COVID-19 VACCINE FAQ

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Many people are choosing to get vaccinated for COVID-19 and LC State encourages this. As we continue to look to the future in anticipation of returning to a more normal campus environment, vaccinations appear to be a powerful tool in keeping COVID-19 at bay and allowing for more traditional class delivery, athletic competitions, and other campus events.

The following are common questions about how to get a vaccine and the related campus protocols once someone has been vaccinated.

Q: Where can I get vaccinated for COVID-19?

A: Vaccines may be available through your local health care provider or you may contact Public Health – Idaho North Central District to make an appointment to receive the vaccine. Vaccines are offered at NO COST to those who choose to get one. Two vaccination clinics are being offered to the LC State campus community – April 2 and April 9, 2021, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. on each day. For these particular clinics, the Johnson & Johnson/Janssen vaccines will be available. Details are as follows:

To register for the April 2 clinic, use this link: www.idahoprepmod.com//reg/1560324914
To register for the April 9 clinic, use this link: www.idahoprepmod.com/reg/6075129844

Note: The vaccine options will vary according to the date and location in which a person gets vaccinated.

Q: What if I can't make it to one of the vaccination clinics?

A: You may contact Public Health – Idaho North Central District by calling 208-799-3100 to schedule a different day and time to get the vaccine. You can also register to get the vaccine online as well as identify places in our local health district where vaccines are available: www.idahopublichealth.com/district-2/novel-coronavirus/vaccines

Q: If I've already had COVID-19, do I need the vaccine?

A: Yes, you should be vaccinated regardless of whether you already had COVID-19. That's because experts do not yet know how long you are protected from getting sick again after recovering from COVID-19 (CDC).

Q: When am I considered fully vaccinated for COVID-19?

A: According to the CDC, people are considered fully vaccinated two weeks after they have received their final dose*.

Q: Am I required to wear a face covering after I'm fully vaccinated?

A: Yes, face coverings are still required in campus facilities, <u>and</u> outside on campus grounds when social distancing of at least 6 feet is not possible.

Q: If I am exposed to COVID-19 after I am fully vaccinated, will I need to quarantine?

A: According to the CDC, people who have been fully vaccinated do not need to quarantine if they have been exposed to someone who has COVID-19 unless they exhibit symptoms associated with COVID-19.

Q: Do the college's travel policies still apply if I have been fully vaccinated?

A: Yes, the college's travel policies and general safety protocols associated with travel still apply. These policies have been developed in the context of both financial and health considerations.

Q: Once fully vaccinated, how closely do I need to monitor myself for symptoms of COVID-19?

A: Even after you've been fully vaccinated, if you have symptoms related to COVID-19, then please see a qualified healthcare provider to get tested and be advised.

^{*} Some vaccinations require two doses.