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SARATOGA COUNTY: APPOINTMENTS AVAILABLE AT UPCOMING BOOSTER CLINICS

Saratoga County Public Health Services department (SCPHS) is holding the following free COVID-19 booster clinics:

Wednesday, December 22: Moderna Booster, 9AM -12PM and 1:30PM-3:30PM at Saratoga County Public Health (6012 County Farm Rd, Ballston Spa) **For Ages 18+**

Tuesday, December 28: Pfizer Booster, 9AM-12PM and 1:30PM-3:30PM at Saratoga County Public Health (6012 County Farm Rd, Ballston Spa) **For Ages 16+**

Wednesday, December 29: Moderna Booster, 9AM-12PM and 1:30PM-3:30PM at Saratoga County Public Health (6012 County Farm Rd, Ballston Spa) **For Ages 18+**

To be eligible for a booster vaccine, you must have had your second dose of the Pfizer or Moderna vaccine at least six months prior to the booster clinic date you select or the Johnson and Johnson vaccine at least two months prior to the booster clinic date you select. The vaccines are free. No proof of insurance required.

Please visit www.saratogacountyny.gov/covid and click on "COVID-19 Vaccines and Boosters" to register for any clinic. Seniors may also call the county's COVID-19 Booster Clinic Call Center at (518) 693-1075 to register for a clinic. Saratoga County's COVID-19 Booster Clinic Call Center is available weekdays from 8AM to 4:30PM and weekends from 8AM to 2PM to help seniors make booster appointments within the county.

Clinics open to 16 & 17-year-olds are for those who either reside or attend school in Saratoga County. Parents who have questions about the vaccine are strongly encouraged to speak with their child's healthcare provider in advance of the appointment. The minor to be vaccinated should be accompanied by their parent or guardian. Only one parent/guardian may enter the vaccination clinic at a time. If the minor is unaccompanied by their parent or guardian, a written consent form signed by the parent or guardian must be available at the time of the minor's vaccination. The consent form is available on the County's website.

SCPHS provides free COVID-19 vaccine clinics and booster clinics at the county's Public Safety Building and through partnerships with private businesses across the county.

For more information about COVID-19 vaccines administered by SCPHS, please call (518) 584-7460 Extension 8327 or visit www.saratogacountyny.gov/covid.

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