

COVID-19 Immunization FAQs

Frequently Asked Questions about Routine Vaccinations due to COVID-19

Current as of May 5, 2020—clinic priorities will likely change in the future. Call your provider for more information

Scenario WHAT DO I DO?	UNM Hospital	Presbyterian Medical Group	NM Department of Health	First Choice Community Healthcare
My baby turned 4 months old in April and is due for his 4-month-old shots (RV, DTaP, Hib, PCV13, IPV).	Pediatric vaccinations are delayed until further notice.	Pediatric vaccinations are being kept on schedule.	Pediatric vaccinations are delayed until further notice.	Pediatric vaccinations are being kept on schedule with provider referral until the stay at home order is lifted.
My daughter turned one in March and is due for her 12-month-old shots (Hep B, Hib, PCV13, IPV, Flu, MMR, Varicella, Hep A).	The clinic is vaccinating some patients; however, it is provider specific on who they will agree to see. Parents should be patient and know that their child's vaccinations may be late, however, schools, and universities should be understanding of the situation.	Parents should call the clinic and make appointments as needed. <i>Wyoming</i> (505) 462-6600	Patients can either wait or call their primary provider; if they do not have a primary provider, patients can ask their insurance company for a referral to a provider that is currently giving vaccinations.	Parents should call the clinic and make appointments as needed. <i>FCCH North Valley Medical Center,</i> (505) 345-3244, <i>FCCH South Valley Medical Center</i> (505) 873-7400
My son is turning 11 in June and is due for these shots that are needed for 7 th grade school registration: Tdap, HPV, MCV4.				
My daughter is 16 and is due for her annual physical, her flu shot, her second Gardasil shot (HPV), and her 2 nd meningococcal shot (MCV4), and Men B.	<i>Pediatric Clinic,</i> (505) 272-2345		<i>Midtown Public Health Office,</i> (505) 841-4100	<i>FCCH South Valley Medical Center</i> (505) 873-7400
My dad is 70 years old and needs his second shingles shot (RZV, also known as Shingrix). Because of COVID-19, what do I do?	Walgreens	Most adult vaccinations (pneumonia, shingles, etc.) are delayed for now, however, essential vaccines (Tdap for pregnant women) are being kept on schedule. Patients should call the clinic to make appointments as needed. <i>Wyoming</i> (505) 462-6600	Adult vaccinations are delayed until further notice. Patients can wait or call their provider; if they do not have a provider, patients can ask their insurance company for a referral to a provider that is currently giving vaccinations. <i>Midtown Public Health Office,</i> (505) 841-4100	Adult vaccinations are delayed until further notice. <i>North Valley Medical Center</i> (505) 345-3244 <i>South Valley Medical Center</i> (505) 873-7400
	Most vaccinations are delayed until further notice. The pharmacy may still provide certain vaccines (flu, pneumonia, Tdap), but this may vary by pharmacy; call the community pharmacy to make appointments as needed. <i>Walgreens, 9700 Menaul Blvd NE (505) 299-954</i>			

NOTE: If a dose in a vaccine series is given late, it is not necessary to restart the series. Vaccine booster doses can be given at later than minimum interval, but not earlier, i.e., the shingles vaccine series does not need to be restarted if the second dose is delayed past the recommended interval. A late vaccine is still valid.

