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Licensed and Certified Facilities

Aloha,

CTA is distributing this information which is approved by the Office of Health Care Assurance. It is being distributed to all CMAs and CCFFHs.

This is an update to the emails sent on December 17, 24, 31, 2020, and January 8 and 15, 2021 on the COVID-19 vaccine distribution.

<u>Update for January 22, 2021</u>, for Adult Residential Care Homes (ARCH), Community Care Foster Family Homes (CCFFH), Developmental Disabilities Domiciliary homes (DDDh), Developmental Disabilities Adult Foster homes (DDAF) and Developmental Disabilities (DD) waiver clients.

New information is in bold italics.

Facilities on Kauai and Maui Island

• in-home vaccinations have begun. District Health Offices are reaching out to schedule in-home visits. Your facility will be contacted via telephone.

Facilities on Molokai Island

• District Health Office is taking the lead on vaccinations for Molokai. Your facility will be contacted via telephone.

Facilities on Oahu:

• All homes (CCFFH, DDDh, and ARCH) began receiving in-home vaccinations by a pharmacy last week. Pharmacies are contacting facilities via telephone to schedule an appointment. <u>Please have consent forms completed and signed prior to the scheduled visit.</u> Second (2nd) dose visits are being scheduled at the time of the first (1st) dose.

<u>Facilities on Hawaii Island:</u> Drive-thru vaccination clinics and home visits are being coordinated between the Department of Health District Health Office (DHO) and KTA for January and February. Here is the schedule:

- In-home vaccination visits were conducted by KTA between January 16 21, 2021, for facilities that were unable to attend the drive-thru clinics. Homes not located near Hilo or Kona will receive home visits the week of February 2.
- Pre-registration is required for all vaccinations and pre-registration is closed for east Hawaii Island drive-thru clinics.

- First (1st) Dose:
 - i. Friday, January 22: Kona Community Aquatic Center; 9:00 am to 1:00pm
 - ii. Monday, January 25: Pahoa Gym; 9:00 am to 1:00 pm
 - iii. Friday, January 29: Hilo Civic Center; 8:30 am to 2:30 pm
- Second (2nd) Dose:
 - i. Friday, February 12: Hilo Civic Center; 8:30 am to 2:30 pm
 - ii. Friday, February 19: Kona Community Aquatic Center; 9:00 am to 1:00 pm
 - iii. Monday, February 22: Pahoa Gym; 9:00 am to 1:00 pm
 - iv. Friday, February 26: Hilo Civic Center; 8:30 am to 2:30 pm
- Consent Form Required: For Hawaii island, please click here to fill out the online consent form OR fill out and print the attached form fillable consent form and bring it to the clinic. The consent form must be completed by all care givers and residents who will be receiving the vaccine. If a resident has a designated legal guardian or Power of Attorney, they must also sign the consent form.
- On the Day of the Clinic (Hawaii Island):
 - Arrive at the clinic location you have selected at your scheduled time.
 - Follow signs and/or instructions when entering the clinic site.
 - Bring the following:
 - Government issued picture I.D.
 - Medical insurance card
 - Printed consent form if you have filled out the form fillable consent form.
- Wear a face mask. Face masks are required.
- You will be screened for signs/symptoms of COVID-19. If you are not feeling well, do not attend the clinic.
- The vaccine will be administered by a medical professional with training on injectable medication administration and possible reactions to the vaccine.
- You will receive your vaccination in your upper arm. Wear attire which will allow the immunizer to easily administer your vaccine.
- You will be required to stay on-site for at least 15 minutes after receiving your vaccination to monitor for any adverse reactions.
- A staff member will schedule your second dose after you are vaccinated.

Please stay tuned weekly for more updates and instructions.