Michigan Interim COVID-19 Vaccination Strategy

March 30, 2021





WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE VACCINES?

All available COVID-19 vaccines have been shown to be highly effective at preventing serious impacts of the virus including hospitalizations and deaths. Their differences are primarily the dosage schedule and how they can be transported and stored, as shown below.

	PFIZER-BIONTECH	MODERNA	JOHNSON & JOHNSON
ТҮРЕ	mRNA	mRNA	Viral vector
DOSES	2	2	1
PEAK EFFECTIVENESS*	7 days after the second dose*	14 days after the second dose*	28 days after the single dose*

^{*}All three vaccines begin to protect you soon after being administered, including with the first dose.

Source: Publichealthcollaborative.org

HOW EFFECTIVE IS EACH VACCINE?

Based on each vaccine manufacturer's reported data as of February 2021, all three vaccines are highly effective at preventing COVID-19-related severe infections and deaths.

	PFIZER-BIONTECH	MODERNA	JOHNSON & JOHNSON
AGAINST DEATH	100% Effective	100% Effective	100% Effective
AGAINST SEVERE INFECTIONS	75% Effective	100% Effective	85% Effective
AGAINST ALL INFECTIONS	95% Effective	94.5% Effective	66% Effective

All percentages are calculated based on a relatively small number of events and should be viewed as estimates.

Note: The trials were done under different circumstances and can not be compared directly. For example, Johnson and Johnson was conducted later in the year with broader spread and with more easily transmitted variants.



GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- All Michiganders have equitable access to vaccines.
- Vaccine planning and distribution is inclusive.
 - Actively engages state and local government, public and private partners; and draws upon the experience and expertise of leaders from historically marginalized populations.
- Communications are transparent, accurate, and frequent to build public trust.

- Data is used to promote equity, track progress and guide decisionmaking.
- Resource stewardship, efficiency, and continuous quality improvement drive strategic implementation.

70%

of Michiganders age 16 and up vaccinated as quickly as possible.

90%

of doses received are administered within 7 days of arrival.

95%

of people receiving the two-dose vaccines get their second dose within the expected time frame.



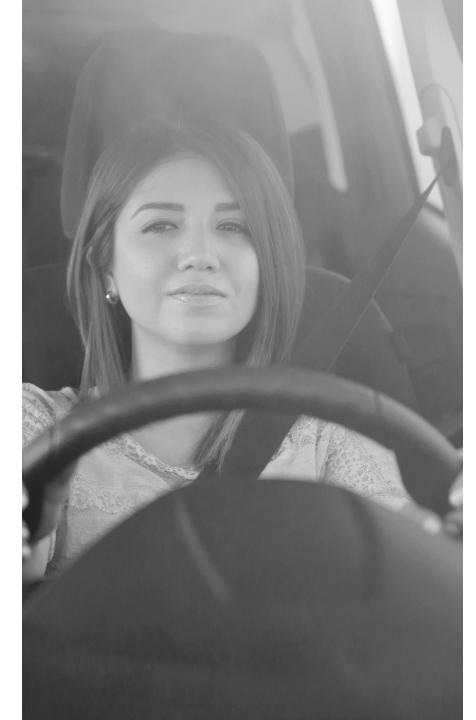


Zero Disparity

There is no disparity in vaccination rates across racial and ethnic groups or by social vulnerability index.

20-minute

No Michigander should have to drive more than 20 minutes to reach a vaccination site.





