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LBIHD Expands Covid-19 Second Booster Availability based on the FDA Authorization & CDC Recommendations

LBIHD is providing additional booster doses of mRNA vaccines (Pfizer or Moderna) for certain populations. Currently, the recommendation is to provide additional boosters to individuals who fall into the following categories:

- People who received Janssen (Johnson & Johnson) COVID-19 Vaccine for their initial and booster doses
- Adults ages 50 years and older
- People ages 12 years and older who are moderately or severely immunocompromised

These additional doses only pertain to mRNA vaccines, and the current information states that individuals who fall into the above categories can be given the additional booster dose at least 4 months after their most recent dose of COVID-19 vaccine.

Long Beach Island Health Department (LBIHD) continues to offer Covid-19 Vaccines weekly at our Ship Bottom office on Wednesdays. Whether you wish to receive your first, second, additional, or booster dose, we offer all Covid-19 vaccine manufacturers (Moderna, Pfizer, and Janssen) in the comfort of our office. During the recent Omicron surge, those who were boosted were 21-times less likely to die from COVID-19 compared to those who were unvaccinated, and 7-times less likely to be hospitalized. Our local acute care hospitals during the Omicron surge encountered the terrible burden of this disease on those with no protection from immunization.

Clinic Schedule:

Where: LBIHD 2119 Long Beach Boulevard, First Floor, Ship Bottom, 08008 (Across from Joey's Pizza)

When: Every Wednesday, 9am – 3pm (Ages 12+) Walk-Ins are Welcome, Appointments Suggested

[CLICK HERE](#) to schedule an appointment for the booster or for your first vaccine dose. Individuals under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian

Local Resources: Long Beach Island Residents that are homebound or with lack of internet access or computer literacy who need assistance with scheduling an appointment please call (609) 492-1212.

National Resources: To find additional access to Covid-19 vaccines, you can search by your zip code and vaccine manufacturer www.vaccine.gov