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LBIHD is Providing Bivalent Covid-19 Immunizations

The virus that causes COVID-19 changes over time. Keep your protection up to date by receiving a COVID-19 Bivalent vaccine. The COVID-19 vaccine includes components of the original virus strain and the Omicron variant. This is referred to as a Bivalent COVID-19 vaccine. The COVID-19 Bivalent Vaccines are designed to give you broad protection against COVID-19, including better protection against the Omicron variant.

COVID-19 vaccines can help protect against severe illness, hospitalization, and death from COVID-19. As the virus changes and your immunity naturally decreases over time, you may lose some of that protection.

Currently, the Long Beach Island Health Department offers COVID-19 Bivalent Vaccines for individuals who fall into the following categories:

- **People 12 years and older** who have not had a Bivalent Covid-19 vaccine.
- **People aged 65 years and older** may get 1 additional dose of COVID-19 Bivalent vaccine 4 or more months after the 1st Bivalent COVID-19 vaccine.
- **People who are moderately or severely immunocompromised** may get 1 additional dose of Bivalent COVID-19 vaccine 2 or more months after the last Bivalent COVID-19 vaccine. Talk to your healthcare provider about [additional updated doses](#).

Long Beach Island Health Department (LBIHD) continues to offer Covid-19 Vaccines weekly at our Ship Bottom office on Wednesdays.

Clinic Schedule:

When: Every Wednesday, 9am – 3pm (Ages 12+), appointments available online (see below) , walk ins welcome

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

[CLICK HERE](#) to schedule an appointment. 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 navigating 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 at <https://www.vaccines.gov/>