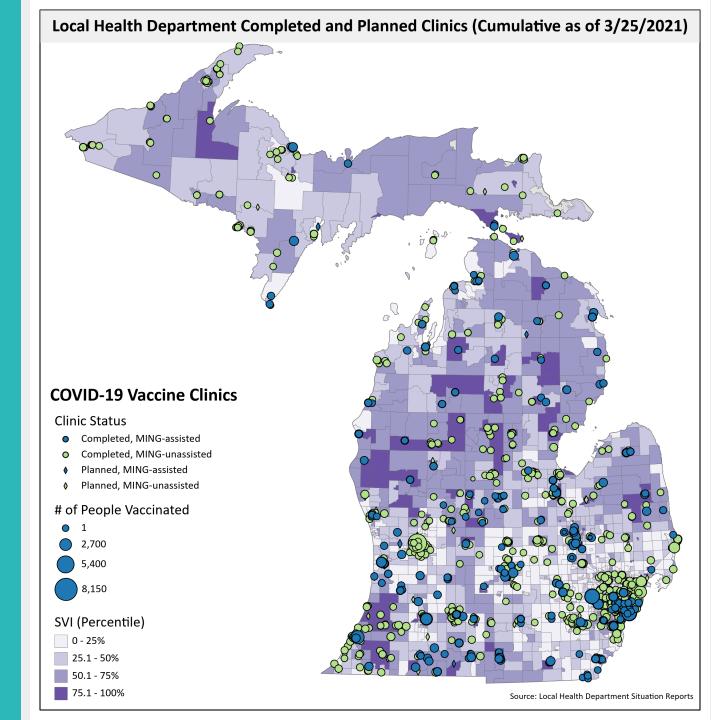


CDC SOCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX

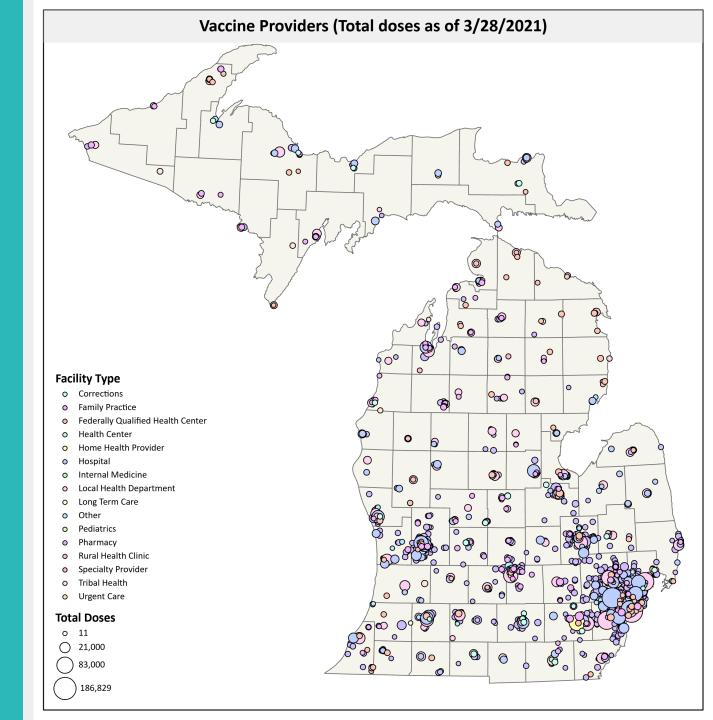
- Ranks communities on 15 social factors.
 - Socioeconomic status
 (below poverty, unemployed, income, no high school diploma)
 - Household composition & disability

 (aged 65 or older, aged 17 or younger, older than age 5 with a disability, single-parent households)
 - Minority status & language (minority, speak English "less than well")
 - Housing type & transportation (multi-unit structures, mobile homes, crowding, no vehicle, group quarters)
- ♣ The status in Michigan communities correlates with the communities hardest hit by COVID-19 this spring and areas of with high rates of risk factors for severe COVID-19 outcomes.

Completed and Planned Vaccination Clinics



Clinics That Have Provided Vaccine



INTERIM VACCINATION SCHEDULE

		Estimated schedule for first doses administered												
Phase	People covered	Dec	Jan	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
1A	Healthcare workers													
	Long term care residents and													
	staff													
	75 years+ not covered above													
	Prioritized frontline responders													
	School and child care staff													
1B	Corrections staff and detained													
10	individuals													
	Agriculture/food processing													
	workers				March 1st	t								
	Other essential frontline workers													
	65-74 years old													
	50-64 with disabilities/pre-													
existing conditions March 8th Caregivers of children with														
1C	special health care needs				March	8th								
	16-49 with disabilities/pre-													
	existing conditions				M	larch 22n	d							
	Remaining essential workers													
2	50 to 64 years not covered above				М	larch 22n	d							
	16 to 49 years not covered above						April 5th							

PRIORITY GUIDANCE AS OF 3/12/2021

By March 1, 2021, all areas of the state may, as vaccine supplies are available, implement vaccination of people who are frontline essential workers in the food processing and agricultural industries.

By March 8, 2021, all areas of the state may, as vaccine supplies are available, implement vaccination of people who are aged 50 and up with medical conditions and/or disabilities, as well as caregiver family members and guardians age 16 and older of children who have special health care needs (part of Phase 1C Groups B and C).

