



KETCHIKAN GATEWAY BOROUGH, CITY OF KETCHIKAN, AND CITY OF SAXMAN

EOC MEDIA RELEASE: COVID-19 VACCINE CLINIC UPDATE

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For Immediate Release

The Ketchikan Public Health Clinic announced that vaccine clinics have been scheduled for eligible health care providers and Alaskans age 65 and older. These clinics have been added to the Alaska DHSS online scheduling tool, in addition to clinics offered by other providers.

The Ketchikan Public Health Clinic has available appointment times on January 14th, January 19th, and January 20th.

Those eligible for appointments at the Public Health Center Clinics are:

- Alaskans age 65 and older
- Health care providers eligible under Phase 1A Tier III who are not affiliated with PeaceHealth. (PeaceHealth employees are vaccinated through PeaceHealth directly.)

How to schedule an appointment:

1. Schedule an appointment online at <http://covidvax.alaska.gov>
2. Members of the Ketchikan Indian Community or Saxman tribal citizens may call the Ketchikan Indian Community Clinic at 907-228-9200.
3. Call 907-646-3322 for assistance with scheduling an appointment.
Leave a message with your name, location, phone number, and someone will return your call.
4. Call one of the following local agencies for assistance with scheduling an appointment.
 - Ketchikan Public Library
 - Community Connections is available to assist its clientele.
 - Rendezvous Senior Services is available to assist its clientele.

Please note that the current vaccine quantity and available appointment times are limited. Public Health has ordered additional quantity of the vaccine with the goal that additional clinics can be scheduled later in the month.

Information on the COVID-19 vaccine in Alaska is available at: <http://covidvax.alaska.gov>

- **Email:** covid19vaccine@alaska.gov
- **Phone:** 1-907-646-3322

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