

To: All staff and physicians
From: Jean Daigle, VP Community
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Re: **COVID-19 Vaccination Update**

GNB announced changes to New Brunswick's Vaccination Plan on Feb. 18, which includes a change to the timing of the second dose.

The second dose will now be administered to those who are at lower risk of severe outcomes within 90 days, as opposed to 28 days (those who are most vulnerable will receive the second dose within 28 days).

GNB issued an [updated](#) timeline for the roll-out of vaccinations in New Brunswick.

At this time, the COVID-19 vaccine is being delivered to small sectors in the province, for individuals who fall into the designated priority groups.

Rest assured all Horizon employees will have the opportunity to be vaccinated as more doses of the vaccine become available.

The goal is to have our most vulnerable protected first – but we are still on track for all staff to have the opportunity to receive the first dose of the vaccine by late spring 2021.

We continue to work closely with the provincial vaccine task force on many fronts and be apprised of the vaccine inventory.

You may be feeling anxious to learn more and / or to receive the vaccine, but we ask that you please be patient and wait to receive the invitation (via Horizon email) with all the information necessary to register for an appointment.

We will continue to be open and transparent by updating you as new information becomes available.

Please visit the Vaccination FAQs page on [Skyline](#), which has been updated to include:

- Timeline for New Brunswick's COVID-19 Vaccination Plan (see Page 3 for a printable version)
- Information about working at vaccination clinics
- Helpful links
- PDF version of the Employee Vaccination FAQs

Once again, thank you for your continued support and response in keeping our community safe!