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Update for COVID-19 Vaccine Phase 1B: Age 65 and Above

The WI Department of Health Services (DHS) has announced that individuals 65 & older are eligible for COVID-19 vaccination starting on **January 25**. As approved vaccine providers are determining how best to serve the community, several have implemented specific processes.

Ascension:

In accordance with the WI DHS guidelines, Ascension Wisconsin will begin COVID-19 vaccination clinics for its patients who are age 65 and older on Monday, January 25, 2021. In this limited initial round of public vaccinations, those who want to be vaccinated must schedule an appointment and be a current patient of Ascension Medical Group Wisconsin (AMG-WI). AMG-WI is in the process of reviewing medical records for all existing patients and contacting eligible patients over the coming weeks who fit the above criteria.

Please do not call our hospitals or clinics regarding vaccinations. As vaccines are limited at this time, AMG-WI will contact eligible patients.

Aspirus:

Adults 65+ can request vaccine appointments through Aspirus in 2 ways:

- Submit a request online at <u>aspirus.org/vaccine</u> to receive a call back for an appointment.
- Call the Aspirus COVID Call Center at <u>844-568-0701</u>.

Marshfield Clinic:

Marshfield Clinic is taking registrations here.

Northlake Community Clinic- White Lake

The clinic is in the process of reviewing medical records for all existing patients and contacting eligible patients over the coming weeks who fit the above criteria.

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Submit a survey <u>here</u> to be placed on a wait list, or call 1-715-627-6250 and choose option 1 to leave your information and be placed on a wait list **or receive assistance with accessing the COVID-19 vaccine from another vaccine provider.**

Due to high call volume, registration using the online options is recommended.

Please avoid signing up on multiple wait lists.

