 vaccine dashboard](https://covid.sc.gov), which is your first source for all information. Currently, all appointments must be set up with individual providers (local hospitals, Publix, etc.), and there is no state or county-wide access.

### State Resources

**Vaccine Locator**

### Vaccine Contacts

South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control:

- **803-898-3432** info@dhec.sc.gov
- DHEC Hotline **1-855-472-3432**

### Priority Grouping

South Carolina is in Phase 1A.

Food Service workers are in [Phase 1C](https://covid.sc.gov), which is scheduled to start in early Spring 2021.

### Volunteer Opportunities

South Carolina is asking for anyone with medical knowledge or clerical/administration background to volunteer here.
South Dakota is managing vaccination county-by-county. Find your county to determine your available providers here.

**STATE RESOURCES**

South Dakota Vaccination Plan
Vaccination Dashboard

**VACCINE CONTACTS**

South Dakota Department of Health:
1-800-738-2301
DOH.info@state.sd.us

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

South Dakota designates food service workers as Phase 1E, which starts in April.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

SERVSD - This is for being a South Dakota state emergency volunteer, which does include some COVID assistance.

There is currently no known volunteer opportunity specifically for vaccine distribution.
TENNESSEE

Tennessee is administering vaccines at the county level. To find out information for your county, use this tool.

STATE RESOURCES

Current Tennessee Phase.
Find out when your county is vaccinating your group
Find an appointment.

VACCINE CONTACTS

Tennessee COVID Hotline: 1-877-857-2945

PRIORITY GROUPING

Hospitality workers have no special designation in Tennessee, and will be asked to sign up when their age group is called.
You can expect a vaccine in the late Spring or Summer.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Volunteer Tennessee offers regular opportunities to volunteer, but there are no current COVID initiatives.

USEFUL DETAILS

Tennessee has not given front line workers like you any preference in their process. We recommend that you reach out to your local government officials and let them know you deserve to be vaccinated.
Texas is managing vaccination hubs locally, and registration is not centralized. Below, you will find contacts and details for both state-wide and local resources.

**STATE RESOURCES**

- Texas Vaccine Homepage
- Texas Vaccine Hub List
- Vaccine Availability Map

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Food service workers may be in a future priority phase, however this is not yet official. [Texas has a panel which is currently working on those decisions](#). It is important that they hear from our community while making that decision. We haven’t found a direct line of contact for them yet, but the [Department of State Health Services](#) is a good place to start.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

[OneStar Foundation - Links to volunteer opportunities both in person and remote](#).
Utah is currently rolling out appointments through local jurisdictions, and does not have a statewide plan. It’s available to all Utahns. We suggest you sign up for updates from the state here.

**STATE RESOURCES**

Utah’s COVID-19 Vaccine FAQ

**VACCINE CONTACTS**

Utah asks that you reach out to your local health department. You can find that information here. If you are Native, you can find further information about vaccine distribution here.

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Food service workers do not have a special designation in Utah. Currently, Utah is vaccinating those 70 and older. The state expects the vaccine to be available to all Utahns sometime between April and July.

The state has not indicated specific phases for any professions outside of Healthcare Workers, First Responders and K-12 School Workers.

Food Service Workers can expect to receive the vaccine when it is open to the public.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

You can find volunteer opportunities that range from sewing masks to dropping supplies at UServe.

You can find COVID specific opportunities at Utah County.

The University of Utah is offering vaccine trial opportunities as well.
Vermont does not currently have a way to sign up appointments, and seems to be rolling out information by county. Beginning on Monday (1/25), Vermont says they will be rolling out their online sign up portal. Here’s a video on how to use that portal. You can find details on their progress here.

STATE RESOURCES

Weekly COVID-19 Update Signup
Vermont Vaccine FAQ

VACCINE CONTACTS

Vermont Department of Health:
802-863-7200 800-464-4343

PRIORITY GROUPING

The state expects to be able to administer vaccines to those 65 and older and those with high risk health conditions by the Spring. No details have been found about when Vermonters outside of these groups will receive the vaccine.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Vermont offers paid and volunteer opportunities to help COVID-19 vaccine distribution. AstraZeneca has opportunities to join their vaccine trial.
Virginia is offering appointments at the local level — specifically, individual pharmacies, hospitals and providers to both schedule and distribute vaccines. All of the information you need to get vaccinated in Virginia can be found through their portal here.

