

## USE OF JOHNSON & JOHNSON VACCINE RESUMES AT DISTRICT HEALTH DEPARTMENT #10

April 26, 2021 – Following the recommendation from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA), the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), and the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS), District Health Department #10 (DHD#10) will resume the use of the Johnson & Johnson (J&J) vaccine in all ten counties of our jurisdiction for anyone 18 years or older.

The agencies previously recommended a pause on April 13th while experts conducted a thorough safety review after reports of an extremely rare blood clotting syndrome in some people. The FDA and CDC have confidence that this vaccine is safe and effective in preventing COVID-19 and have determined that the available data show that the vaccine's known and potential benefits outweigh its known and potential risks.

**DHD#10** is hosting two offsite clinics this Wednesday, April 28, where the Johnson & Johnson vaccine will be available for anyone aged 18 and older. Clinic times and locations are as follows:

- Little River Casino Resort, 2700 Orchard Hwy in Manistee
  - O Clinic time: 10 to 7 Walk-ins welcome from 11 to 6
  - Schedule online at: <a href="https://ph-district10.as.me/immscovidcasino202104">https://ph-district10.as.me/immscovidcasino202104</a>
  - o If no computer or internet, call 231-349-4178 for assistance
  - o 1<sup>st</sup> dose of Moderna is also available
- Double JJ Resort, Back Forty, 5900 S. Water Road in Rothbury
  - O Clinic time: 8:30 to 5:30, Walk-ins welcome from 10 to 4
  - Schedule online at: https://ph-district10.as.me/covid2021dbljj0416r5
  - If no computer or internet, call 231-674-5218 for assistance
  - o 1st dose of Pfizer is also available for anyone 16 and older

For more information on the COVID-19 vaccine, go to <a href="www.dhd10.org/covid-19-vaccine">www.dhd10.org/covid-19-vaccine</a>. To stay up to date on the latest information, sign up for Public Health Alerts at <a href="www.dhd10.org/schedule">www.dhd10.org/schedule</a>.

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