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NAVAJO AREA INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE COVID-19 VACCINATION SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER 2022

Window Rock, Arizona --- COVID-19 vaccines for children 6 months through 5 years of age are now available at Navajo Area IHS facilities to protect young children from COVID-19. Parents and families are encouraged to vaccinate their young children as soon as possible.

The CDC recommends that everyone 6 months and older get vaccinated against COVID-19. COVID-19 vaccines are the best defense against severe illness and hospitalization for all age groups.

Both the Moderna and Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccines have been approved for children ages 6 months and older.

The Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine for children 6 months through 4 years old will be a three-dose primary series, spaced with 3 weeks between dose 1 and dose 2, then 8 weeks between dose 2 and 3.

The Moderna COVID-19 vaccine for children ages 6 months through 5 years old will be a two dose primary series with doses spaced 1 month apart.

COVID-19 vaccinations are recommended for everyone 6 months and older. When eligible, all individuals ages 5 years and older should receive a booster dose after completing their primary COVID-19 vaccination. Adults ages 50 and older can also now receive a second booster at least two months after your most recent COVID vaccination.

People who are moderately or severely immunocompromised or have weakened immune systems have specific COVID-19 vaccine and booster recommendations. Examples include people receiving active cancer treatment, those who had an organ transplant or stem cell transplant, advanced or untreated HIV infection, those who are taking medicine to suppress the immune system, and others. Visit the CDC website to learn more.

COVID-19 vaccines are safe and effective. Booster doses help strengthen protection against Omicron and other variants. As with vaccines for other diseases, you are best protected against infection with the virus that causes COVID-19 when you stay up to date with your vaccinations. Talk with your health care provider if you have questions about eligibility.

To protect yourself and your loved ones from COVID-19, continue to:

- 1. Wear a mask cover your nose and mouth.
- 2. Wash your hands or use hand sanitizer.
- 3. Watch your distance (keep 6 feet or more apart).

Protecting yourself will help to protect those around you who may not be able to get vaccinated.

Below are the COVID-19 vaccination schedules for NAIHS service units. The events are subject to change based on weather and other factors. Bring your COVID-19 vaccination card with you.

CHINLE SERVICE UNIT

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Chinle Comprehensive Health	COVID-19 and FLU vaccines are available at Chinle
Care Facility	Outpatient clinics.
Pediatric Outpatient	Monday through Friday, 8 am to 5 pm;
Clinic	Closed 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm for lunch
	Check in at the Pediatric clinic and bring your COVID- 19 vaccine card with you.
	Everyone ages 6 months and older is recommended to stay up to date with COVID-19 vaccination. You are up to date if you have completed a primary series and received the most recent booster dose recommended for you by the CDC.
Chinle Comprehensive	Monday through Friday, 7 am to 5:30 pm
Healthcare Facility Drive Through	COVID-19 Testing Home test kits are available. To report positive results, call (928) 674-7998.
Pinon Health Center	COVID-19 VACCINATIONS
Drive-Through & Outpatient	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday; 8:30 am to 11:30 am; 1:30 pm to 4:30 pm
Department	Thursday, 1:30 pm to 4:30 pm
	COVID-19 vaccines are available for ages, 6 months and older. Pfizer is a three-dose series for 6 months to 4 years old. Moderna is a two-dose series for children, age 6 months to 5 years old.
	Moderna and Pfizer COVID-19 booster doses are available for age 5 years and older.
	Second booster doses of Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine are available for individuals, ages 12 years and older who are immunocompromised and up-to-date on the COVID-19 vaccine series. Adults ages 50 years and over.
Pinon Health Center Drive Thru COVID-19 Vaccination	1 st and 2 nd Thursdays of the month, 8:30 am to 11:30 am For everyone ages 6 months and older. First & second

Pinon Health Center PHN Community Vaccination	October 25, 2022, 9:00 am to 2:00 pm
Low Mountain Chapter House	COVID-19 and Influenza Vaccines are available for everyone, 6 months and older. Please bring your COVID-19 vaccination card/record with you. Patients under the age of 18 will need parental consent.
Pinon Health Center PHN Community Vaccination	October 27, 2022, 9:00 am to 2:00 pm
Pinon Chapter House	COVID-19 and Influenza Vaccines are available for everyone, 6 months and older. Please bring your COVID-19 vaccination card/record with you. Patients under the age of 18 will need parental consent.
Tsaile Health Center Drive Through	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, 8:00 am to 4:30 pm Thursday, 1:30 pm to 4 pm
	Pfizer COVID-19 vaccines are available for ages 6 months and older.
	COVID-19 Booster doses are available for ages 5 years and older.
	Patients requesting for Moderna vaccine will need to go to Chinle Hospital.
	An appointment is preferred. Call (928) 724-3639. Walk- ins are welcome.
Rock Point Clinic	Tuesdays
	By appointment only – call (928) 724-3639.
CROWNPOINT SERVICE UN	NIT
Crownpoint Healthcare Facility	For an appointment, call (505) 786-6270.
Crownpoint Healthcare Facility (Drive Through)	Saturday, November 19, 2022, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm
	Pfizer (Pediatric) vaccines are available for 6 months to 4 years old.
	Pfizer (Children's) Bivalent booster vaccine is available for ages 5 to 11 years old.
	Bivalent Booster vaccines available for those eligible as follows:
	Pfizer for 12 years and older; Moderna 2 nd for 18 years and older

