



Discussions and Votes

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- Discussion on Phase Transition Timing
- Discussion and VOTE on Phase 2 (ACIP 1b) - next priority group
- Discussion and VOTES on refinements/clarifications of certain populations



Jurisdictions may consider expanding vaccine availability to priority groups in the next phase in several situations, including, for example:

- Demand in the current phase appears to be decreasing (e.g., decrease in appointments)
- Supply exceeds population number (e.g., more vaccine doses available than needed to complete vaccination of persons in the current phase)
- Most people in the current phase are vaccinated (e.g., 70% of the target population in a phase)
- Jurisdictions have actively worked to increase both access and demand among populations in a specific phase but vaccine supply still exceeds demand
- Vaccine supply within a certain location is in danger of going unused unless vaccination is expanded to persons in the next phase



Idaho COVID-19 Vaccine Program Goals:

- Reduce transmission, severe illness and death
- Preserve functioning of healthcare system
- Recover functioning of society and the economy
- Protect persons at risk who have access and functional needs
- Ensure equitable distribution within groups prioritized for vaccination phases and equity in the opportunity for health and well-being
- Ensure transparency regarding vaccine decision-making

Other Considerations:

- Limited Vaccine Supply
- Epidemiological data
- Logistics



Essential workers

First responders (other than EMS) and safety (fire/police/protective services/community support)

Pre-K–12 school staff and teachers and daycare [childcare] workers

Correctional and detention facility staff (other than medical)

Food processing workers

Grocery and convenience store workers

Idaho National Guard (other than medical)

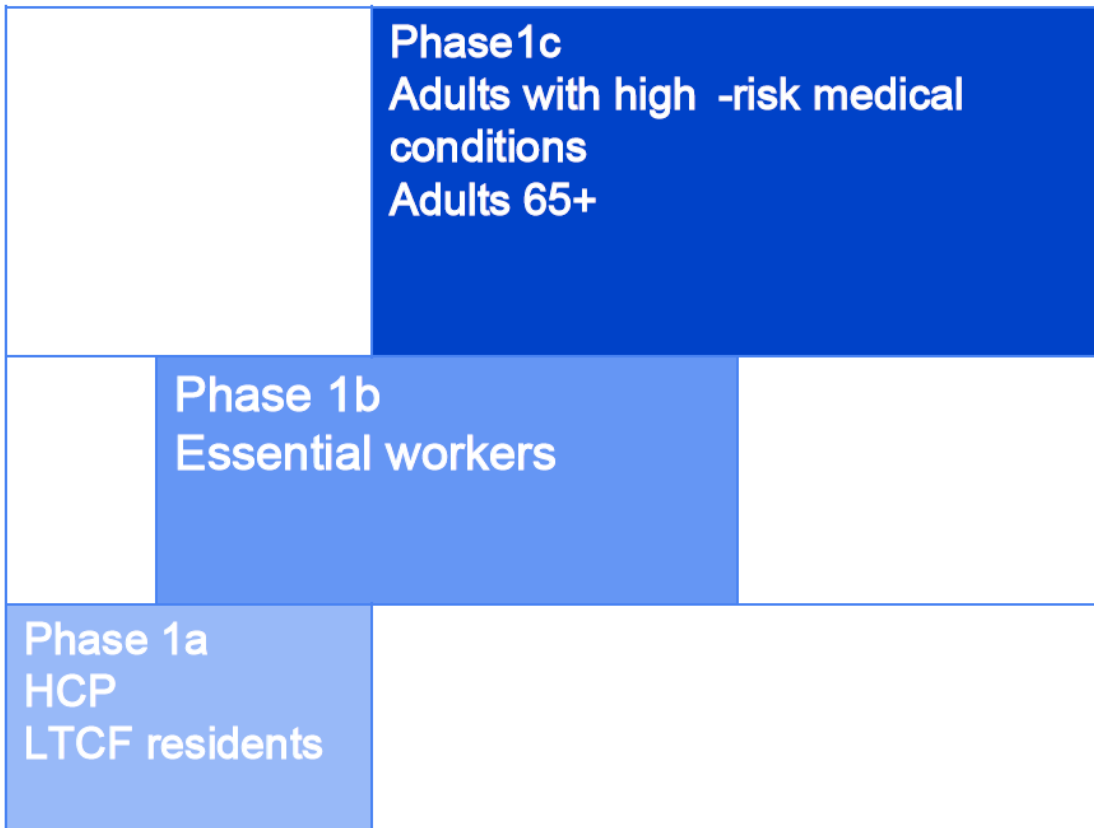
Other essential workers not already included and unable to telework or to distance from others at work

