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AHCA Updates for Long-Term Care Providers

The Agency for Health Care Administration would like to offer a few updates for our long-term care providers.

COVID-19 Vaccine Requests

The Florida Department of Health and the Agency for Health Care Administration want to remind you that the vaccine allocation request process for providers has changed. **The Agency for Health Care Administration is no longer submitting vaccine allocation requests for you.**

All long-term care providers must work with your contracted pharmacy who will request the necessary allocation through the Florida SHOTS system. The pharmacies should submit their requests by noon each Wednesday in order to receive vaccines the following week. **Please be certain to work with your contracted pharmacy if you have vaccine needs.** If your pharmacy has questions on submitting vaccine allocations in Florida SHOTS, they may contact the VFC Program via email at FloridaVFC@FLHealth.gov or via phone at 1-877-888-7468 Option 1.

CDC Recommendations

As a reminder, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) post all recommendations and guidance at <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>. Please check this site regularly for updates and ensure you are adhering to their protocols.

COVID-19 Vaccine Resources

You may view the Department of Health's data and informational updates at <https://floridahealthcovid19.gov/>, as well as the latest vaccine updates at [COVID-19 Vaccines in Florida | Florida Department of Health COVID-19 Outbreak \(floridahealthcovid19.gov\)](https://floridahealthcovid19.gov/).

Click [here](#) to view a short video from Secretary Marstiller encouraging individuals to be vaccinated.

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