Torreon Chapter	Thursday, November 03, 2022, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm
Torreon, New Mexico (Drive Through)	Pfizer (Pediatric) vaccines are available for 6 months to 4 years old.
	Pfizer (Children's) Bivalent booster vaccine is available for ages 5 to 11 years old.
	Bivalent Booster vaccines available for those eligible as follows:
	Pfizer for 12 years and older; Moderna 2 nd for 18 years and older
Thoreau Health Center	By appointment only – call (505) 862-8761.
Pueblo Pintado Clinic	By appointment only – call (505) 655-3254.
GALLUP SERVICE UNIT	
Gallup Indian Medical Center Clinic	Internal medicine, family medicine, and pediatric patients may make appointments for COVID-19 vaccines.
	Internal medicine clinic: (505) 722-1575 or 722-1576;
	Family medicine clinic: (505) 722-1260 or 722-1775
	Pediatric clinic: (505) 722-1266.
	COVID-19 and influenza vaccines are available as noted:
	Pfizer primary series for patients ages 6 months and older
	Moderna Primary series for patients 6 months – 5 years and 12 years and older. Novavax primary for patients 12 years and older
	Pfizer bivalent Omicron booster vaccine for patients 12 years and older after completion of primary series or last booster dose
	Note: the Pfizer bivalent will soon be available for children 5-11 years and Moderna for children 6-17 years. Contact the pediatric clinic for more information on when these doses will be available.
	Flu vaccines for patients 6 months and older.
	If you received a Janssen/Johnson & Johnson vaccines, you are eligible for a bivalent booster dose of Pfizer or Moderna 2 months after your first shot.

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	Bivalent Pfizer available for individuals, ages 5 years and older
	Bivalent Moderna vaccines available for individuals, ages 12 years and older
	Influenza vaccine available for individuals, ages 6 months and older
Kayenta Health Center COVID-19 Swab Clinic	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday 8:30 am to 11:00 am
Inscription House Health Center	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday 8 am to 4:30 pm
	Wednesday, 1 pm to 4:30 pm
	By appointment only - walk-ins are welcome. Call (928) 672-3093 or (928) 672-3094
	Pfizer COVID-19 Primary series available for individuals, ages 6 months to 4 years (3 dose series); ages 5 to 11 years (2 dose series); and ages 12 years and older (2 dose series).
	Moderna COVID-19 Primary series available for individuals, ages 6 months to 5 years (2 dose series); and ages 12 years and older (2 does series);
	Bivalent Pfizer available for individuals, ages 5 years and older
	Bivalent Moderna vaccines available for individuals, ages 12 years and older
	Influenza vaccine available for 6 months and older
SHIPROCK SERVICE UNIT	
Northern Navajo Medical	Monday through Friday, 8:30 am to 3:30 pm
	Primary and booster COVID-19 vaccines are available based on current CDC recommendations.
COVID Car Clinic	Monday through Friday, 8:30 am to 4:00 pm
Dzilth-Na-O-Dith-Hle Health Center	Tuesday - 8:30 am to 3:00 pm.
	Primary and booster COVID-19 vaccines are available based on the current CDC recommendations.

	 Moderna COVID-19 Vaccines are available. First and second doses COVID-19 Moderna vaccines are available for ages 6 months and older. Bivalent booster shots are available to 6 years and older, and to individuals with weakened immune systems, but must have received both primary doses.
	Fridays – 8:30 am to 3:00 pm.
	 Pfizer Covid-19 Vaccines are available. First and second doses of Pfizer vaccines are available for ages 6 months and older.
	 Bivalent booster shots are available to 12 years and older, and to individuals with weakened immune systems.
	**Pfizer Bivalent Booster for ages 5-11 will be available soon.
	By appointment only – call (505) 960-7819.
	Influenza vaccines available for 6 months and older, please call (505) 960-7801/7802 for an appointment.
Four Corners Regional Health Center	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00 am to 4:30 pm
	Wednesday, 12:30 pm to 4:30 pm
	Primary and booster COVID-19 vaccines are available based on current CDC recommendations.
	Call (928) 656-5400 for an appointment. Walk ins are limited.

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