TESTED WITH THOUSANDS.
GIVEN TO MILLIONS.
TWO POKES TO END THE PANDEMIC.



We all need to step up to beat COVID-19. We ask you to join us in protecting yourself, your family and friends, and our community by getting vaccinated.

Getting vaccinated adds an important layer of protection for you, your family, and loved ones. Here are some things you should know about the COVID-19 vaccine:

- All COVID-19 vaccines currently available in the United States are very effective at preventing the disease.
- The most common side effects are pain in the arm where you got the shot, feeling tired, headache, body aches, chills, and fever.
- Stopping a pandemic requires using all the tools we have available—wearing masks, staying at least 6 feet apart from people who don't live with you, avoiding crowds and poorly ventilated spaces, washing your hands frequently, and getting vaccinated.

# Dane County Older Adults (age 65+)

It's our turn to roll up our sleeves and get vaccinated!

It's hard to imagine a time when we didn't know COVID-19 existed. Now when people say "virus," we know what they mean. The impact of COVID-19 on our lives, our activities, and our freedom has affected us all. The responsibility is ours, as a community, to help stop this virus. Now we have a new, safe, and effective tool to help us do that—COVID-19 vaccines. *It takes everyone.* 

We want everyone in our community to be safe and get back to hugging our families and friends and shaking hands with our neighbors.

We all play a part in this effort, and you are key.

If you have a local healthcare provider, they should be reaching out to you, based on vaccine availability. Visit your provider's website for more instructions. Keep in mind that there is limited vaccine supply. If you have read instructions on your provider's website but haven't been contacted yet, please be patient as they prioritize their large patient population.

If you do not have a local healthcare provider, Public Health Madison & Dane County will match you with a vaccinator in Dane County. Call them at 242-6328 to get on the list to be matched.

If you have questions about the COVID-19 vaccine, contact the resources listed on the back of this flyer.

### **Free Transportation Available**

If you are age 65+ and have exhausted all options available to you and still need a ride to your vaccine appointment, call NewBridge Madison for a free ride at (608) 512-0000, extension 3. This service is available to older adults living independently in a home or apartment—not in an assisted living facility or nursing home.



## **COVID-19 Vaccine Resources**



Phone: (608) 240-7400 TTY: (608) 240-7404

Email: adrc@countyofdane.com
Web: www.daneadrc.org

### **Senior Focal Points**

Colonial Club Senior Activity Center 837-4611 (Bristol, Burke, Cottage Grove, Deerfield, Marshall, Medina, Sun Prairie & York)

DeForest Area Community & Senior Ctr 846-9469 (DeForest, Vienna & Windsor)

Fitchburg Senior Center 270-4290

McFarland Senior Outreach Services 838-7117

 $(Cambridge,\,Christiana,\,Dunn,\,McFarland,\,Pleasant\,Springs\,\,\&\,\,Rockdale)$ 

Middleton Senior Center 831-2373

NewBridge Madison 512-0000

(Blooming Grove, Burke, Madison, Maple Bluff & Monona)

Northwest Dane Senior Services 798-6937

(Berry, Black Earth, Cross Plains, Mazomanie, Roxbury & Vermont)

Oregon Area Senior Center 835-5801

(Brooklyn, Oregon & Rutland)

Southwest Dane Senior Outreach 437-6902

(Blue Mounds, Mt Horeb, Perry, Primrose & Springdale)

Stoughton Area Senior Center 873-8585

(Albion, Dunkirk & Stoughton)

Sugar River Senior Center 424-6007

(Belleville, Montrose & Verona)

Waunakee Senior Center 849-8385

(Dane, Springfield, Vienna, Waunakee & Westport)

#### Centers for Disease Control FAQs:

www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/ vaccines/faq.html

Wisconsin Department of Human Services' Weekly Newsletter of COVID-19 Response & Vaccine Progress:

www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/covid-19/ newsletter.htm

Public Health Madison & Dane County COVID-19 Vaccine Info:

www.publichealthmdc/coronavirus/covid-19-vaccine



Below are websites to healthcare providers in the County:

Access Community Health Centers: www.accesscommunityhealthcenters. org/covid-19-vaccine/

**Group Health Cooperative UW Health:** 

www.ghcscw.com/covid19-vaccineinformation

SSM Health: www.ssmhealth.com/ newsroom/2021/1/covid-19-vaccinerollout-in-wisconsin

Stoughton Health:

www.stoughtonhealth.com/covid-19/

UnityPoint Health - Meriter:

www.unitypoint.org/madison/covid-19-vaccine.aspx

**UW Health:** 

https://coronavirus.uwhealth.org/ covid-19-vaccine/