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Trinity County Coronavirus (COVID-19) Health Advisory

TRINITY COUNTY – The Public Health Branch has received Moderna and Pfizer COVID-19 Bivalent Booster Vaccine and is now available at our SNAP Nurse sites.

Moderna and Pfizer COVID-19 Bivalent Booster Vaccine is authorized for a single additional booster dose given 2 months after completion of the primary series or the most recent booster dose of monovalent (original) COVID-19 vaccine. The Moderna Bivalent Booster is authorized for those 18 years and older and the Pfizer Bivalent Booster is authorized for those 12 years and older.

The bivalent vaccines use an mRNA component from the original strain to help facilitate an immune response that provides broad protection from Covid-19 with an additional mRNA component to provide better protection against the omicron variant.

The bivalent vaccine booster replaces the previous Monovalent vaccine booster. the monovalent vaccine remains available for primary vaccination series.

For more information on COVID-19 Vaccines and Testing please visit:
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