**STATE RESOURCES**

FAQ Page

**VACCINE CONTACTS**

Virginia recommends reaching out to your local health department. You can find the contact information for your local department here.

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

The state is currently in Phase 1A and 1B of vaccine distribution.

Restaurant Workers will fall into Phase 1C.

No timeline has been given by the state.

To verify where you and/or your family can register for a vaccine, check this portal here.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

Virginia Volunteer Health System is currently looking for volunteers. You can sign up here.

**USEFUL DETAILS**

Virginia also has a COVID-19 app which you can download here.
Washington is rolling out vaccination clinics across the state, on a county basis.

**STATE RESOURCES**

- WA Vaccine Locations
- WA Vaccine Phase Finder
- WA Vaccine Question Email

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Washington is currently in Phase 1B, Tier 1, of vaccine distribution. Food Service Workers are expected to be in Phase 1B Tier 4, but this isn’t certain yet. *To make sure that happens, please provide your feedback to the department of health in this form.*

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

While there are no specific COVID-19 vaccine volunteer opportunities that we found, *Washington State is looking for volunteers here.*
West Virginia is rolling out vaccination clinics across the state on a county basis. Currently, there are 15 clinics that are fully operational, and the state anticipates all counties will have a clinic running by 2/1.

**STATE RESOURCES**

West Virginia Vaccination Dashboard

**VACCINE CONTACTS**

West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources Covid Vaccine Hotline: 1-833-734-0965 (M-F 8AM-6PM, S 9-5PM, Closed Sunday)

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

West Virginia is currently vaccinating those 70 and older.

“Our earliest estimate is that we can begin to offer vaccines to the entire general public in March. As soon as vaccines are available for this population, it will be announced and additional details be made available.”

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

While there are no specific COVID-19 vaccine volunteer opportunities, you can find a number of other COVID related jobs here.
Wisconsin is managing their vaccines at the county level. Currently, the system is, for lack of a better term, a free-for-all.

Beginning on 1/25, the state says that they will be opening up to anyone under the age of 65—making 50%+ of the population eligible.

Food service workers are rumored to have priority, but Wisconsin has not yet officially made this designation.

**STATE RESOURCES**

- Wisconsin Vaccine Info
- Wisconsin’s Vaccine FAQ

**VACCINE CONTACTS**

Call Wisconsin’s General Information Line at 211 or 1-877-947-2211.  
Sign up for weekly updates here.

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Healthcare workers and residents of long-term care facilities have been prioritized to receive the vaccine first.

They expect that it will take several months to vaccinate everyone eligible in Phase 1A.

The vaccine will be more widely available to the public sometime this summer.

Updated information will be added as it becomes available.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

Wisconsin seemingly does not have any opportunities to volunteer. If we’ve got that wrong, let us know!
Wyoming is vaccinating on a county-by-county basis. Currently, some counties ARE VACCINATING hospitality workers. You can find details about each county here.

**STATE RESOURCES**

Wyoming has just one resource to find information about COVID-19 vaccinations. You can find that here.

**VACCINE CONTACTS**

Wyoming Department of Health Immunization
West 25th Street, 3rd Floor, Unit 122
West Cheyenne, WY 82002
Phone: **(307) 777-7952**
Contact Form

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Wyoming is allowing each county to set their own rules.
Most counties are currently in Phases 1A & B.
Some counties are allowing hospitality workers to participate in Phase 1B.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

There are no explicit COVID-19 vaccine volunteer opportunities available in Wyoming, but the hospital system is always looking for volunteers. If you would like to participate, you can sign up here.
DC is distributing vaccines via hospitals and healthcare centers. When you are eligible, it is currently recommended to reach out directly to hospitals to schedule an appointment, but there is a sign up portal available here as well.

GOV RESOURCES

- **DC’s Vaccination Portal.** Currently, DC is only accepting appointments from healthcare workers.
- **DC’s Comprehensive Information Page.**
- **Sign up here for regular updates on vaccines here.**
- **DC’s COVID-19 FAQ.**

VACCINE CONTACTS

DC’s Call Center - **855-363-0333**

PRIORITY GROUPING

Food service workers are in Phase 1C.

At this moment, vaccination appointments are only available for workers in health care settings and District residents 65 years of age and older (Phase 1A).

