

## Learn About Our Registration Process

In Texas, the COVID-19 Vaccine is currently available only for [those in Phase 1A and Phase 1B](#) per the [Texas Expert Vaccine Allocation Panel](#). If you are not in those categories, you may register but will not be offered the ability to schedule an appointment for the vaccine until you are in a group that is authorized under the State of Texas guidelines. If you or a loved one do not have access to Internet or a computer, please call 281-633-7795 to register.

### Step 1. What You Need to Know

- At this time, only people in [Phase 1A and/or 1B categories](#) may receive the vaccine.
- FBCHHS is currently administering the Pfizer and Moderna vaccines, which **requires two doses**. This vaccine can be provided to individuals 18+ years of age.
- Keep in mind that only certain dates will be available and that the current supply of vaccines may be limited.
- **Due to the limited supply, it may take weeks to be invited to schedule an appointment.**
- There is no charge for the vaccine or administration.

### Step 2. Making an Appointment

- Click on the **Register Now link**
- Follow the instructions to register for the waiting list to receive your first dose of the COVID-19 vaccine. You will be asked a series of questions to determine if you [qualify for the current distribution group](#).
- If you qualify, you will be **placed on a waiting list** to be invited later to schedule your appointment. This may take several weeks.
  - When you have registered to join the waiting list, **please allow 15 - 30 minutes for the waiting list confirmation email/text message to arrive.**
- *Later*, you will be notified via email, text message, and/or phone with a link to schedule your appointment. This may take several weeks.
- **If you registered by phone** and do not have access to Internet, you will be provided a date and time for an appointment.

- After you have scheduled your appointment, you will receive a confirmation email/text. **You must bring this confirmation with you to the scheduled appointment.**

### **Step 3. Receiving Your Vaccine**

- When arriving to your scheduled appointment...
  - Ensure you have your appointment **confirmation**. This can be printed out or a screenshot from your confirmation email.
  - Follow signs and directions posted to navigate to the clinic.
- If, for whatever reason, you are unable to make your appointment and must cancel, you will need to complete the registration process again. Canceled appointments will not be rescheduled.

### **Step 4. Scheduling Your Second Dose** (see below)

**Moderna and Pfizer COVID-19 vaccines both require two doses to develop the best protection against the virus.** It's best if you get your second dose from the same manufacturer as your first dose. For example, if you got a Moderna first dose, it's best to get Moderna for your second dose.

The timing between your first and second dose depends on which vaccine you received:

**Moderna:** 4 to 6 weeks after your first dose  
**Pfizer:** 3 to 6 weeks after your first dose

- Upon completion of your scheduled first dose, the system will automatically schedule you for your second dose.
- You will receive a notification through text and/or email based on the option you specified during registration.