Reminder: Change in ACIP/CDC Phases

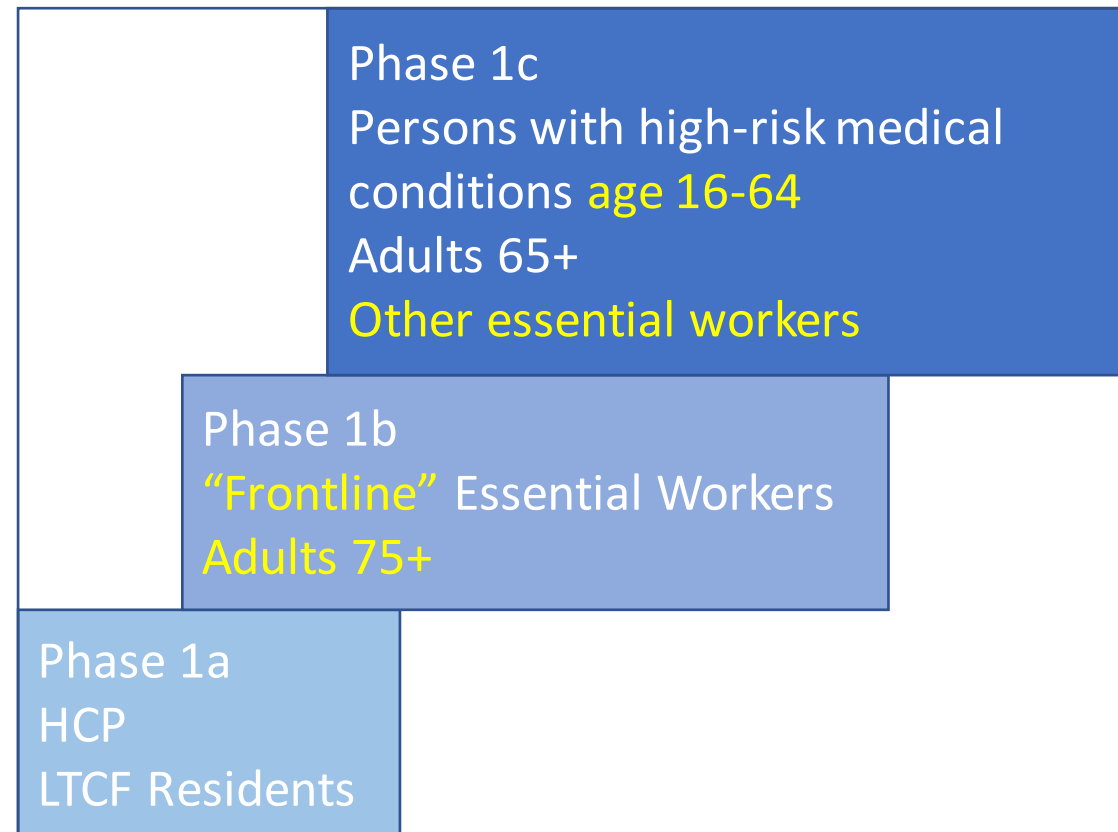
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Proposed ACIP Recommendations November 23, 2020



Final ACIP Recommendations Dec 20, 2020





- Prepared options will be presented on the following slide, based on new ACIP/CDC recommendations, stakeholder input and public comment
- Group Discussion
- VOTE for preferred group
- If one proposed group gets a majority, that will be considered final vote
- If no clear winner (e.g. none of the proposed options get >50%, or “none of the above” gets >50%)
 - Further Discussion
 - RE-VOTE on the two with the highest votes, to include new proposals if any
 - Majority rules on the second vote
 - If no conclusion at end of meeting, Governor may use his authority to decide after reviewing the deliberations of today’s CVAC meeting



- 19,450 Primary Doses Weekly
 - 9,700 doses of Moderna weekly
 - 9,750 doses of Pfizer-BioNTech weekly
- Reserved “second doses” also arrive in this cadence
 - This may change, as of news stories this morning
 - All doses may be pushed out together, rather than reserving some vaccine for second doses

Discussion and Vote: Idaho Phase 2 (ACIP 1b)

