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Health Care District Rolls Out COVID-19 Vaccine for Children Ages 5 through 11

Starting tomorrow, the Health Care District of Palm Beach County will provide free, walk-up access to the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 pediatric dose vaccine as authorized by the FDA and approved by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) for children ages 5 through 11. The pediatric dose of the vaccine, which is one-third the strength of the vaccine formulated for individuals ages 12 and older, will be offered from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays at the Health Care District's mobile clinic in the Lantana Clinic parking lot at 1250 Southwinds Drive in Lantana. Another Health Care District mobile clinic will offer the pediatric-dose vaccines in partnership with the School District of Palm Beach County at public elementary schools and other School District sites. No appointments are

needed.

“Today we received pediatric doses of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine so we can start vaccinating children ages 5 through 11 starting tomorrow morning,” said Belma Andrić, MD, MPH, the Health Care District’s Chief Medical Officer. “It’s an exciting time as this is one of the final major milestones in our vaccination efforts countywide. Vaccinating young children will bring a sense of relief to many parents and we hope to make it easy and convenient for them. Although many children who contract the virus will easily recover, we cannot predict who will become very sick. According to the CDC, COVID-19 is the eighth-leading cause of death in this age group. The sooner parents vaccinate their children, the better.”

Children ages 5 through 17 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian to be vaccinated. Here is the Health Care District’s upcoming COVID-19 vaccination schedule for children ages 5 to 11:

Date	Time	Location	1st, 2nd, or 3rdDose	Vaccine Brand	Ages
Monday - Friday	9am – 4pm	Lantana Clinic Parking Lot 1250 Southwinds Drive Lantana, FL 33462	1 st , 2 nd & 3 rd doses	Pfizer	5 and up

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<u>School District</u>					
Thursday, Nov. 4th	8:30am – 4pm	Fulton-Holland Educational Services Center 3300 Forest Hill Blvd. West Palm Beach, FL 33406	1st, 2nd, & 3 rd doses	Pfizer	5 and up
Friday, November 5th	7:30am – 10:30am	Lincoln Elementary School 1160 Avenue N Riviera Beach, FL 33404	1 st , 2 nd , & 3 rd doses	Pfizer	5 and up
Friday, November 5th	12:15pm – 3:15pm	Washington Elementary School 1709 W. 30 th Street West Palm Beach, FL 33404	1 st , 2 nd , & 3 rd doses	Pfizer	5 and up

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<u>School District</u>					
Saturday, November 6th	8:30am – 1pm	Fulton-Holland Educational Services Center 3300 Forest Hill Blvd. West Palm Beach, FL 33406	1 st , 2 nd , & 3 rd doses	Pfizer	5 and up
Monday, November 8th	7:30am – 10:30am	Dr. Mary McLeod Bethune Elementary School 1501 Avenue U West Palm Beach, FL 33404	1 st , 2 nd , & 3 rd doses	Pfizer	5 and up
Monday, November 8th	12:15pm – 3:15pm	Lake Park Elementary School 410 3 rd Street Lake Park, FL 33403	1 st , 2 nd , & 3 rd doses	Pfizer	5 and up
Tuesday, November 9th	7:30am – 10:30am	J. C. Mitchell Elementary School 2470 NW 5 th Ave. Boca Raton, FL 33431	1 st , 2 nd , & 3 rd doses	Pfizer	5 and up

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Tuesday, November 9th	12:15pm – 3:15pm	Coral Sunset Elementary School	1 st , 2 nd , & 3 rd doses	Pfizer	5 and up
		22400 Hammock St. Boca Raton, FL 33428			
Wednesday, Nov. 10th	7:30am – 10:30am	Hagen Road Elementary School	1 st , 2 nd , & 3 rd doses	Pfizer	5 and up
		10565 Hagen Ranch Road Boynton Beach, FL 33437			
Wednesday, Nov. 10th	12:15pm – 3:15pm	Forest Park Elementary School	1 st , 2 nd , & 3 rd doses	Pfizer	5 and up
		1201 SW 3 rd St. Boynton Beach, FL 33435			
Friday, November 12th	7:30am – 10:30am	Poinciana Elementary School	1 st , 2 nd , & 3 rd doses	Pfizer	5 and up
		1203 N. Seacrest Blvd. Boynton Beach, FL 33435			

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Friday, November 12th	12:15pm – 3:15pm	Freedom Shores Elementary	1 st , 2 nd , & 3 rd doses	Pfizer	5 and up
		3400 Hypoluxo Road Boynton Beach, FL 33436			
Saturday, Nov. 13th	7:30am – 10:30am	West Technical Education Center	1st, 2nd, & 3rddoses	Pfizer	5 and up
		2625 NW 16th Street Belle Glade, FL 33430			
Saturday, Nov. 13th	12:15pm – 3:15pm	Pioneer Park Elementary	1st, 2nd, & 3rddoses	Pfizer	5 and up
		39500 Pioneer Park Road Belle Glade, FL 33430			

Third doses of the Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine are also available per [CDC guidelines](#) for eligible individuals 18 years and older who present their COVID-19 Vaccination Record Card showing they received two prior Pfizer doses.

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The mobile vaccination sites are closed on Thursday, November 11th in observance of Veterans Day. Visit www.hcdpbc.org and click the blue COVID-19 Information Center button for updates to the Health Care District's COVID-19 vaccination schedule. To date, the Health Care District has provided over 220,000 COVID-19 vaccinations in the community.

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About the Health Care District

The Health Care District of Palm Beach County provides primary medical care and dental services for adults and children at the C. L. Brumback Primary Care Clinics, a coordinated and lifesaving Trauma System that includes two FAA-certified Trauma Hawk air ambulances, registered nurses in nearly 170 public schools, short and long-term skilled nursing at the Edward J. Healey Rehabilitation and Nursing Center in Riviera Beach, and acute care at its teaching hospital, Lakeside Medical Center, which is accredited by The Joint Commission and serves the rural Glades' communities.

About the C. L. Brumback Primary Care Clinics

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