To schedule an appointment, please visit [vaccinate.dc.gov](http://vaccinate.dc.gov) or call the District’s call center at **855-363-0333** or directly contact your health facility.

The call center is open Monday through Friday from 8 am to 7 pm and Saturday from 8 am to 4 pm.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Vaccine trials are available in DC. You can find out more here.
Puerto Rico is rolling out vaccines across the territory. Currently, Puerto Rico is distributing vaccines to healthcare workers and those over the age of 75.

**GOV RESOURCES**

Puerto Rico’s full COVID-19 Vaccine Plan. Here is a list of all facilities that are distributing vaccines in Puerto Rico.

**VACCINE CONTACTS**

Vacuna Informacion 1-787-999-6202

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

Hospitality workers do not seem to have a special designation or phase, and should be generally included in Fase 2 (General Population).

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

We haven’t found any volunteer opportunities for vaccination so far. If you have some to share, please send them our way!
The VA will reach out to you when you are eligible to receive a vaccine through their facilities and will be administering vaccines at your local VA center. From their website, “We’ve worked with the CDC and other federal partners to develop a phased plan. Our goal is to do the most good for the most people during this time. Under this plan, we’re now offering vaccines to these 2 groups: Veterans living in our long-term care facilities, and VA health care personnel. Vaccinating our VA health care personnel helps us continue providing care for Veterans. We based this plan on these criteria from CDC guidelines: risk of becoming infected with the virus, risk of severe illness and death from COVID-19, risk of spreading the virus to others, risk of harm to society if essential workers, including health care personnel, are unable to work.”

**GOV RESOURCES**

- VA Vaccine Updates Sign Up
- Find a VA Provider

**VACCINE CONTACTS**

MyVA411 main information line at 800-698-2411 (TTY: 711).

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

Veterans can sign up for vaccine trials through the VA here.
We have not been able to locate each nation’s plan, but you can find the [Navajo Nation’s Covid-19 Vaccination plan here](#). Keep in mind local jurisdictions are working directly with each nation to distribute vaccines.

**GOV RESOURCES**

Many states (including Montana, Utah, Arizona, Colorado, etc.) all have listed plans for those who identify at Native.

From the [IHS website](#), “Each tribal health program and urban Indian organization must elect to receive vaccine from one jurisdiction, either the IHS or a state. IHS anticipates equitable allocation of vaccine. There are no differences anticipated in timing or in types of vaccine or supplies between the IHS and states. IHS has collected preliminary data through the pre-planning tool. Decisions on critical populations will be based on final CDC recommendations, based on advice from the CDC Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices and as determined by local priorities.”

**VACCINE CONTACTS**

[IHS Contacts by Location](#)

**PRIORITY GROUPING**

[IHS Vaccine Distribution List Of Tribal Health Programs](#)
[IHS Vaccine Distribution By Area](#)
To Whom It May Concern,

This letter attests that [EMPLOYEE NAME] works as a [JOB TITLE] with [BUSINESS] in [STATE].

According to the [STATE NAME] State guidelines for COVID-19 vaccinations, food service workers like [NAME] qualify under eligibility category [GROUP#].

Please consider this an Employer Letter of Attestation for [NAME]’s eligibility for vaccination at this time.

Thank you,

[Signature]

[EMPLOYER/MANAGER/OWNER NAME]
[TITLE], [COMPANY NAME]
HELPFUL LINKS

Understanding how COVID-19 Vaccines Work (CDC)
Curious about how this vaccine works? The CDC explains it all here.

How 9 COVID Vaccines Work (NY Times)
This is a comprehensive list of the nine current vaccines (both approved and in trials) and a run down of how they work.

Vaccine Tracker (Bloomberg)
Want to see how your state stacks up against the rest? Bloomberg has a vaccine tracker which shares the number of vaccines administered both here in the states and around the world.

State-by-state vaccine guide. (NBC News/Today)
Didn’t find the details you need in this guide? Here’s another resource from NBC News.

Wellness, Recovery, and Mental Health Resources for F&B (Heard)
We know that it’s tough for everyone right now. If you need to talk to someone or just take care of your mental health, the team at HEARD can set you up with free mental health services, meetings, support groups and lots more.

Tracking restaurant worker priority by state (RestaurantDive.com)
While many states are prioritizing workers in the food and agricultural industries, fewer are fast-tracking foodservice employees. Here’s how restaurant workers are categorized across the country.