



JOHNSON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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JOHNSON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT EXPANDS NUMBER OF TARGET GROUPS FOR H1N1 VACCINATION CLINIC

(OLATHE, KS – **OCTOBER 27, 2009**) In an effort to reach as many target groups as possible, The Johnson County Health Department has been able to expand the number of target groups for the public H1N1 vaccination clinic on Saturday, October 31st, 2009 (9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. – or while supplies last). The clinic will be at the Northeast Offices complex, 6000 Lamar Ave., Mission, KS 66202. Please enter through the south doors. Doors will open at 8:45 a.m. Vaccine is free of charge.

Vaccine will be administered on a first-come, first-served basis to Johnson County residents only, for the following priority groups:

- Pregnant women
- Children six months to four years of age
- Caregivers of infants less than six months of age
Healthcare workers with direct patient contact

Healthy individuals (not pregnant) ages two through 49, and meeting criteria of one of the groups specified above, will receive nasal spray vaccine. Pregnant women and children six months to two years of age are not eligible for the nasal spray vaccine and will receive an injectable dose.

Consent forms as well as vaccine information sheets will be provided before the clinic at www.jocoflu.org. It is encouraged to have the form printed and filled out when you arrive at the site.

For additional information, go to www.jocoflu.org.

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