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Executive Order for COVID-19 Vaccinations Updated Effective Monday, March 29, 2021

Governor Ron DeSantis issued Executive Order [21-79](#) (amending Executive Order 20-315), expanding the populations eligible to receive COVID-19 vaccines in Florida. Effective March 29, 2021, qualified health care providers may administer COVID-19 vaccines to persons 40 years of age and older. In addition, effective April 5, 2021, qualified health care providers may administer COVID-19 vaccines to all populations eligible to receive COVID-19 vaccines as authorized by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

As authorized in Executive Order 20-315, hospital providers may continue to vaccinate individuals ages 16 to 64 who are deemed to be extremely vulnerable to COVID-19. All health care providers authorized to administer COVID-19 vaccines in Florida may vaccinate patients deemed to be extremely vulnerable to COVID-19 by a physician.

For updates about the COVID-19 vaccine administration and distribution efforts from Governor Ron DeSantis, please visit [FDOH COVID-19 Vaccines in Florida Webpage](#). The Florida Department of Health provides a daily COVID-19 vaccine report available at <https://FloridaHealthCOVID19.gov>.

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