

COVID-19 Vaccine Update presented by IPPC Pharmacy

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On Wednesday November 18th, IPPC Pharmacy attended an “Operation Warp Speed” meeting regarding updates with MHA and received the following information regarding the COVID-19 vaccine

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), under “Operation Warp Speed,” has selected MHA Long Term Care Services a [Managed Health Care Associates, Inc.](#) (MHA) company, as the COVID-19 vaccinations network administrator on behalf of the MHA independent long-term care pharmacy network. This award complements The Pharmacy Partnership for Long-Term Care Program the CDC already put in place with CVS and Walgreens, now including the option for independent long-term care pharmacies to provide the vaccination to the long-term care facilities they serve. IPPC Pharmacy is an MHA member and has been selected as a provider of the COVID-19 Vaccination.

- Pfizer announced that, after conducting the final efficacy analysis in their ongoing Phase 3 study, their mRNA-based COVID-19 vaccine candidate, BNT162b2, met all of the study’s primary efficacy endpoints.
- Analysis of the data indicates a vaccine efficacy rate of 95% in participants without prior SARS-CoV-2 infection (first primary objective) and also in participants with and without prior SARS-CoV-2 infection (second primary objective), in each case measured from 7 days after the second dose. Efficacy was consistent across age, gender, race and ethnicity demographics. The observed efficacy in adults over 65 years of age was over 94%.
- The Phase 3 clinical trial of BNT162b2 began on July 27 and has enrolled 43,661 participants to date, 41,135 of whom have received a second dose of the vaccine candidate as of November 13, 2020. Approximately 42% of global participants and 30% of U.S. participants have racially and ethnically diverse backgrounds, and 41% of global and 45% of U.S. participants are 56-85 years of age.



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WHEN?

FDA to make a decision on Pfizer vaccine on December 10th
FDA to make a decision on Moderna vaccine on December 17th
Could be delivered next week according to HHS Secretary Azar?

20MM delivered by end of this year
50MM total by end of January
100MM total by end of March

US Army General Perna indicated that Pfizer has the first batch of 6.4MM vaccine doses for first distribution at WARP Speed briefing on December 9th.

Vaccination kits (syringes, alcohol swabs, dilutant, other supplies) to be sent to states for the Pfizer vaccine this Friday
Allocated to all 50 states in equitable fashion
Each state has vaccination plan (<https://web.csg.org/state-vaccine-plans/>)
500k kept in reserve
2.9MM Doses delivered initially for first dose
2.9MM Doses delivered later for second dose



Operation Warp Speed Briefing
December 9th, 2020

<https://youtube.com/watch?v=FlfW5nKtZ8I>



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who?

- Each state has its own COVID-19 distribution strategy that are public documents which define which individuals receive the vaccine and in which order

<https://web.csg.org/state-vaccine-plans/>

- Overall the targeted populations for first distribution of vaccine are healthcare workers, and LTC facility residents



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Additional Vaccine Information

	Pfizer/BioNTech	Moderna	Janssen	Astra Zeneca (paused)
Type	mRNA	mRNA	Recombinant adenovirus (viral vector)	Recombinant adenovirus (viral vector)
Dosing	2 doses, 21 days between doses	2 doses, 28 days between doses	1 dose	2 doses, 28 days between doses
Storage	Frozen at -70 degrees celsius; Refrigerated (2-8 degrees celsius) must be used within 5 days; Room temperature must dilute within 2 hours and after diluted, must use within 6 hours	Frozen at -20 degrees celcius; Refrigerated (2-8 degrees celsius) stable for 30 days; Room temperature must use within 12 hours	Refrigerated (2-8 degrees celsius) within excursion data	Refrigerated (2-8 degrees celsius)



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Selecting Vaccination Provider

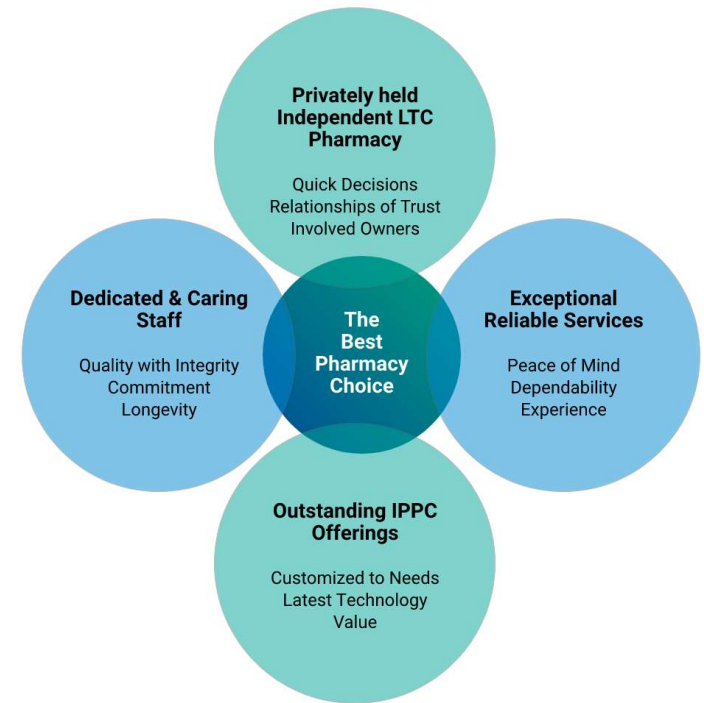
- Facilities receive communications from CDC once phase 2 commences where facilities can change pharmacy selections
- Please look for this communication
- Walgreens and CVS have been contacted as default vaccinating pharmacies
- IPPC can be selected as the vaccinating pharmacy once the election option is made available again

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- Nursing Services
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- Value
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