



**TO:** Logan County Residents

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**For Immediate Release:**

The COVID-19 Vaccine Providers in Logan County are preparing for Phase 1B of Ohio's vaccine rollout that begins the week of January 19, 2021. Each Vaccine Provider expects to have only a limited supply of the vaccine for the initial distribution to Phase 1B recipients. Logan County Residents who fall in Phase 1B of the Ohio Department of Health's (ODH) COVID-19 Vaccine distribution plan who are able to access vaccine are:

**January 19, 2021:** Ohioans age 80+

**January 25, 2021:** Ohioans age 75+ and those with severe congenital or developmental disorders:

**February 1, 2021:** Ohioans age 70+ and employees of K-12 schools that wish to remain or return to in-person or hybrid models

**February 8, 2021:** Ohioans age 65+

Initially, Phase 1B vaccine is in limited supply and is only going to be available for specific critical populations. Once the vaccine is more widely available, vaccines will be available to all Ohioans. We urge everyone to be patient during the process.

Vaccines will be available at several locations throughout Logan County for the populations described above.

**The Logan County Health District:** Logan County Residents eligible for vaccine in Phase 1B are encouraged to use the online waitlist tool available at [www.loganhealth.org](http://www.loganhealth.org). The online waitlist form is the fastest and most preferred method of being added to the waitlist at LCHD. If you are unable to use the online waitlist tool, you may call (937) 592-9040, Option 6. Once on the waitlist, LCHD staff will call to schedule an appointment time and provide registration forms. Appointments are required.

**Mary Rutan Hospital:** Mary Rutan Hospital follows the Ohio Department of Health guidelines in vaccine distribution and will be scheduling appointments for the current phase/included populations. To be added to the scheduling que, please call (937) 592-8805. Information on COVID-19 vaccines is also available at [www.maryrutan.org](http://www.maryrutan.org) and will be updated as changes in vaccine rollout occur.

**Kroger Pharmacy:** Customers should visit [kroger.com/ohiocovidvaccine](http://kroger.com/ohiocovidvaccine) or call the Kroger COVID-19 vaccine helpline at 866-211-5320 for the latest information on vaccine availability in the area. This week, Kroger will only be providing vaccines to the current phase/included populations, seniors 80+. All COVID-19 vaccines will require an appointment via [kroger.com/ohiocovidvaccine](http://kroger.com/ohiocovidvaccine) or 866-211-5320.

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