



Vaccine Frequently Asked Questions - [Learn More](#)

## Updated Vaccine Eligibility Tool

Find out which phase of the vaccination campaign you fall in. Already know your phase, bypass that part of the tool and sign-up for vaccine notifications. If you need assistance with this tool, please call [855-598-2246](tel:855-598-2246).

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## Where Can I Get Vaccinated?

Find a location near you that is administering the vaccine.

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## Vaccine Provider Guidance

Kentucky's guidance and resources for vaccine providers.

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## Need help with transportation to a COVID-19 vaccine appointment?

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## COVID-19 Vaccine

The COVID-19 Hotline (800) 722-5725 can answer general COVID-19 vaccine questions.

The Kentucky Department for Public Health (KDPH) supports Governor Andy Beshear’s prioritization of health care as a basic human right and believes every Kentucky family deserves to see a doctor and receive treatment.

Recognizing that COVID-19-related deaths currently rank third among causes of death in Kentucky, KDPH is planning for the equitable distribution of a safe and effective COVID-19 vaccine that will advance Governor Beshear’s healthcare priority. Vaccine distribution details, including the number of doses and allocation plan, are expected to change frequently. **Please visit this page for regular updates.**

[Guidance for COVID-19 Quarantine for Vaccinated Persons](#) New

## Kentucky COVID-19 Vaccine Monitoring

Current as of April 2, 2021

Limited Reporting April 2-3, 2021 No Report April 4, 2021

### COVID-19 Vaccination Program-to-Date Performance

<b>Total First Dose Allocated to KY</b> <small>*Updated on Tuesday for receipt of weekly Federal Allocation</small>	<b>Total Number of Unique Persons Vaccinated in KY</b> <small>*Updated Daily</small>
<b>Direct Federal Allocation</b>	36,603
76,050	78,084
1,519,845	1,287,414
1,595,895	1,402,101

### Unique Persons Vaccinated and Weekly Percent Vaccine Allocation Utilization (Tues-Mon)

Week Beginning	New Persons Vaccinated	1st Dose Allocation	7 Day % Utilization
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Week Beginning	New Persons Vaccinated	1st Dose Allocation	7 Day % Utilization
Dec 15	10,213	38,025	27%
Dec 22	26,962	104,000	26%

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Mar 2	127,110	130,210	97.6%
Mar 9	165,217	98,390	168%
Mar 16*	198,447	287,880	70%
Mar 23	128,197	149,010	86%
Mar 30	69,105	214,920	32%
	<b>1,365,498</b>	<b>1,595,895</b>	<b>86%</b>

\*One lump sum was added to March 16th of the Federal Rx program. Going forward, data will reflect a combined total from all other State and Federal Programs.

[Kentucky COVID-19 Vaccine Demographics](#) This information will be updated weekly. -[Archived COVID-19 Weekly Vaccine Demographics Reports](#)

## Frequently Asked Questions

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# Kentucky Draft COVID-19 Vaccine Distribution Plan

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## Phases

Phase	Description
<b>1A</b>	Long term care facilities, assisted living facilities, health care personnel
<b>1B</b>	Anyone age 70 or older, First responders, Kentucky K-12 school personnel, Kentucky child care workers
<b>1C</b>	Anyone age 50 or older, anyone age 16 or older with medical or behavioral health conditions per the CDC that "are" or "might be" at increased risk of severe COVID-19 disease, all essential workers
<b>2</b>	Anyone age 40 or older
<b>3</b>	Anyone age 16 or older
<b>4</b>	Children under the age of 16 if the vaccine is approved for this age group (est. 18% of KY population)

# GOAL

Administer **90% of all vaccine** received in state **within 7 days of arrival.**

# PHASE 1 - A, B, C: REFERENCE

## Frontline Essential Workers

- Healthcare Personnel
- First Responders (Firefighters, Police)
- Corrections
- Education (teachers, support staff, daycare)
- Food & Agriculture
- Manufacturing
- U.S. Postal service workers
- Public transit workers
- Grocery store workers

## Other Essential Workers

- Transportation and logistics
- Food Service Shelter & Housing (construction)
- Finance
- IT & Communication
- Energy
- Media
- Legal
- Public Safety (Engineers)
- Water & Wastewater
- Clergy

## Adults of any age with medical or behavioral health conditions per the CDC that “are” or “might be” at increased risk of severe COVID-19 disease:

- Cancer
- Chronic kidney disease
- COPD (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease)
- Down Syndrome
- Heart conditions, such as heart failure, coronary artery disease, or cardiomyopathies
- Immunocompromised state (weakened immune system) from solid organ transplant
- Obesity (body mass index [BMI] of 30 kg/m<sup>2</sup> or higher but less than 40 kg/m<sup>2</sup>)
- Severe Obesity (body mass index [BMI] equal to or greater than 40 kg/m<sup>2</sup>)
- Pregnancy
- Sickle cell disease
- Type 2 diabetes mellitus
- Asthma (moderate-to-severe)
- Cerebrovascular disease (affects blood vessels and blood supply to the brain)
- Cystic fibrosis
- Hypertension of high blood pressure
- Immunocompromised state (weakened immune system) from blood, bone marrow, or organ transplant; HIV; use of corticosteroids; or use of other immune weakening medicines
- Neurologic conditions including, but not limited to, dementia and Intellectual or developmental disability
- Liver disease
- Overweight (BMI higher than 25 kg/m<sup>2</sup>, but less than 30 kg/m<sup>2</sup>)
- Pulmonary fibrosis (having damaged or scarred lung tissues)
- Thalassemia (a type of blood disorder)
- Type 1 diabetes mellitus

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## General COVID-19 Vaccine Information

[When Vaccine is Limited, Who Gets Vaccinated First?](#)

[How CDC Is Making COVID-19 Vaccine Recommendations](#)

[V-Safe Information](#)

[Vaccine Safety Monitoring](#)

[COVID-19 Vaccine Manufacture Information](#)

[Billing, Costs and Reimbursement](#)

[COVID-19 Vaccine Information for Specific Groups](#)

## CDC Vaccine Toolkit – For You and Your Family

The CDC has a number of COVID-19 vaccine resources to help you and your family understand the COVID-19 vaccine.

- [CDC COVID-19 Vaccine Information](#)
- [Benefits of Getting Vaccinated](#)
- [Ensuring the Safety of Vaccines](#)
- [How COVID-19 Vaccines Work](#)
- [Myths and Misconceptions about COVID-19 Vaccines](#)
- [CDC COVID-19 Vaccine Frequently Asked Questions](#)
- [What to Expect at Your Appointment to Get Vaccinated for COVID-19](#)
- [What to Expect after Getting a COVID-19 Vaccine](#)
- [V-safe After Vaccination Health Checker](#)

## Resources

[Centers for Disease Control and Prevention](#)

[Emergency Use Authorizations](#)

[Immunization Action Coalition](#)

## Media Questions

[Information for the media](#)

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