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Trinity County Coronavirus (COVID-19) Health Advisory

TRINITY COUNTY – County Health Officials throughout California are monitoring variant strains of SARS-CoV-2 and have growing concerns regarding the increased transmissibility and virulence of some coronavirus variants, in particular among unvaccinated persons.

Emerging variants of SARS-CoV-2 that harbor genome mutations that may impact transmission, virulence, and immunity have been designated “variants of concern” (VOCs). VOCs circulating in California can be found on the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) website at: <https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/COVID-19/COVID-Variants.aspx>

Trinity County Public Health Branch (TCPHB) is coordinating with CDPH, healthcare providers, and laboratories to ensure Whole Genome Sequencing (WGS) of positive cases in Trinity County. TCPHB will be sharing information regarding VOCs that have been identified in Trinity County.

We want to encourage all Trinity County residents that are not vaccinated to obtain vaccination. According to the CDC, available evidence suggests the currently authorized mRNA COVID-19 vaccines (Pfizer-BioNTech and Moderna) provide protection against a variety of VOCs, including those that are highly virulent. Other vaccines show reduced efficacy but may still protect against severe disease. Evidence also indicates that people fully vaccinated with an mRNA vaccine (Pfizer-BioNTech and Moderna) are less likely to have asymptomatic infection or to transmit SARS-CoV-2 to others.

Upcoming vaccination points of distribution sites:

SNAPNurse COVID-19 Vaccine PODS:



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Southern Trinity Walk-in Clinics

Kettenpom Zenia Vol. Fire Department- 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. June 24 & 25,
4000 Zenia Lake Mountain Rd.

Mad River Community Hall- 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. June 26, 600 Van Duzen Rd.

Lewiston Walk-in Clinics

Lewiston Community Center- 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. June 29, 130 Texas Ave.

Smokehouse Market & Deli- 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. June 30, 4391 Trinity Dam Blvd.

Lewiston Moose Family Center- 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. July 1, 71 Turnpike Rd.

Lewiston Fire Department- 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. July 2, 200 Texas Ave.

Mountain Valley Grill / Lewiston Mini Mart- 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. July 3, 4811 Trinity Dam Blvd.

Visit myturn.ca.gov to check vaccine eligibility and register for notifications.

Please bring your CDC vaccination card when presenting for second dose of COVID-19 Vaccine. Contact TCPHB COVID-19 line at 623-8235 if your second dose is due and you are unable to find your vaccination card.

Additional COVID-19 vaccine locations in Trinity County:

CVS Pharmacy- www.cvs.com or call 530-623-5555

Mountain Communities Healthcare District Community Clinics

530-623-4186 (Weaverville) or 530-628-5517 (Hayfork)

Redding Rancheria-Trinity Health Center- 530-623-0021

Trinity Dental Center- 530-623-8888

Southern Trinity Health Services- 707-574-6616

Visit www.trinitycounty.org for updated COVID-19 information and vaccine locations.

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