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COVID-19 Boosters Will Now Be Available to Anyone 18 and all SCPH Vaccination Clinics

[Akron, OH] – Following the direction of the Director of the CDC, Summit County Public Health will now offer COVID-19 boosters to fully vaccinated adults 18 and over during our drive thru vaccination clinics on Wednesdays December 1st, 8th and 15th at 1867 W. Market St. Akron, Ohio 43313. The COVID-19 vaccine will be offered on the three Wednesdays’ from 9:00 am – 6:00 pm. Fully vaccinated adults can choose any of the three authorized COVID-19 vaccines for their booster dose. We will also offer all three vaccines for first and second dose vaccinations at the drive thru clinics while supplies last. These clinics are only for individual’s 12 and over. Appointments are necessary for the Wednesday clinics; walk ins will not be accepted. Masks are also required at all SCPH vaccination clinics. Please visit https://scph.link/covidclinics or our website at www.scph.org/COVID to make an appointment. COVID-19 vaccines are still widely available throughout the area.

Based on CDC guidance SCPH will be offering booster doses of Moderna or Pfizer 6 months after the date of the second vaccination for the following individuals:
- Fully vaccinated adults 18 and over

Based on CDC Guidance SCPH will be offering booster doses of Janssen (J&J) 2 months after the date of your first vaccination for the following individuals:
- Fully vaccinated adults 18 and over

For more information regarding booster dose eligibility please visit: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/booster-shot.html

SCPH encourages those residents who are both vaccinated and unvaccinated to continue to engage in safe and effective behaviors to reduce the spread of COVID-19:
- Stay home if you’re sick, even with mild symptoms
- Be mindful in your interactions with others. Limit your chances of exposure by maintaining social distancing of at least six feet from non-household members
- Wear a mask in public
- Follow good hygiene standards:
- Wash hands frequently with soap and water for at least 20 seconds
- Use hand sanitizer frequently
- Avoid touching your face
- Cover coughs and sneezes

If you have questions or need assistance in scheduling an appointment, please call the COVID-19 Call Line (330) 926-5795. The call line is open from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. M-F.

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