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## **Livingston County COVID-19 Vaccination Update**

Livingston County, IL – After receiving approval the Illinois Department of Public Health, the Livingston County Health Department (LCHD) has made over 4,000 COVID-19 vaccination appointments available at three different locations - Dwight, Fairbury, & Pontiac - to county residents age 65 and older. Directions for appointment scheduling and links for registration are available on LCHD's website: <https://lchd.us/site/covid-19-vaccination/>. **Only Livingston County, IL residents age 65 and older may register at this time.**

The LCHD recommends reaching out to friends or loved ones age 65 or older in Livingston County with limited technology or internet access to assist them in scheduling an appointment. Also for residents with limited access to technology, or who need assistance in registering for an appointment, help and resources can be found at the following locations:

<b>Dwight Village Hall</b>	209 S Prairie Ave, Dwight, IL	In-person assistance ONLY
<b>Dwight United Methodist Church</b>	701 S. Columbia St., Dwight, IL	Call 815-584-3430 for appointment
<b>Fairbury City Hall</b>	201 W Locust St, Fairbury, IL	Call 815-692-2743 for appointment
<b>Dominy Memorial Library</b>	201 S. Third St., Fairbury, IL	No appointment needed
<b>Odell Library</b>	301 E. Richard St., Odell, IL	No appointment needed
<b>Pontiac Public Library</b>	211 E. Madison St, Pontiac, IL	Call 815-844-7229 for appointment
<b>Livingston Workforce Services</b>	211 E. Madison St, Pontiac, IL (Second Floor)	Call 309-268-8280 for appointment <i>Not handicap accessible at this time</i>
<b>Pontiac Rec Center</b>	900 N Elm St, Pontiac, IL	No appointment needed

Checking the LCHD COVID-19 Vaccination webpage is the best way to receive up-to-date information regarding vaccine distribution in Livingston County. It is important that community members regularly check this website as it is frequently updated with information regarding appointment availability, who is eligible for the vaccine in Livingston County, and locations for assistance in scheduling appointments.

While the vaccine is not currently available in Livingston County to those essential workers within Phase 1B, the LCHD is hopeful to begin vaccinating this group in the days ahead and will be working with local employers to ensure efficient distribution.

The COVID vaccine will be administered in Livingston County in accordance with the phases as recommended by the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH). Availability and timing of

vaccine administration in Livingston County will depend on vaccine delivery from the State of Illinois. **It is requested that the public please refrain from contacting the LCHD with questions regarding the COVID-19 vaccine.** If you have questions or concerns about receiving the COVID-19 vaccine, please contact your healthcare provider.

The LCHD will continue to work diligently to meet the everyday needs of county residents while aggressively addressing the on-going COVID-19 pandemic.

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