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## NEWS RELEASE

### Oakland County Holding COVID-19 Vaccine Clinics for School-Age and College Students

#### Walk-in Clinics Also Available at Arts, Beats & Eats Labor Day Weekend

Pontiac, Mich., Sept. 1, 2021 – **Oakland County is holding school-based COVID-19 vaccine clinics as students return to classes this month. The Oakland County Health Division will also administer COVID-19 vaccine at the Arts, Beats and Eats Festival in Royal Oak Labor Day weekend.** Public health nurses will be on hand at 301 W. 4th St. from noon – 5:00 p.m. Friday, Sept. 3 - Monday, Sept. 6 to vaccinate individuals on a walk-in basis. For more information, go to [OaklandCountyVaccine.com](http://OaklandCountyVaccine.com).

The Health Division is offering school-based clinics to school-age and college students because there are 51,000 Oakland County residents from the ages of 12 to 19 years old who have not received their COVID-19 vaccination. In addition, there are about 66,000 residents 20-29 years old who are not immunized. **Greater than one in three new COVID-19 cases in Oakland County from Aug. 16-29 were residents 29 years and younger.**

The county will hold a walk-in clinic at the **Troy School District Service Building** on Thursday, Sept. 9 from 3:00-7:00 p.m. at 4420 Livernois Rd. On Friday, Sept. 10, there will be another clinic at the **Rochester Community Schools Administration Building** at 601 W. University Dr. from 3:00-6:00 p.m.

Oakland County Health Division is working closely with Oakland County colleges and universities including Lawrence Technological University, Oakland Community College, Oakland University, and Rochester University to offer COVID-19 vaccines to their students over the next two months.

The Oakland County Health Division is holding daily vaccine clinics from 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. at both its North Oakland Health Center in Pontiac and South Oakland Health Center in Southfield in addition to pop-up clinics in the community. **Click on [OaklandCountyVaccine.com](http://OaklandCountyVaccine.com) to locate the nearest Health Division vaccine clinic.** Those who do not have access to the Internet may call **the Nurse on Call at 800-848-5533** Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m. for more information.

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The following is an update on **progress vaccinating Oakland County residents**, according to the State of Michigan COVID-19 Vaccine Dashboard as of Aug. 31, 2021:

- Total eligible residents 16 and older: 1,029,737
  - Number of residents 16 and older who have received first dose: 746,382
  - Number of residents 16 and older who have completed vaccination: 693,159
  - Vaccine coverage for residents 16 and older: 72.5 percent
  
- Total eligible residents 12 and older: 1,091,389
  - Number of residents 12 and older who have received first dose: 778,694
  - Number of residents 12 years and older who have completed vaccination: 721,172
  - Vaccine coverage for residents 12 and older: 71.3 percent
  
- Total eligible senior residents 65 and older: 217,676
  - Number of senior residents who have received first dose: 187,529
  - Number of senior residents who have completed vaccination: 178,973
  - Vaccine coverage for senior residents: 86.2 percent
  
- Total doses distributed within Oakland County: 1,512,805
  - Total doses administered within Oakland County: 1,445,176
  - Percentage of doses administered within Oakland County: 95.5%