

NH COVID-19 Vaccine Alliance

Zoom Meeting – April 13, 2021

Mission:

Convene stakeholders in New Hampshire to promote vaccine confidence, support accurate and consistent vaccine messaging, and foster coordination in the vaccine's allocation.

Goals:

- 1) Promote public buy-in for COVID-19 vaccines to increase NH immunization rates;
- 2) Act as a force multiplier to support the COVID-19 vaccine communication & allocation plans of the NH-DPHS Bureau of Infectious Disease Control, Immunization Program;
- 3) Counter misinformation on the COVID-19 vaccines; and
- 4) Foster use of NH's Immunization Information System (IIS).

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Takeaways from Week of April 6

Beginning Monday, April 19, out-of-state college students, people with vacation homes and visiting the state can also register for vaccinations. Anyone who wants to schedule a vaccine appointment will still need to register at

<https://www.vaccines.nh.gov/>.

If your practice or facility is interested to enroll as a COVID-19 vaccination provider when supply becomes available, download the [Provider Agreement](#) complete the form electronically and email to C19Enrollment@dhhs.nh.gov.

- [Provider Agreement Instructions](#)
- [Provider Agreement](#) (must be downloaded and opened in Adobe Acrobat, not completed in the web browser)

NH Immunization Information System (NHIIS)

To be re-opened on Thursday, April 15th, NHIIS will feature:

- Consolidated Records for patients
- Management of Vaccine Inventory
- Forecast Immunizations
- Reminder/Recall features
- Expedited Response in an Outbreak
- New look and feel, with streamlined navigation and enhanced reports



For more information, visit:

NHIIS website: <https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/immunization/nhiis.htm>

NHIIS for Providers: <https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/immunization/nhiis-providers.htm>

CDC IIS Information: <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/programs/iis/about.html>

Transferring April 1-15 from VaxNH to new NHIIS

- The **current IIS/VOMS (VaxNH) will sunset on April 1, 2021**. All user and provider information to be transferred from the legacy IIS to NHIIS.
- Vaccine orders will be suspended from April 1 until **NHIIS launched on April 15, 2021**. Plan to have at least a 4 to 6-week supply of vaccine ordered by April 1.
- Provisions will be made on a case by case basis for **emergency ordering** via fax to NHIP.
- **COVID-19 Vaccine orders moved to NHIIS from VAMS. You will be placing orders, create internal transfer between clinics and reconcile within NHIIS only.**

How do I get trained to use NHIIS?

- NHIIS training will consist of 30 minute web-based training module followed by a structural quiz. Successfully completing the quiz will provide you with a certificate that you need to Email/fax to NHIP.
- All existing users must take the training and pass the quiz successfully to get access to NHIIS. NHIIS will have a new look, improved features, and enhancements that will be reviewed during the training session.
- This training is ongoing for existing VaxNH/NHIIS users, and registration will be available on the new NHIIS Training webpage this week.
- Go to <https://www.train.org/cdctrain>

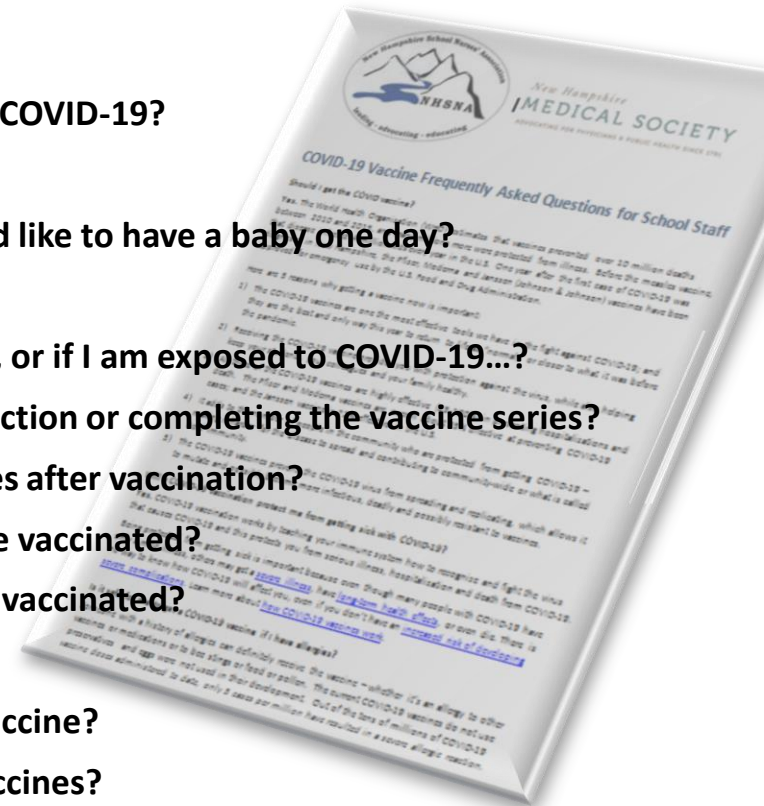
Preparing for Vaccine Allocation Transition

