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Halifax County COVID-19 Vaccine Update

Halifax – Halifax County Health Department, Drugco Pharmacy and Rural Health Group are now taking **FIRST DOSE** appointments by **online registration only** for the following groups:

Group 1 includes:
- Health care workers caring for and working directly with patients with COVID-19, including staff responsible for cleaning and maintenance in those areas
- Health care workers administering the vaccine
- Long-term care staff and residents – people in skilled nursing facilities and in adult, family and group homes.

Group 2 includes:
- Anyone **65 years and older**, regardless of health status or living situation

Group 3A:
- School employees and child care workers

Halifax County Health Department will offer **FIRST DOSE** appointments by **online registration only** for Thursday, February 25, 2021 and Friday, February 26, 2021 from 8:30am - 4:00pm in Weldon, NC at Halifax Community College Building 700. You **MUST** enter Halifax Community College via the Country Club Road entrance. Please follow the signs posted to direct you to the 700 Building. Please be advised that anyone who has a scheduled appointment will receive a call from the health department to pre-register you for your vaccine. To schedule a first dose appointment, please visit: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4FAAA62EA1FEC43-223224

Drugco Pharmacy will offer **FIRST DOSE** appointments by **online registration only** for Group 1, Group 2 and Group 3A. To schedule a first dose appointment, please visit: https://hipaa.jotform.com/210144516163142

Rural Health Group will offer **FIRST DOSE** appointments by **online registration only** for Group 1, Group 2 and Group 3A. To schedule a first dose appointment at the Franklinton Center at Bricks, 281 Bricks Lane, Whitakers, NC 27891 on March 5, 2021, please visit: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4FAEAE28A2FFC16-1stcovid

For more information regarding COVID 19 Vaccinations, please visit:
https://covid19.ncdhhs.gov/vaccines

For the latest COVID 19 vaccination information, please text COVIDVAX to 888777.
You will be able to sign up to receive text messages for latest information related to COVID 19.