

JOINT INFORMATION CENTER COVID-19



News Release

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

Frederick County Agency Updates for April 27, 2021

Frederick, MD - April 27, 2021

Change in Frequency of Updates:

Beginning in May, updates from the Frederick County Joint Information Center for COVID-19 will be released once a week on Thursdays, unless there is an urgent update. Statistics will continue to be updated daily at http://FrederickCountyMD.gov/COVIDstats

Vaccinations in Frederick County							
1st Dose 0	JIVCII		0,368	Single Dose (12,11		Fully Vaccinated 82,482	
% of Population Va 42.2° 1st Dos	%	% of Population Vaccinated 27.1% 2nd Dose		% of Population Vaccinated 4.7% Single Dose		% of Population Vaccinated 31.8% Fully Vaccinated	
	Confirmed Cases		Confirmed Deaths		7-Day Positivity Rate		
19,342 Change in Last 24 Hours: +19		311 Change in Last 24 Hours: +1			3.4%		

Note: The number of doses of vaccine given includes all vaccinators in the county except for CVS/Walgreens vaccinations at nursing home and assisted living facilities. County residents are being vaccinated by vaccinators across the state, which is why the number of people vaccinated exceeds the amount of vaccine the Frederick County Health Department has received.

Please check our dashboard for daily statistics: http://FrederickCountyMD.gov/COVIDstats.

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Frederick County Vaccination Update

Vaccine received by Frederick County Health Department:

- **45,750** total 1st doses of COVID-19 vaccine received by Frederick County Health Department to date.
- 5,500 1st doses of COVID-19 vaccine received by Frederick County Health Department this week.

New clinic location! Frederick County Health Department is now holding clinics for people getting first doses of the COVID-19 vaccine at 800 Oak Street in Frederick.

Please note! You can reach this location from Himes Ave by Dutch's Daughter Restaurant. Oak Street is closed. For directions to location, go to: http://health.frederickcountymd.gov/OakStreet.

Appointments for 1st doses of Moderna are available this week at this location for people 18 years and older. Click date to schedule:

- Friday, April 30 from 9am-6pm
- Saturday, May 1 from 9am to 4pm

You can also schedule an appointment by calling 301-600-7900 Monday – Friday, 8am-5pm, or call 301-600-7905 for Spanish.

Frederick County COVID-19 Appointment Line

Monday - Friday 8AM - 5PM

English: 301-600-7900





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Currently Eligible in Maryland and Frederick County

All Marylanders 16 and older are eligible to schedule appointments and get vaccinated through all providers. Please note that the health department primarily has Moderna vaccine, which is approved for people 18 years and older.

Individuals Age 16 and 17 should only be signed up for vaccination clinics that are providing the Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine, which is the only one currently authorized by the FDA for ages 16 and older. If you are looking for Pfizer vaccine, please check https://vaccinefinder.org/.

Other JIC Partner Updates

Rental Assistance: The Religious Coalition and Frederick County Government are partnering to provide emergency rental and utility assistance to those directly impacted by COVID-19. If you have experienced a financial hardship due to COVID-19 and are behind on your rent or utilities, the Religious Coalition may be able to help you with financial assistance. Beginning March 15, Frederick County residents may begin applying for assistance in paying back rent and/or utilities resulting from the COVID crisis.

TO BE ELIGIBLE:

- ✓ You must be renting in Frederick County
- ✓ You must have lost income or experienced a financial hardship due or indirectly to COVID-19
- ✓ Household income must be at or below 80% of area median income

In order to apply, visit www.rcehn.org/covid-emergency-rental-assistance where you will be directed to an online application portal. For those without access to the web, please call 1-800-220-9528 for information on how to apply. If you are not eligible for the COVID-19 Emergency Rental Assistance Program, you may still contact 301-631-2670 for information regarding non-COVID rental assistance. You may also email info@rcehn.org with any questions about applying for other emergency assistance that is available.

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MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING INCOME GUIDELINES:

FAMILY SIZE	FY 2020 INCOME LIMIT 80% AMI*
1	\$55,750.00
2	\$63,700.00
3	\$71,650.00
4	\$79,600.00
5	\$86,000.00
6	\$92,350.00
7	\$98,750.00
8	\$105,100.00

*Income is based on CURRENT income. Does not apply to previous or future income.

DOCUMENTATION**

- Copy of your current lease or rental agreement signed by your landlord
- Proof of ALL income in the house.
 (2020 W-2 or Tax returns preferred. Pay stubs,
 Unemployment benefits, Bank statements showing direct deposits, SSI or SSDI statements also accepted).
- Proof of COVID related hardship
- Letter of delinquency or rental ledger which details the month and amounts behind on rent
- Proof of current or past due utility and home energy costs (separately stated electricity, gas, water and sewer, trash removal, public utilities and energy costs, such as fuel oil
- ** Written attestation may be accepted in lieu of documentation



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<u>TransIT:</u> Frederick County is currently conducting a transit plan to assess current services and identify opportunities to improve mobility in the future.

This is your opportunity to provide your thoughts on the future of public transportation in the Frederick region. Please take a few minutes to complete the following short survey. When answering the questions, please think about your use of transportation and mobility nee ds before the impact of COVID-19. Individual survey responses will be kept confidential.



If you already use Frederick County TransIT, please complete the <u>rider survey</u> in addition to this survey:

- General Public Survey English: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/VXVFTC8
- General Public Survey Spanish: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/VF67F8M

For More Information:

Frederick County residents can call 866-411-6803 to reach our local 211 center with general questions about coronavirus or COVID19. Accurate COVID-19 information is critical to the community. For the most current and accurate information about this situation, please refer to the following:

- City of Frederick: https://cityoffrederickmd.gov/covid19
- Frederick County Government: www.frederickcountymd.gov/Coronavirus
- Frederick County Health Department: health.frederickcountymd.gov/coronavirus
- Maryland Department of Health (MDH): <u>coronavirus.maryland.gov</u>
- Centers for Disease Control (CDC): coronavirus.gov

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