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Option	Persons to be Included	Estimated Idaho Population Group Size	Totals
A	Group 2 (previous ACIP 1b) remains the same; all remaining essential workers as voted by CVAC 12/4	215,985 (<i>frontline</i>) + 82,844 (<i>other essential workers</i>)	298,829
B	Next phase aligns with CDC's new phase 1b ("frontline" essential workers and age 75+)	215,985 (<i>frontline</i>) + 114,804 (<i>75+</i>)	330,789
C	1b expands CDC's 1b to include both "frontline" essential workers and age 65+	215,985 (<i>frontline</i>) + 114,804 (<i>75+</i>) + 175,866 (<i>65-74</i>)	506,655
D	1b changed to include only 65+	114,804 (<i>75+</i>) + 175,866 (<i>65-74</i>)	290,670
E	Other grouping of high-risk populations, not listed above		



Essential Workers* (total ~87M)

Frontline Essential Workers (~30M)

- First Responders (Firefighters, Police)
- Education (teachers, support staff, daycare)
- Food & Agriculture
- Manufacturing
- Corrections workers
- U.S. Postal service workers
- Public transit workers
- Grocery store workers

Other Essential Workers (~57M)

- Transportation and logistics
- Food Service
- Shelter & Housing (construction)
- Finance
- IT & Communication
- Energy
- Media
- Legal
- Public Safety (Engineers)
- Water & Wastewater

Frontline Essential Workers: workers who are in sectors essential to the functioning of society and are at substantially higher risk of exposure to SARS-CoV-2

*CISA: Essential Critical Infrastructure Workers: <https://www.cisa.gov/news/2020/08/18/cisa-releases-updated-guidance-essential-critical-infrastructure-workers>



Category	Group/ Subgroup	ACIP/CDC Phase
Essential workers	2	
First responders (other than EMS) and safety (fire/police/protective services/community support)	2.1	
Pre-K-12 school staff and teachers and		
Community sta		
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Grocery and convenience store workers		
Idaho National Guard (other than me		
Other essential workers not already in others at work		

#1 Agree with Clarification Y/N

- Coroner or medical examiner
 - Idaho Fish and Game and USDA officers
 - Adult and child protective services
 - Child welfare workers
 - Community food, housing & relief services
- #1 [Clarification: include these groups as part of this category 2.1.]



Category	Group/ Subgroup	ACIP/CDC Phase
Essential workers	2	Included in both ACIP
First responders (other than EMS) and safety (fire/police/protective services/community support)	2.1	
Pre-K-12 school staff and teachers and daycare [childcare] workers	2.2	
Correctional and detention facility staff		
Other essential workers not already listed		

#2 Agree with Clarification
Y/N

#2 Staff of residential schools or facilities providing behavioral health treatment [Clarification: staff of residential schools or facilities providing behavioral health treatment are included in 2.2.]



#3 Agree with Clarification Y/N

#3 USDA food processing plant inspectors
 [Clarification: USDA food processing plant inspectors are included in 2.4.]

Category	Group/ Subgroup	ACIP/CDC Phase
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Pre-K-12 school staff and teachers and		
Correctional and detention facility staff		
Food processing workers	2.4	
Grocery and convenience store workers	2.5	
Idaho National Guard (other than medical)	2.6	
Other essential workers not already included and unable to telework or to distance from others at work	2.7	



Category	Group/ Subgroup	ACIP/CDC Phase
Essential workers	2	
EMS) and firefighters/protective services community		
Teachers and		
Correctional and detention facility staff		
Food processing workers		
Grocery and convenience store workers	2.5	
Idaho National Guard (other than medical)	2.6	
Other essential workers not already included and unable to telework or to distance from others at work	2.7	

#4 Agree with Clarification Y/N

#4 Food pantry workers
 [Clarification: Food pantry workers are included in 2.5.]



Essential workers

First responders (other than EMS support)

#5 Agree with Clarification
Y/N

- Food service workers
- Mission essential gas company workers
- Workers performing funeral services, "death care" personnel
- Behavioral health workers, including counselors for substance abuse treatment centers
- Ride-sharing services
- TSA and airport workers
- Courthouse workers
- Judges
- Elected officials not included in other groups
- Legislators
- Veterinarians, veterinary nurses, veterinary technicians serving service animals, search and rescue dogs, support animals, pets; animal agriculture worker employed in veterinary health
- Agricultural/farm workers who are not working in congregate food processing settings
- Manufacturing, including forestry product manufacturing

#5 [Clarification: include these groups as part of this category 2.7]

Food processing workers

Grocery and convenience store workers

Idaho National Guard (other than medical)

2.6

Other essential workers not already included and unable to telework or to distance from others at work

2.7



Category	Group/ Subgroup	ACIP/CDC Phase
Essential workers	2	
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Other essential workers not already included and unable to telework or to distance from others at work	2.7	