

Coalition Communication: Agriculture

COVID-19 UPDATES

Additional details for Phase 1B vaccinations announced

Tentative dates to start vaccinating these Phase 1B populations are:

- Jan. 19, 2021 – Ohioans 80 years of age and older.
- Jan. 25, 2021 – Ohioans 75 years of age and older; those with severe congenital or developmental disorders as outlined above.
- Feb. 1, 2021 – Ohioans 70 years of age and older; employees of K-12 schools that wish to remain or return to in-person or hybrid models.
- Feb. 8, 2021 – Ohioans 65 years of age and older.

When a new age group begins, vaccinations may not be complete for the previous age group. It will take a number of weeks to distribute all of the vaccine given the limited doses available.

Groups defined by age will receive the vaccine from physicians, local health departments, hospitals, federally-qualified health centers, in-home health service providers, as well as some retail pharmacies. Providers for other audiences are yet to be announced. A provider search will be available at coronavirus.ohio.gov on Thursday, January 14, allowing Ohioans to search by county, ZIP code, and category to find a provider in their area to administer the vaccine.

INDUSTRY INFORMATION

■ As COVID-19 vaccines continue to be administered, ODH is regularly updating the [FAQ](#), [Myths vs. Facts](#), and more at coronavirus.ohio.gov/vaccine.

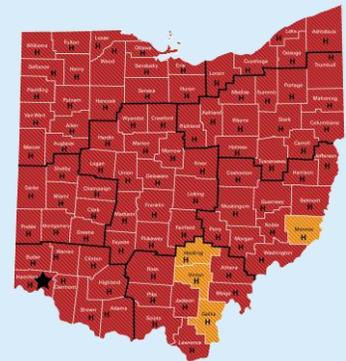
■ The Ohio Department of Health released two PSAs featuring Ohio nurses sharing what they want Ohioans to hear. The videos, "[We need your help](#)" and "[COVID-19 is unpredictable](#)," are available now.

■ Everyone experiences stress - challenges on the farm, chronic disease, or an argument with a loved one. Confidential support is offered 24/7 by phone or text. Call the Ohio CareLine at **1-800-720-9616**, or text the keyword "**4hope**" to **741-741**.

KEY STATS

Data as of 1/7/2021

PUBLIC HEALTH ADVISORY SYSTEM



21-DAY TRENDS

Case Average	7,471
Death Average	75
Hospitalization Average	320
ICU Admission Average	34

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SUGGESTED SOCIAL MEDIA POSTS

We need all available tools to stop the [#COVID19](#) pandemic. Getting a COVID-19 [#vaccine](#), wearing a mask, staying at least 6 feet away from others, and washing your hands often will work together to get us through the pandemic. [#InThisTogetherOhio](#)

When we all wear masks, it lowers the chance that we get sick from [#COVID19](#). It's that simple. No matter where you live – in a city, on a farm, in the suburbs, or out in the country – rise to the task, wear a mask. 🧐 [#MasksOnOhio](#) <https://youtu.be/07-nS5HmV9I>

Farm stress? You're not alone, we've [#GotYourBackOhio](#). The Ohio CareLine's behavioral health specialists offer confidential support in times of personal or family crisis 24/7. Take care of your mental health, call the Ohio CareLine 📞📱 1-800-720-9616. <https://bit.ly/OhiosGotYourBack>

TALKING POINTS FOR YOU

- The pandemic is surging in Ohio, with cases, hospitalizations, and ICU admissions dramatically rising across the entire state.
- Every single county in Ohio is at least triple the rate of high-incidence as determined by the CDC; some more than 14 times the rate of high-incidence. The risk of catching the virus is very real in every single county – whether rural, urban, or suburban. No county, [including ours](#), is safe from the spread of this virus.
- Regardless of where you live, you should stay at home unless making necessary trips for supplies. And when you go out, wear a mask all the time, every time, whether you are indoors or outdoors.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

- ✓ Set a good example, by wearing a mask, making virtual accommodations, and maintaining social distance when meeting face-to-face with others.
- ✓ Post on social media to describe how you are working to keep your employees and customers safe (and what they can do to help you maintain a safe environment) using the suggested hashtags.
- ✓ Submit letters to the editor or local news outlets that support the “COVID-19 Key Messages;” wear a mask, wash hands often, and social distance.
- ✓ Participate in local media/radio interviews to support “COVID-19 Key Messages,” and help showcase how you and your colleagues in the industry are supporting Ohio's Responsible Restart.

RESOURCES

HASHTAGS TO USE

[#InThisTogetherOhio](#)
[#OhioSmallBusinesses](#)
[#ResponsibleRestartOhio](#)
[#MasksOnOhio](#)
[#StaySafeOhio](#)
[#ag](#)
[#COVID19](#)

LATEST UPDATES

[COVID-19 Vaccination Program](#)
[Public Health Orders](#)
[News Releases](#)
[Sector-Specific Requirements](#)

VIDEOS

[COVID-19 is Unpredictable](#)
[Ohio Nurses: We Need Your Help](#)
[Grit \(Clark Kellogg PSA\)](#)

GRAPHICS

[COVID-19 Vaccines: Ohio's Phased Approach](#)
[Masks Required/Capacity](#)
[What You Can Do](#)
[Social Distancing](#)
[All Printables](#)

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