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COVID-19 VACCINES FOR AGES 6 MONTHS AND OLDER AVAILABLE STATEWIDE Parents of children under five should contact their pediatrician for vaccine

CUMBERLAND, MD – Earlier this week, Maryland Governor Larry Hogan announced that – following the CDC’s June 18th authorization of Pfizer and Moderna COVID-19 vaccines for children age 6 months or older – vaccinations for young children are available statewide. In Allegheny County, COVID-19 vaccinations for children under 5 years of age can be obtained from local pediatricians. Parents are encouraged to contact their pediatrician’s office to have their children vaccinated against COVID-19, and follow up with recommended booster vaccinations when eligible.

The Allegheny County Health Department continues to offer vaccinations for ages 5 to 11 on Wednesdays from 3 to 4:30 p.m. at the Willowbrook Office Complex on Willowbrook Road. Vaccinations for individuals 12 and older will be offered on Wednesday, June 29 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Allegheny County Fairgrounds Multipurpose Building. Testing, vaccinations, and treatment for COVID-19 are also widely available through primary care providers, pharmacies, and other healthcare facilities.

Information and registration links for health department COVID testing and vaccination clinics can be found at health.maryland.gov/allegany. More information on additional COVID resources can be found at covidLINK.maryland.gov.

ALLEGANY COUNTY COVID-19 DATA AS OF JUNE 23:

- CDC COVID-19 Community Level: Low
- New COVID Cases This Week: 105 (cumulative total 17,948)
- Additional Deaths This Week: 0 (cumulative total 365)
- Cases Per 100,000 People: 21.3 (Maryland: 20.54)
- Positivity Rate: 8.23% (Maryland: 7.39%)

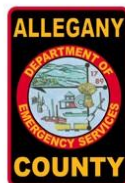
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