



Say Yes to the Covid-19 Vaccine

Dear Pineapple Family,

We are pleased to continue to support the effort to vaccinate our employees, medical staff and the community, following guidance from the state of Florida. The state has announced some changes in eligibility criteria for the vaccine. **Beginning this Monday, March 29, all Floridians age 40 and older will be eligible to receive the vaccine. Beginning the following Monday, April 5, all those age 18 and older will be eligible.**

Appointments will be available next week for the following individuals:

- Those who have direct contact with patients and who work in patient care settings in **priority groups 1A and 1B.**
- Those who are age 40 and older.
- Those who are under age 40 and have been determined by a physician to be extremely vulnerable to COVID-19.
 - If you are under 40 and receiving the vaccine because you have been determined by your physician to be extremely vulnerable to COVID-19, you must attest that your physician recommended you receive the vaccine due to your high-risk condition. See **list of medical conditions specified by CDC as increasing risk.** No additional documentation is required at this time.

Appointments will be available beginning on April 5th for all individuals who are age 18 and older.

Employee Vaccine appointments

If you would like to request an appointment for the COVID-19 vaccine and meet criteria, please complete this **request form.** You will be scheduled within the next few days, based on vaccine availability.

Please note: After submitting the intranet vaccine appointment request form, you will receive an email from Baptist Health South Florida (no-reply@email.baptisthealthsfl.net), and subject line: *[External] Schedule Your COVID-19 Appointment Now*, with a link to schedule your vaccine appointment. If you have not received this email please look in your junk or spam folders for the email. If your link has expired and you still wish to schedule a vaccine appointment, **please call 1-833-MyBaptist to request that it be reactivated.**

Vaccine Survey

We would like to know how many of our employees have received the COVID-19 vaccine, so that we can plan accordingly for future dose requests and prepare for distribution. If you have not yet completed **this short survey,** please do so. Your responses will remain anonymous.

Community Vaccine Availability

We are also pleased to continue to support the effort to vaccinate our community. **We will be opening additional appointments at approximately 10 a.m. on Monday, March 29, for the following week.** Members of the local community who qualify for the vaccine may make an appointment via our

website, baptisthealth.net/vaccine. We will be notifying our community on Twitter and through our Instagram stories. Please follow us @BaptistHealthSF on Twitter and Instagram for the latest information, and encourage your family and friends to do the same. We expect to continue to post new appointments as vaccines become available.

Thank you.