

THIS WEEK'S PROGRESS

- On April 12, Gov. Andy Beshear marked another key moment in Kentucky's fight against COVID-19, when he joined health care leaders to open a drive-through vaccination site at Cardinal Stadium where 200,000 Kentuckians can get their shot of hope over the next seven weeks. To learn more, see the <u>full release</u>.
- Also on April 12, the Governor announced the *Team Kentucky Vaccination Challenge*: when 2.5 million Kentuckians have received at least their first dose of a COVID-19 vaccine, Gov. Beshear will remove capacity restrictions and physical distancing requirements for nearly all venues, events and businesses that cater to 1,000 or fewer patrons.
- Kentucky vaccination sites are currently administering the Pfizer and Moderna vaccines, which account for
 approximately 95% of all COVID-19 vaccines administered in Kentucky so far. A small number of Kentucky providers
 that were administering the Janssen / Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 vaccine until Tuesday have briefly paused its
 use until receiving further guidance from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration and the U.S. Centers for Disease
 Control and Prevention. To learn more, see Tuesday's release.
- After Monday's announcement of the *Team Kentucky Vaccination Challenge*, on Wednesday, Gov. Beshear visited <u>St. Elizabeth Healthcare's</u> Training and Education Center to celebrate the hospital administering its 100,000th COVID-19 vaccination. To learn more, see the <u>full release</u>.

NEXT WEEK'S GOALS

- All Kentuckians 16 and older are encouraged to sign up for vaccination appointments, available at more than 500 vaccination sites across the commonwealth. There is now a vaccination site close to where every Kentuckian lives.
- The Governor highlighted eight vaccination locations with at least 1,000 open appointments:
 - UofL Health Cardinal Stadium: <u>UofLHealth.org</u> or <u>502-681-1435</u>
 - Kroger Health at Greenwood Mall: Kroger.com/COVIDVaccine
 - Kroger Health at the Kentucky Horse Park: Kroger.com/COVIDVaccine
 - Baptist Health Corbin: <u>scheduleyourvaccine.com</u> or call <u>606-526-4990</u>
 - Baptist Health Hardin: <u>270-706-1004</u>
 - Christian County Health Department: <u>ChristianCountyhd.com</u> or call <u>270-887-4160</u>
 - Pikeville Medical Center: <u>pmcvaccine.com</u>
 - King's Daughters Pavilion: 606-408-2683



"I wanted to help do my part to protect myself and my family, especially my family members who are more vulnerable to this virus. I am looking forward to a time when my family and community can put this behind us." Leslie Salsbury, who received the 100,000th vaccine at St. Elizabeth Healthcare. #ShotofHope

THINGS TO KNOW

- To see all vaccination sites and free transportation options to and from vaccination appointments, visit <u>vaccine.ky.gov</u>. To see a list of vaccination sites that have openings this week, visit <u>vaccinemap.ky.gov</u>. If Kentuckians have questions, they should call the state's COVID-19 Vaccine Hotline, <u>855-598-2246</u> or TTY <u>855-326-4654</u> (for deaf or hard-of-hearing Kentuckians).



We need more Kentuckians to roll up their sleeve for a #ShotofHope to meet our *Team Kentucky Vaccination*Challenge of 2.5 million people vaccinated. Let's do what it takes to get back to the things we love.

Click <u>here</u>, to download the poster (shown right).



LIFTING RESTRICTIONS AND GETTING BACK TO NORMAL?

SHOT.

The Team Kentucky Vaccination Challenge:
When Kentucky hits 2.5 million unique vaccinations,
restrictions will be lifted on gatherings up to 1,000 people.
So grab 999 of your closest friends, and let's get this done.
Scan the code and register for your shot of hope.



GET THE VACCINE FACTS: KYCOVID19.KY.GOV | 855-598-2246 | TTY 855-326-4654

