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District Health Department No. 2 Provides Update on Vaccinations

District Health Department No. 2 (DHD2), serving Alcona, Iosco, Ogemaw and Oscoda Counties, would like to take the opportunity to update area residents on the status of COVID-19 vaccinations given by DHD2 in the jurisdiction. To date, a total of 1,943 first doses have been administered by DHD2, with 70 second doses being administered as well. In previous mass vaccination clinics, 743 first doses were given on January 15, 2021 and January 16, 2021. In addition, 600 first doses were given January 22, 2021 and January 23, 2021.

As DHD2 continues to move forward in the mass vaccination process, additional clinics are being planned as vaccines become available. This week, an additional 600 doses of first COVID-19 vaccinations will be administered with Alcona Health Center and Thunder Bay Community Health Service administering 100 doses each. DHD2 will administer 400 first doses at a mass vaccination event at Alcona High School on Thursday, January 28, 2021. Scheduling for this clinic is currently taking place.

If you would like to pre-register for up-coming mass vaccination clinics, go to the DHD2 website at www.dhd2.org and click on the red banner, complete the form in its entirety providing all the necessary information. You will know your form submission is successful when you receive the “Thank You” message after hitting the submit button. IT IS IMPORTANT to note that completing the form is a pre-registration. This does not register you for a particular clinic. DHD2 staff are reaching out to individuals via phone call when an appointment date and time become available. A message will be left if you do not answer your phone. It is crucial that individuals do not show up to a clinic if they are not given a specific appointment date and time. If you are elderly and unable to register on-line, please call the Region 9 Area Agency on Aging for assistance at 989-358-4899.