

COVID-19 VACCINE

FOR SOUTH DAKOTA RESIDENTS

Priority Groups for Phase 1

- + Frontline Healthcare Workers**
(working in an emergency department, ICU, COVID unit, or general acute care)
- + Long-Term Care Facility Healthcare Workers**



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- + Long-Term Care Residents**
(nursing home and assisted living)

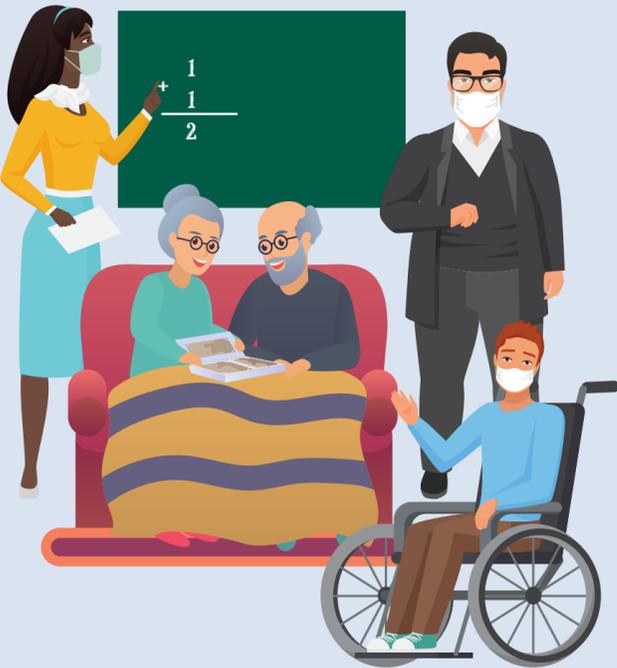
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- + Other healthcare workers, including laboratory and clinic staff**
- + Public Health Workers**
- + Emergency Medical Services**
- + Law Enforcement**
- + Correctional Officers**



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- + Persons Aged 65 Years and Older**
- + High Risk Patients - dialysis, post-transplant, and active cancer**
- + High Risk Residents in Congregate Settings, Residents in Licensed Independent Living Facilities, and Residents of Licensed Group Homes**
- + Persons with underlying medical conditions under the age of 65**
- + Teachers and Other School/College Staff**
- + Funeral Service Workers**



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- + Fire Service Personnel**
- + Other Critical Infrastructure Workers, including water and wastewater, energy, finance, food service, food and agriculture, legal, manufacturing, shelter and housing, transportation and logistics, information technology and communications**

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Individuals qualifying for vaccination based on age or underlying health condition must be South Dakota residents.

Expected Vaccine Availability for South Dakota Residents

Phase	Population Group	January	February	March	April	May-December
1A	Frontline healthcare workers and long-term care facility healthcare workers	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
1B	Long-term care residents	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
1C	EMS, public health workers, and other healthcare workers (lab & clinic staff)	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
	Law enforcement, correctional officers	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
1D	Persons aged 65 years and older	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
	High risk patients - dialysis, post-transplant, and active cancer	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
	High risk residents in congregate settings	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
	Persons with <u>underlying medical conditions</u> under the age of 65	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
	Teachers and other school/college staff	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
	Funeral service workers	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
1E	Fire service personnel	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
	Includes public-facing workers in essential and <u>critical infrastructure</u>	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
Phase 2	All others 16 years and older	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available

Estimated Vaccine Availability

Note: Tribal vaccine allocation & administration is handled by the IHS
Veteran vaccine allocation & administration is handled by the VA

Due to limited allocation of the vaccine, the South Dakota Department of Health will use COVID-19 infection rates and will follow recommendations from the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) to guide which counties will receive the vaccine first. Individuals qualifying for vaccination based on age or underlying health condition must be South Dakota residents.

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