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Harlingen to Offer Second COVID-19 Boosters Starting Today

Harlingen, Texas—With the March 29 Federal Drug Administration (FDA) and Centers for Disease Control (CDC) approval of a second booster dose of either Pfizer or Moderna for people 50 and older and certain immunocompromised individuals, the City of Harlingen will begin offering the dose at today's regularly scheduled Vaccine Clinic.

- A second booster dose of the Pfizer or Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine may be administered to individuals 50 and older at least four months after receipt of a first booster dose of any authorized or approved COVID-19 Vaccine.
- A second booster dose of the Pfizer COVID-19 Vaccine may be administered to certain immunocompromised individuals 12 years and older at least four months after receipt of a first booster dose of any authorized or approved COVID-19 Vaccine.
- A second booster dose of the Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine may be administered to certain immunocompromised individuals 18 years of age and older at least four months after the first booster dose of any authorized or approved COVID-19 Vaccine.
- In addition, adults who received a primary vaccine and booster dose of the Johnson & Johnson Janssen COVID-19 Vaccine at least four months ago may now receive a second booster dose using an mRNA COVID-19 Vaccine.

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Immunocompromised individuals include people with a range of conditions such as recipients of organ or stem cell transplants, people with advanced or untreated HIV infection, recipients of active treatment for cancer, people who are taking some medications that weaken the immune system, and others. A full list of conditions can be found on the CDC's website.

The City's COVID-19 Vaccine/Booster Clinic today is scheduled for 1-5 at the Harlingen Health Department located at 502 East Tyler. A second clinic is scheduled for Friday from 1-7 at the same location. Individuals are reminded to bring their vaccine cards.

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/recommendations/immuno.html>

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