## JEFFERSON COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

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New York State Department of Health Offers COVID-19 Walk-In Vaccine Clinic Sunday, December 19, 2021 at the JCC Gymnasium, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

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The Jefferson County Public Health Service is pleased to promote a New York State Department of Health COVID-19 Vaccination Clinic on Sunday, December 19, 2021 at the Jefferson Community College Gymnasium from 9:00 a.m. through 3:00 p.m.

Details of the clinic are as follows:

- The walk-in clinic is a primarily a Booster clinic, however, individuals needing first or second doses will receive them.
- Only Pfizer and Moderna vaccine will be given. Individuals who received a single dose of Johnson & Johnson vaccine may choose from Moderna or Pfizer for their booster shot.
- Eligibility by age groups include the following:
  - o Boosters:
    - Ages 16 & 17: Pfizer Boosters.
    - Ages 18 and older: Pfizer or Moderna Boosters.
  - o 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Doses:
    - Ages 12—17: 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Pfizer doses.
    - Ages 18 and older: 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Pfizer or Moderna doses as requested.
- Please bring your current vaccine card and a form of Identification. If you do not have your current vaccine card, a new one will be provided to you at the clinic.

Because vaccine efficacy is waning, risk for contracting COVID-19 is increasing in fully vaccinated individuals. It is imperative that all eligible receive a booster dose as soon as possible. Eligible individuals for a booster dose can receive Pfizer or Moderna vaccine at least 6 months after the second shot. Those who received one dose of Johnson & Johnson vaccine can receive a booster dose at least two months after the first shot.

To learn more about COVID-19 vaccination, visit <a href="www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines">www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines</a>.

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