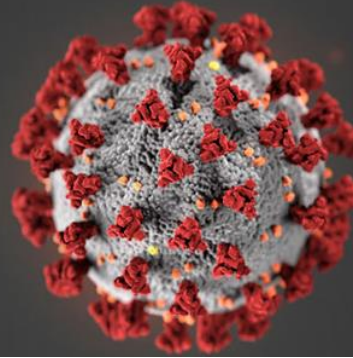


Coronavirus

(COVID-19)



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q: Does Sherburne County Public Health have vaccine to give out?

A: Yes, but the amount varies each week.

Here's what is currently happening:

On **Tuesday**, Sherburne County Public Health sends the Minnesota Department of Health the number of vaccines that Public Health would like to offer to their community for the following week.

On **Friday**, Sherburne County Public Health gets notified by MDH how many vaccines they are planning to send and to which priority groups they should be offered.

From **Saturday** through **Tuesday**, Sherburne County Public Health sends information to those priority groups informing them how to schedule a vaccination appointment.

Vaccine gets delivered sometime before **Wednesday** and the number of doses is verified by Public Health staff.

On **Wednesday**, **Thursday** and potentially **Friday**, vaccines are administered at the Sherburne County Government Center.

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Q: Who is being offered COVID vaccines?

A: We currently are continuing to offer vaccine to healthcare workers, emergency first responders, group homes, educators, childcare workers and those 65+.

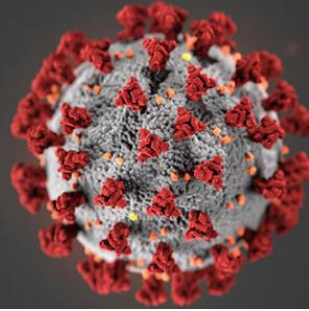
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Q: How do I get signed up for a vaccination clinic?

A: Fill out the Vaccine Interest Form on our website (<https://survey123.arcgis.com/share/5e2baad7c5504616b22afdb3b7f31632>). We will keep the information until your priority group is eligible to receive the vaccine. Then we will contact you with information about how to schedule your appointment.



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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (CONT.)

Q: How many COVID vaccine doses does Sherburne County Public Health get each week?

A: It has varied from 100 to 800.

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Q: How long does Sherburne County Public Health have to get the vaccines out to the community?

A: The goal is 72 hours, but it could take up to 7 days if the plan is approved by the Minnesota Department of Health. Sherburne County Public Health has consistently gotten the vaccine out within 72 hours.

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Q: Where is Sherburne County Public Health giving COVID vaccines?

A: We are currently giving all vaccines at the Sherburne County Government Center. We have a large conference room and additional space for people to wait 15 minutes to see if they have any adverse reactions to the shot.

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Q: Who else in Sherburne County is offering COVID vaccines?

A: The easiest way to find this out is to go to Find My Vaccine (<https://mn.gov/covid19/vaccine/find-vaccine/index.jsp>) and search by city or zip code. You will see the various health care clinics or hospital locations near you.

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Q: If I get an email to schedule a vaccine appointment, can I give it to someone else?

A: No, vaccine is only available to specific groups. We compare who was sent the link and who actually signed up.

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Q: Is it true that some people have been turned away at a vaccine clinic?

A: Yes. It could be that they were not a part of the intended group to be vaccinated (example: a healthcare worker gave the link to a neighbor who works from home). It could be that they had another vaccine in the last 14 days. It could be that they were exposed to COVID in the last 14 days and they are in quarantine. A trained staff member will determine if a person is eligible to get vaccinated on the day of the clinic.