

For Immediate Release

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MEDIA ADVISORY: Vaccine and Testing Clinics Continue Statewide with Emergence of Delta Variant

~ Vaccine and Testing events will continue to be held in several counties across the state over the coming weeks ~

TOPEKA – With the increased presence of the Delta variant in the region, local health departments, providers, and community groups are continuing to hold free COVID-19 vaccine and testing clinics. The emergence of the Delta variant poses a dangerous risk to communities across Kansas.

The events listed below are part of a sustained effort to mobilize Kansans to get vaccinated and/or tested to stop the spread of COVID-19 in order to protect themselves and loved ones. According to the CDC, the Delta variant is twice as infectious as the B. 117 variant which was previously the dominant strain. The new variant appears to be spreading most quickly in communities that have the lowest vaccination rates. Over the last few weeks, nearly all patients who died of COVID-19 were unvaccinated. It's essential for Kansans to stay safe by continuing to social distance and wear masks while around unvaccinated people.

Events are listed below by county and then by date:

Doniphan

Thursday, July 29, 2021

What: Doniphan County, Vaccine and Testing Event

Vaccines Offered: TBD

Where: Troy Fairgrounds, 100 N Boder St., Troy, KS

Hours: 3:00 PM – 7:30 PM

Douglas County

Thursday, July 22, 2021

What: Lawrence Mobile Clinic, Vaccine and Testing Event

Vaccines Offered: Pfizer and Johnson & Johnson

Where: Starbucks Parking Lot, 23rd and Ousdahl, Lawrence, KS

Hours: 2:00 PM – 7:00 PM

Wednesday, July 28, 2021

What: Lawrence Public Library, Vaccine and Testing Event

Vaccines Offered: Pfizer and Johnson & Johnson

Where: Lawrence Public Library, 707 Vermont St, Lawrence, KS 66044

Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Friday, July 30, 2021

What: Lawrence Mobile Clinic, Vaccine and Testing Event

Vaccines Offered: Pfizer and Johnson & Johnson

Where: Starbucks Parking Lot, 23rd and Ousdahl, Lawrence, KS

Hours: 2:00 PM – 7:00 PM

Reno County

Wednesday, July 28, 2021

What: Reno Co. Food Pantry, Vaccination Clinic

Vaccines Offered: Pfizer and Johnson & Johnson

Where: 700 N Walnut St Hutchinson, KS

Hours: 8:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Riley County

Friday, July 23, 2021

What: Red Bud Trailer Park, Vaccine and Testing Event

Vaccines Offered: Pfizer and Johnson & Johnson

Where: 2500 Farm Bureau Road, Manhattan, KS

Hours: 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM

Thursday, July 29, 2021

What: Be Able Community, Vaccine and Testing Event

Vaccines Offered: Pfizer and Johnson & Johnson

Where: Be Able Community, 431 5th St, Manhattan, KS

Hours: 2:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Shawnee County

Tuesday, July 27, 2021

What: African Methodist Church, Vaccine Event

Vaccines Offered: Pfizer and Johnson & Johnson

Where: St John's AME, 701 SW Topeka Blvd., Topeka, KS

Hours: 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Sedgwick County

Monday, July 26, 2021

What: United Methodist Open Door, Vaccine and Testing Event

Vaccines Offered: Pfizer and Johnson & Johnson

Where: 2130 E 21st Street, Wichita KS

Hours: 8:00 AM – 3:45 PM

Tuesday, July 27, 2021

What: Christian Faith Center, Vaccine and Testing Event

Vaccines Offered: Pfizer and Johnson & Johnson

Where: 1130 South Broadway Street, Wichita, KS

Hours: 8:00 AM – 2:00PM

Please note, additional vaccine and testing events may be happening in communities across the state. Please check with your local health department for events that may not be listed.

To find a free testing location in your community, visit knowbeforeyougoKS.com.

To learn more about the vaccines and schedule a vaccination appointment, visit kansasvaccine.gov.

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