



Phase 1a COVID Vaccination Worker Categories

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Occupation Category: Healthcare Worker

All hospital personnel with direct patient care

- A wide array of medical house staff (i.e., interns, residents, fellows), nurses, nurses' aides, physical therapists, physicians, physicians' assistants, respiratory therapists, speech pathologists, students (medical, nursing, PT, RT), midwives, nutritionists, CRNAs, audiology, interpreters, blood donation workers, podiatrists, laboratorians, organ donation procurement workers
- Staff who provide cleaning, food and other services to support patients
- Emergency room staff
- Ancillary staff directly interacting with patients or infectious materials: laboratory personnel, phlebotomists, radiology technicians

Persons providing direct medical care or other in-person services in the following areas:

- Primary care, family practice, behavioral health, family planning, and other specialty practices
- Dialysis and infusion centers
- Inpatient or outpatient medical settings
- Public health offices
- Imaging centers
- Dental
- Optometry and ophthalmology
- Rehabilitation services, including physical therapy, occupational therapy, vocational rehabilitation and independent living
- Community health workers (CHWs) who provide in-person services

Residents and staff in nursing homes and other long-term care facilities

Pharmacists and pharmacy technicians who interact with patients

Home health and hospice workers including home health aides, caregivers, and companions

Workers with patients undergoing chemotherapy

Autopsy room staff, coroners, embalmers, and funeral home staff at risk of exposure to bodily fluids

COVID-19 testing site staff and those administering COVID-19 vaccine

Support service providers for persons with disabilities and persons providing in-person interpretation services

Occupation Category: First Responder

Medical first responders (EMS, fire department, and law enforcement personnel who provide emergency medical services and transportation) and hospital transport personnel

Occupation Category: Congregate Care

Persons working in congregate settings (including correctional facilities, juvenile justice facilities, homeless shelters, residential treatment centers, or community homes)

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