

COVID Vaccine Phases & Waves

While we are only taking appointments for Phase 1A at the moment, Washington State has identified what Phase B will look like and which individuals will qualify. There are several waves within Phase 1B identified according to eligibility criteria outlined by the Washington State Department of Health. This approach prioritizes population groups most impacted by COVID-19:

COVID VACCINE PHASES	CURRENT PHASE 1A	FUTURE PHASE 1B			
		Wave 1	Wave 2	Wave 3	Wave 4
EXPECTED TIMELINE	NOW	Mid-end of January*	TBA*	TBA*	TBA*
PARTICIPANTS	Frontline Healthcare Staff, First Responders	Individuals who are 70+ and individuals who are 50+ and live in a home where two or more generations reside	High-risk workers in congregate settings who are age 50+	Individuals who are age 16 – 69 who have two or more comorbidities	High-risk workers in congregate settings under age 50

*The timing for vaccinations for each wave will depend on vaccine availability and guidelines from the CDC, and WA State DOH.

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