

NOTICE TO MEMBERS WHO WORK OR LIVE IN THE EASTERN ONTARIO HEALTH UNIT CATCHMENT AREA

COVID-19 Vaccine Appointment Information for Members Providing In-Person Services

Dear Members,

You are receiving this email because you either work or live in the catchment area of the Eastern Ontario Health Unit according to the information you have provided to the College. <u>If this is not the case, please disregard this notice</u> and take steps to correct the information provided.

The Eastern Ontario Health Unit has asked the College to notify members who work or live in their district that you may be eligible to book your COVID-19 vaccine appointment.

Eastern Ontario Health Unit wishes to communicate the following:

The <u>Guidance for Prioritizing Health Care Workers for COVID-19 Vaccination</u> identifies Health Care Workers (HCW) as a priority population for Phase 1 of Ontario's vaccination program.

You have been identified as part of the following categories of Health Care Workers.

Very High Priority

Sectors and Settings

Frontline health care workers in the following sectors and settings:

- Acute care and other hospital settings (patient care areas not included in Highest Priority (e.g., surgical care, obstetrics, etc.)).
- Congregate settings (assisted living, correctional settings, residential facilities, hospices and palliative care settings, shelters, supportive housing (outside of Highest Priority level)).
- Community care with high risk of exposure and serving specialized patient populations (Community Health Centers, Home and community care (outside of the Highest Priority level), Adult day programs for seniors).
- Other health care services for Indigenous populations (Community agencies with patientfacing providers delivering any type of health services to First Nations communities and Indigenous Peoples that are not captured in Highest Priority).
- Community care with high risk of exposure and serving the general population (Birth centres, Community Based Specialists, Death investigation professionals, Dentistry, Gynecology/obstetrics, Midwifery, Nurse practitioner-led clinics / contract nursing agencies, Otolaryngology (ENT), Pharmacies, Primary care, Respirology (Respiratory Therapy), Walk-in clinics,).
- Laboratory services

High Priority

Sectors and Settings

Frontline health care workers in the following settings and sectors:

- Community care with lower risk of exposure and serving special populations (developmental services, mental health and addictions services).
- Community care with lower risk of exposure and serving general population Campus health, Community diagnostic imaging, Daycare/school nursing, Dietary / nutrition, Independent health facilities (e.g., Opticians/Optometry, Podiatry, Audiology, medical and surgical specialties), Naturopathy / Holistic care, Social work, Sexual health clinics).
- Non-acute rehabilitation and therapy (Chiropractic, Chronic pain clinics, Kinesiology, Occupational therapy, Physiotherapy, Psychiatry, Psychology, Psychotherapy, Registered massage therapy / Acupuncture, Other therapy).
- Public health (all other public health).

We have **two options** to book your COVID-19 vaccine appointment and this may expand to additional options soon so please refer to the <u>EOHU website</u> regularly for updates:

OPTION 1: Cornwall Community Hospital

Cornwall Community Hospital (CCH) is assisting the Eastern Ontario Health Unit (EOHU) with COVID-19 vaccination clinics. Please proceed to book your COVID-19 vaccine appointment with CCH as follows:

"Call (343) 475-0157 Monday through Friday 8:30-4pm

You will be placed in a queue on hold. Please remain on hold until the next available operator answers your call.

If all lines are occupied, you will be directed to leave a voicemail and one of our staff will call you back.

Please have health card ready."

OPTION 2: EOHU Website (Effective Monday 2021-03-15)

Please refer to the EOHU website for ongoing updates at https://eohu.ca/en/covid/scheduling-covid-19-vaccine-appointments-for-eligible-individuals

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- 2. Go to the "My Account" on the left side menu
- Click on the "Print Receipt/Membership Card"

Please direct any questions or requests for further information to the Eastern Ontario Health Unit.

To review the College's previous updates, please visit our COVID-19 webpage.

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