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SARATOGA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO HOLD MONKEYPOX VACCINE CLINIC

BALLSTON SPA, NY -- Saratoga County Department of Health will hold a monkeypox vaccine clinic at its offices at 6012 County Farm Road in Ballston Spa on Wednesday, July 27 from 9:30AM to 11:30AM and 1:30PM to 3:30PM.

An appointment is required. Make an appointment at the <u>Saratoga County Department of Health Monkeypox</u> Resource Center.

There are currently no reported cases of monkeypox in Saratoga County.

Vaccine Eligibility

In accordance with New York State eligibility guidelines, those eligible to make an appointment for vaccine include:

- Individuals with recent exposure to monkeypox within the past 14 days.
- Those at high risk of a recent exposure to monkeypox, including members of the gay, bisexual, transgender, and gender non-conforming community and other communities of men who have sex with men and who have engaged in intimate or skin-to-skin contact with others in the past 14 days areas where monkeypox is spreading.
- Individuals who have had skin-to-skin contact with someone in a social network experiencing monkeypox activity, including men who have sex with men who meet partners through an online website, digital application ("app"), or social event, such as a bar or party.

The two-dose JYNNEOSTM vaccine will be administered to eligible people who may have had a recent exposure to monkeypox.

For more information or to make an appointment, please visit the Saratoga County Department of Health's monkeypox resource center.