



# Drive-through Vaccinations for Essential workers and those with disabilities

# **Drive through vaccination**

Disability essential workers can present to the drive through for vaccination without a booking. They will need a letter from their employer and staff ID. Recommended time is between 9-11am to minimise waits. You must have someone else in the car with you. Please bring your NHI number for any other passengers being vaccinated (you can find it by following this <u>advice</u>), wear masks and clothing that allows our team to get to the upper arm easily. They will vaccinate everyone over 12 in the car. As long as there is a window they can stick their arm out and a way to get to the person easily (e.g. not a minivan) usually up to 4 people can be vaccinated. **If anyone is awaiting testing or not well the whole car will get turned away.** 

- Airport Park and Ride: Open 8.30am 3.30pm
  On Verissimo Drive near the airport
  View a map of Airport Park and Ride
- The Trusts Arena: Open 8.30am 3.30pm 65-67 Central Park Drive, Henderson, Auckland View on Google Maps

(Both centres are open 7 days until Tuesday 7 September)

- 1. This vaccination drive through can be for first time vaccinations AND second jabs too
- 2. THE MORE PEOPLE IN THE CAR THE BETTER SO DO YOUR HOUSEHOLD THEY ARE LIKELY TO TURN AWAY A CAR WITH ONE PERSON IN IT

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He aroha whakatō, he aroha ka puta mai. If kindness is sown, then kindness is what you shall receive.

Kia ora whānau,

## The free COVID-19 vaccination is ready for disabled people and their carers

Great news! You can now book your COVID-19 vaccine at one of our two Drive through Vaccination Centres.

### To book your drive-through appointment online:

- 1. Go to bookmyvaccine.nz
- 2. When prompted, enter the code B9OJSSPZEB (this code is just for drive-through sites)
  - 3. Choose which drive-through site you would like (you can input any suburb when requested)
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We recommend that you print out this letter and bring it with you. Please also bring your NHI number for any passengers being vaccinated (you can find it by following this <u>advice</u>), wear masks and clothing that allows our team to get to the upper arm easily.

There must be at least two people in each car, ideally four people. You can bring people in your bubble aged 12 and over. Each passenger will get their vaccination in the arm closest to the window, which means if anyone isn't near a window, they may not be able to be vaccinated.

There may be a wait, but we'll try to get you through as quickly as possible (it may pay to bring water and snacks). You'll need to wait for 20 minutes after your vaccination for observation.

Please come at the time you selected – you don't need to turn up early. We suggest you request to use the Family lane when you arrive on the day.

### Alternatively you can call to book a drive through appointment:

1. Call the COVID-19 Vaccination Helpline on 0800 28 29 26 and reference the **above code** when making your booking.

Please don't share this email or this unique access code. Getting the free COVID-19 vaccination will help to protect you, your whānau and your community from COVID-19. If you need help with your booking or have questions about the vaccine, please call the COVID-19 Vaccination Healthline on 0800 28 29 26 between 8:00am - 8:00pm, 7 days or email

NRHCCVAXENQUIRIES@adhb.govt.nz.

In some cases, people may be unable to leave their home to have a vaccination. In these cases, please contact the Vaccination Helpline on **0800 28 29 26 or** NRHCCVAXENQUIRIES@adhb.govt.nz to register your details. We are still exploring the best way to reach out to this vulnerable sector of the community.

Check out <a href="https://immunisation.northernregion.health.nz/">https://immunisation.northernregion.health.nz/</a> for more details on the COVID-19 vaccine and what to expect and how to prepare for the drive-through experience.

Thank you for helping to protect your whānau, aiga, community and the country from COVID-19. The more people who are vaccinated, the greater our protection as a community.

Ngā mihi

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