- 1) Sign-Up & have Staff Trained on NH-Immunization Information System
- 2) Review Design of Workflows (NH Vaccine Information & CDC Websites)
- 3) Have Available COVID-19 Vaccine FAQs & Information
 - <https://www.nhms.org/COVID-vaccine-FAQs>
- 1) COVID-19 Vaccine Messaging & Promotion
 - <https://www.covid19.nh.gov/resources/vaccine-information>
 - <https://wecandothis.hhs.gov/>
 - <https://www.maskupnewhampshire.com/covid-19-vaccine>

Brandable COVID-19 Vaccine FAQs Available

<https://www.nhms.org/COVID-vaccine-FAQs> (MSWord/PDF)

- 1) Should I get the COVID vaccine?
- 2) Will a COVID-19 vaccination protect me from getting sick with COVID-19?
- 3) Is it safe for me to get a COVID-19 vaccine if I have allergies?
- 4) Are COVID-19 vaccines safe if I am pregnant, lactating or would like to have a baby one day?
- 5) What side effects are possible after vaccination?
- 6) Do I still need to quarantine for travel outside of New England, or if I am exposed to COVID-19...?
- 7) What if I develop symptoms after having a prior COVID-19 infection or completing the vaccine series?
- 8) Will I still need to wear a mask and follow prevention measures after vaccination?
- 9) If I tested positive for COVID-19 in the past, do I still need to be vaccinated?
- 10) If I currently have COVID-19, how long do I need to wait to get vaccinated?
- 11) If I get the vaccine, will I test positive for COVID-19?
- 12) Will I have to get vaccinated every year like I do with the flu vaccine?
- 13) Where can I find more information regarding the COVID-19 vaccines?



NH-DPHS COVID-19 Weekly Information Sessions

Long-Term Care – 1st & 3rd Wednesdays (11:45am-1pm)

Zoom: <https://zoom.us/j/511075725>

Call-in phone number: (929) 205-6099

Meeting ID: 511 075 725 Password: 092020

Education/Childcare – 1st & 3rd Wednesdays (3:30-4:30pm)

Zoom: <https://nh-dhhs.zoom.us/j/98062195081>

Call-in phone number: (646) 558-8656

Meeting ID: 980 6219 5081 Password: 197445

Healthcare Providers - Thursdays (12-1pm)

Zoom: <https://zoom.us/s/94841259025>

Call-in phone number: (646) 558-8656

Meeting ID: 948 4125 9025 Password: 003270

Transitioning from Public to Private-Based COVID-19 Vaccine Allocation Process in NH

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Links Noted in NH COVID-19 VAX Alliance Discussion

VINI or NH vaccine registration: <https://www.vaccines.nh.gov/>

Email for COVID-19 vaccine provider agreement questions: C19Enrollment@dhhs.nh.gov

Email for NH Immunization Information System questions: nhiis.support@dhhs.nh.gov

Required training for NH-IIS use: <https://www.train.org/cdctrain>

NH COVID-19 Vaccine Information:

<https://www.covid19.nh.gov/resources/vaccine-information>

COVID-19 Vaccine Messaging & Outreach Resources:

COVID-19 Community Corps: <https://wecandohis.hhs.gov/>

#SleeveUpNH: <https://www.maskupnewhampshire.com/covid-19-vaccine>

Ad Council Collaborative COVID-19 Messaging Toolkit: <https://www.adcouncil.org/covid-vaccine>

Brandable COVID-19 FAQs for Patients: <https://www.nhms.org/COVID-vaccine-FAQs> (MSWord/PDF)