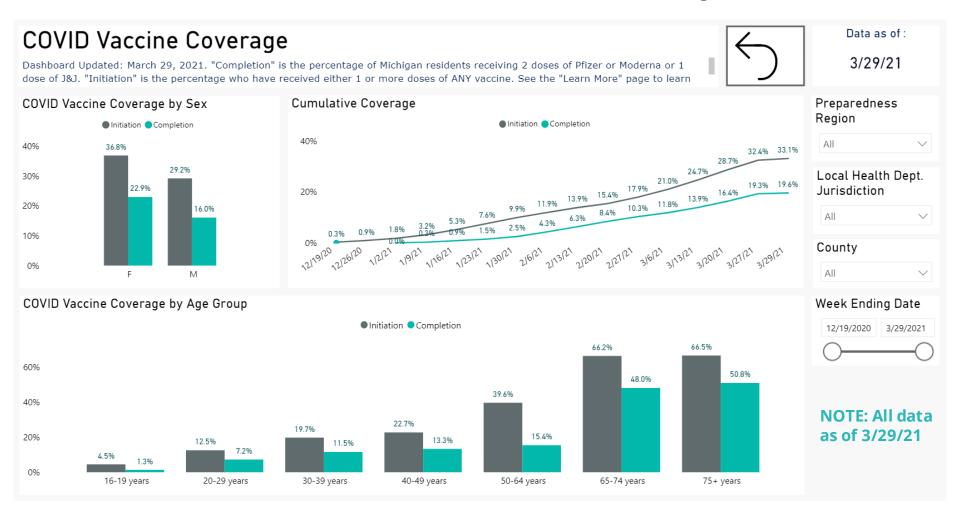
By March 22, 2021, all areas of the state may, as vaccine supplies are available, implement vaccination of people who are aged 50 and up (part of Phase 2), as well as vaccination of people are 16 and up who have disabilities and/or medical conditions, as well as their caregiver family members and guardians.

By April 5, 2021, all areas of the state may, as vaccine supplies are available, implement vaccination of all people aged 16 and up who were not previously eligible.

VACCINATION DATA

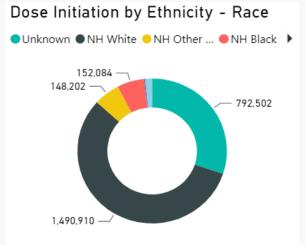
- + 2,697,468 first doses
- + 4,207,102 doses administered to date

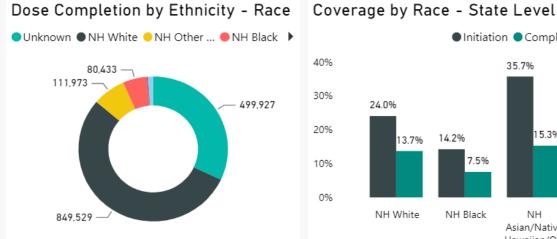
- ◆ 33.1% over age 15 have first dose
- 19.6% fully vaccinated
- ★ 66.4% over age 65 have first dose

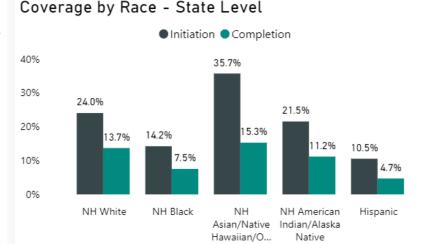


COVID Vaccination - State Level Race Metrics

Dashboard Updated: March 29, 2021. "Completion" is the percentage of Michigan residents receiving 2 doses of Pfizer or Moderna or 1 dose of J&J. "Initiation" is the percentage who have received either 1 or more doses of ANY vaccine. See the "Learn More" page to learn how percentages are calculated.



