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Regarding: Marion County expands COVID-19

vaccine eligibility

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Dear Pharmacies and Providers in Marion County:

On Friday, Marion County was notified that our request to expand COVID-19 vaccine eligibility to the next group (group 6) was approved by the Oregon Health Authority. Beginning today, March 22, the following groups are eligible for the vaccine in Marion County in addition to the groups already eligible:

- Adults age 45-64 with one or more underlying health conditions that put them at an increased risk for serious illness or death from COVID-19;
- Migrant and seasonal farm workers;
- Seafood and agricultural workers;
- Food processing workers;
- People living in low-income senior housing, senior congregate and independent living;
- Individuals experiencing houselessness (sheltered and unsheltered);
- People currently displaced by wildfires; and
- Wildland firefighters.

If you have questions, please contact us at HealthVaccineUnit@co.marion.or.us. Thank you for your continued partnership in vaccinating Marion County residents.

Thank you,

Marion County Public Health Division