

COVID-19 VACCINES AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

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As COVID-19 vaccines become available, the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) Bureau of EMS, Trauma and Preparedness (BETP) will support EMS agency plans to vaccinate providers as efficiently as possible. The vaccine will initially be distributed to select Local Health Departments (LHDs) and hospitals. These entities will be co-coordinating the equitable administration of vaccine in accordance with the [Michigan COVID-19 Vaccine Interim Prioritization Guidance](#). EMS personnel are included in the first priority group to be vaccinated in Phase 1. There are numerous resources available to support connections with local partners to vaccinate providers quickly and help administer the COVID-19 vaccine thereafter.

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- Select the proper county on the [interactive map](#).
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NOTE: Agencies affiliated with a hospital system:

- Contact the hospital system to discuss plans to vaccinate EMS providers.
- Follow hospital guidance; it is important to remember the hospital system may advise contacting the LHD to coordinate COVID-19 vaccine plans.

RESOURCES FOR AGENCIES PLANNING TO ADMINISTER COVID-19 VACCINES

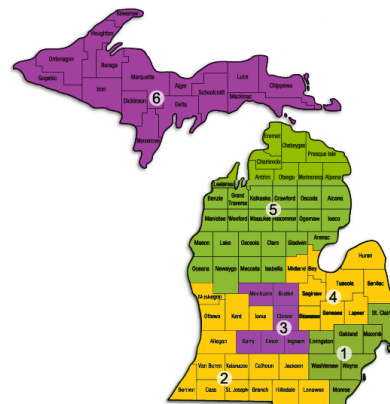
Consider capacity to vaccinate others during this pandemic.

- Assist LHDs in vaccine administration (including vaccination of peers).
- Co-host community vaccine clinics.
- Communicate interest and capacity to assist in this tremendous undertaking with the LHD.

MCIR – [Michigan Care Improvement Registry](#)

Registration – [Start Here](#)

- Identify the appropriate MCIR Provider [Regional Office Contact](#).
- **NOTE:** MCIR regions are NOT the same as trauma system regions, see map to the right.
- MCIR regional contact is the main contact for establishing MCIR access, training and troubleshooting.



NEW – COVID-19 Vaccine and Vaccine Provider Information

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- COVID-19 Vaccine [Provider Guidance and Educational Resources](#).
- Resources to support providers wishing to provide COVID-19 vaccine.
- FAQs for enrolling in COVID-19 vaccination program; vaccine information, administration, storage and handling.

For additional questions or concerns please contact the office of EMS
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