



## DHD#10 FLU/COVID-19 VACCINE CLINICS DHD#10 Hosting New Vaccine Clinics in February.

January 28, 2022 - District Health Department #10 (DHD#10) announces new Flu and COVID-19 vaccination clinics in February.

"People are concerned about the stigma of getting their first dose of the COVID-19 vaccine at this stage of the pandemic" said Kevin Hughes, DHD#10 Health Officer. "That shouldn't be the case, because it's never too late to get your first dose!"

Below is a list of upcoming Flu/COVID-19 vaccine clinics:

## CRAWFORD

Crawford County Senior Center 308 Lawndale St | Grayling February 3 | 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

## MASON

Ludington Library 217 E. Ludington Ave, Ludington February 7 | 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Safe Harbor Credit Union 5511 US-10, Ludington February 16 | 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Ludington Area Center of the Arts 107 S Harrison St, Ludington February 17 | 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

The COVID-19 vaccine is free. The cost for the seasonal flu vaccine without insurance is \$37. High dose and preservative-free flu shots are available for \$46. The COVID-19 vaccine is free. Please bring your insurance cards and your driver's license with you.

Many health insurance plans now cover the cost of flu vaccines. If not, DHD#10 may be able to help through Vaccines for Children (VFC) or other programs. DHD#10 can bill the following: Medicare\*, Medicare Health Plans\*, Medicaid, Medicaid Health Plans, Blue Cross Blue Shield, Cigna, Blue Care Network\*\*, Priority Health, McLaren Commercial, ASR, United Health Care, and TRICARE with an insurance card present at the time of appointment. It is important to be aware of your insurance benefit rules.

All vaccine clinics will have the Johnson & Johnson, Pfizer, and Modern COVID-19 vaccines as well as boosters for those eligible. Please bring your driver's license and insurance ID cards. Minors must be accompanied by parents or legal guardians.

\*Medicare can only be billed for Flu, Pneumococcal, or PCV13 shots. \*\*Excludes Mercy Partnered Plans.

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DHD#10 is also hosting COVID-19 and Flu vaccine clinics at various locations throughout our jurisdiction. Find a clinic near you at <u>www.dhd10.org/events</u> or on Facebook at <u>www.facebook.com/DHD10/events</u>.

For those interested in hosting a COVID-19 vaccine or testing clinic at their location, please complete this registration form: <u>https://bit.ly/3j52rSj</u>

For those wanting to schedule their COVID-19 vaccine, booster dose and/or flu shot, please visit <u>www.dhd10.org/schedule</u> or call 888-217-3904. If no appointments are available, consider going to a pharmacy or your primary health care provider.

For those needing a COVID-19 test, DHD#10 is hosting testing clinics at various locations throughout their jurisdiction. Find a testing site near you at <u>www.dhd10.org/covid19-testing-clinics</u>. You do not need to be a resident to get tested at any of these clinics. COVID-19 testing also takes place at most pharmacies, urgent cares, and your primary health care provider's office. You can also find testing in neighboring counties on the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services' (MDHHS) site: <u>https://www.michigan.gov/coronavirus/0,9753,7-406-98178\_104699\_104714-554722--,00.html</u>.

DHD#10 does not supply COVID-19 at-home tests; however, test kits are available at most pharmacies. Be sure to call your pharmacy ahead of time, as demand is high. You can also get at-home tests through the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) and the United States Postal Service (USPS) here: <u>https://www.covidtests.gov/</u>. If you have a positive COVID-19 at-home test kit, please report it here: <u>https://survey.alchemer.com/s3/6055601/3a61f0729898</u>

Employers are critical to our understanding of outbreaks. If you are an employer and would like to report a positive test result from your organization, please do so at: <u>covidreporting@dhd10.org</u>.

For more information on COVID-19, visit www.dhd10.org/coronavirus.

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