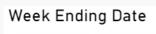




Michigan

Data as of: 3/29/21



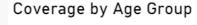


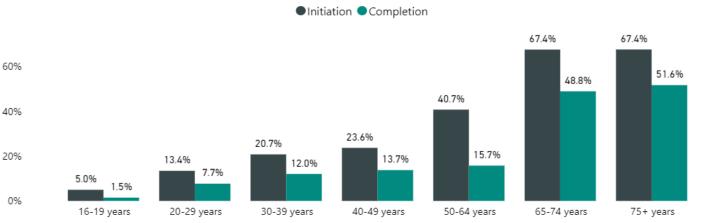


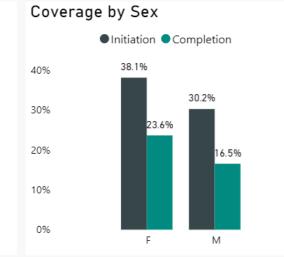


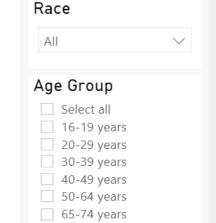
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75+ years

STRATEGY 1: Get more people vaccinated

Objective

Expand capacity as much as possible, prioritizing those most vulnerable to severe disease and exposure and ensuring equity throughout process.

- → Work closely with local health officers to support FQHCs, mobile clinics, local health departments, school-based health centers and other community vaccinators to specifically target vulnerable populations for vaccinations.
- Utilize EMS, Mobile Strike Teams, and other vaccinator partner to implement strategies to vaccinate homebound, disabled, migrant or transient workforce, and other marginalized communities.
- Ensure vaccination efforts meet national Culturally and Linguistically Appropriate Services (CLAS) standards.
- → Explore financial incentive structure for vulnerable population efforts, ideally with 100% federal funding.
- + Ensure no out of pocket costs or citizenship requirements for vaccination.
- Utilize Social Vulnerability Index in vaccination process.



STRATEGY 2: Build robust network of vaccination sites

Objective

Ensure all Michiganders have equitable access to vaccines.

- Create mass vaccination sites in each emergency preparedness region with local partners & Michigan National Guard.
 - At least one 24-hour drive through clinic in each region.
- Partner with pharmacies and FQHCs to offer vaccines in targeted areas.
 - Target harder to reach rural and urban areas with "hub and spoke" model.
- Utilize existing neighborhood testing sites to eliminate barriers to access.
- → Target transient/hard to reach populations such as incarcerated, homeless, disabled, or those living with substance use disorders.

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Ensure all Michiganders have equitable access to vaccines.

- Leverage existing nontraditional spaces like casinos, nail salons, barber shop, and syringe service programs.
- Leverage ride share programs to address transportation barriers.
- ★ Leverage emergency departments as vaccination locations.
- ★ Leverage primary care clinics and FQHCs as vaccination hubs.

STRATEGY 3: Promote efficiency in vaccine delivery and administration

Objective

Maximize Michigan's federal allocation of vaccine while driving towards eliminating disparities in vaccine administration and maximizing operational efficiency.

- Promote frequent communication, transparency, and clarity of allocation process.
- Leverage public/private partnerships to enhance logistical support for vaccination efforts.
- Engage stakeholders in development of allocation and distribution process.
- Be responsive to address distribution challenges and needs.
- ♣ In times of limited vaccine supply, maximize administration thru-put by allowing demand to exceed supply.
- Request maximal state allocation from the federal government and optimize distribution channels that prioritize administration to marginalized communities and efficient operational sites.



STRATEGY 4: Mobilize personnel to maximize vaccination efforts

Objective

Leverage human resource capital and partnerships to support vaccination efforts.

- Fund additional community vaccinators, expand EMS support and other contractual workers.
- Utilize MiVolunteer Registry with a targeted campaign to encourage participation.
- Utilize clinical students to support vaccination efforts.
- Maximize and expand use of Michigan National Guard.
- Leverage trusted community members as vaccinators and build upon existing relationships.

STRATEGY 5: Empower people with information to gain confidence to get vaccinated

Objective

Build a communications effort to assure all communities have access to timely, accurate, and understandable information on vaccines.

- Build out robust earned and paid media strategy to address vaccine hesitancy.
- Target communications efforts to those with highest vaccine hesitancy and/or where hesitancy creates great risk (i.e., congregate care staff).
- Support broad and diverse coalitions to carry vaccine messages, leveraging Protect Michigan Commission.
- Leverage Community Health Workers to address hesitancy and support vaccination efforts.
- Leverage and improve technology platforms so people have easy access to information simplify vaccine scheduling process.
- Target communication strategies to celebrate successes and elevate positive vaccination experiences of trusted community members.
- Mandate race and ethnicity data reporting for vaccinators and make data readily available to public.

