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# **Trinity County Coronavirus (COVID-19) Health Advisory**

TRINITY COUNTY – Registration will be available for second dose only Point of Distribution Sites (PODS) beginning Monday afternoon on March 1, 2021. Register at <a href="https://myturn.ca.gov/">https://myturn.ca.gov/</a> or call the CA COVID-19 Hotline at 1-833-422-4255 (M-F 8AM-8PM, Saturday -Sunday 8AM-5PM) for assistance.

Upcoming second dose only PODS throughout March will be held at the Veterans Memorial Hall 109 Memorial Drive, Weaverville as follows:

- Friday March 5, 2021 9:00AM 2:30PM
- Saturday March 6, 2021 9:00AM 1:00PM
- Friday March 12, 2021 9:00AM 3:00PM
- Friday March 19, 2021 9:00AM 3:00PM

Any of the above dates will be open for registration on March 1, 2021. Persons will register for the PODS that are at least 28 days from the first dose, with the following exception: those who received their first dose on February 11<sup>th</sup> will register for the March 12<sup>th</sup> PODS and those that received their first dose on February 20<sup>th</sup> will register for the March 19<sup>th</sup> PODS (second doses may be administered for up to three days prior to the 28-day mark, known as the grace period when scheduling requires it).

If you are unable to register for a PODS that falls closest to the date listed on your CDC COVID-19 Vaccination Record Card, simply register for the next available second dose PODS. There



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will be sufficient slots on March 19<sup>th</sup> to capture all those requesting a second dose that were unable to obtain an earlier appointment.

Persons presenting for second doses will need to bring their first dose immunization card with them. Persons that do not have their card will not be turned away; however, there may be an increased wait time as we retrieve the first dose information from the electronic system.

#### Not Eligible for Vaccination at TCPHB Mass Vax PODS

For safety reasons we will not be vaccinating persons that have any of the following at our COVID-19 Mass Vax PODS:

- Persons who had an allergic reaction to their first dose of Moderna COVID-19 that resulted in itching, hives, chest tightening, swollen tongue, difficulty breathing, or anxiety
- Pregnant women.

These persons should seek vaccine from their medical provider when it becomes available.

COVID-19 Vaccine cannot be given within 14 days of administration of ANY vaccine. Persons must wait until 14 days have passed since receiving ANY vaccine before COVID-19 vaccine can be administered.

Please continue to submit vaccine questions via the Frequently Asked Questions link on our Trinity County webpage so that others can benefit from the answers <a href="https://www.trinitycounty.org/COVID-19/Frequently-Asked-Questions">https://www.trinitycounty.org/COVID-19/Frequently-Asked-Questions</a>