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## Gallup Service Unit COVID-19 Vaccination Events for the Week of June 7<sup>th</sup>

Gallup, New Mexico-- Gallup Service Unit will host the following COVID-19 vaccination events.

Fort Wingate Elementary School Gymnasium on **Wednesday, June 9<sup>th</sup>**, from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm; First doses of Pfizer COVID-19 Vaccine will be available for individuals, ages 12 years and older. Youth, ages 12 to 17 years, must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian or have written consent from a parent or legal guardian. The event location is 286B Highway 400, (East I-40, Exit 33), Fort Wingate, New Mexico.

UNM-Gallup Campus on **Thursday, June 10<sup>th</sup>**, from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm; First and second doses of the Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine will be available for individuals, ages 12 years and older. Youth, ages 12 to 17 years, must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian or have written consent from a parent or legal guardian. The Janssen (Johnson and Johnson) vaccine, which requires only one dose, will be offered for individuals, ages 18 years and older.

UNM-Gallup Campus on **Saturday, June 12<sup>th</sup>**, from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm; First and second doses of the Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine will be available for individuals, ages 12 years and older. Youth, ages 12 to 17 years, must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian or have written consent from a parent or legal guardian. The Janssen (Johnson and Johnson) vaccine, which requires only one dose, will be offered for individuals, ages 18 years and older.

Gallup Indian Medical Center, Vaccination Clinic at the Public Health Nursing building (Building F) offers COVID-19 vaccines by appointment on Monday through Friday from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm for individuals, age 12 years and older. COVID-19 vaccines are available (Pfizer, Moderna, or Janssen). Call (505) 722-1753 for an appointment.

Tohatchi Health Center offers COVID-19 vaccines by appointment on Monday and Thursday, from 9:30 am to 3:00 pm for individuals, ages 12 and years and older. On Mondays, the Pfizer vaccines are available for individuals, ages 12 and older. On Thursdays, the Moderna vaccines are available for individuals, ages 18 years and older. Call (505) 733-8403 for an appointment.

These events are open to all members of the community, regardless of eligibility for other IHS services.

COVID-19 vaccines are effective at protecting you from getting sick. Based on what we know about COVID-19 vaccines, people who have been fully vaccinated can start to do some things that they had stopped doing because of the pandemic.

All COVID-19 vaccinations are voluntary. ***Note: It is crucial for patients to complete both doses of the Pfizer and Moderna vaccine for the best protection against COVID-19.***

COVID-19 vaccines are **safe and effective**. COVID-19 vaccines were evaluated in tens of thousands of participants in clinical trials. The vaccines met the Food and Drug Administration's rigorous scientific standards for safety, effectiveness, and manufacturing quality.

Frequently asked questions about COVID-19 vaccines, including information on vaccine safety, are available from the CDC at: [www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/faq.html](http://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/faq.html). For more information, please contact the GIMC COVID-19 Vaccine Information Line at (505)722-1753.