

**WEDNESDAY (SEPT. 28) — FOR PROVIDERS: BEST PRACTICES FOR**

**ADMINISTERING COVID-19 VACCINES TO CHILDREN**

On September 28, the Vaccine Equity Initiative and Massachusetts Chapter of American Academy of Pediatrics will host a meeting for medical professionals to discuss the successes and challenges of administering COVID-19 vaccines to children in their practices.

The meeting is open to members and non- members, with ample time for questions and discussion.

[**Learn more**](https://files.constantcontact.com/6b77156f801/3084ba07-eb0f-4816-9b77-790efd5e9afc.pdf), and [**register here**](https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZAkc-ygrzIpG9byQ4Sn8w30UZW8CTROttJa).

**FREE TELEHEALTH FOR COVID-19 TREATMENT — NEW FLYER AVAILABLE**

[**Free, safe, and effective treatments for COVID-19** are available across MA. The](https://www.mass.gov/get-treated-for-covid-19)y can help prevent hospitalizations and



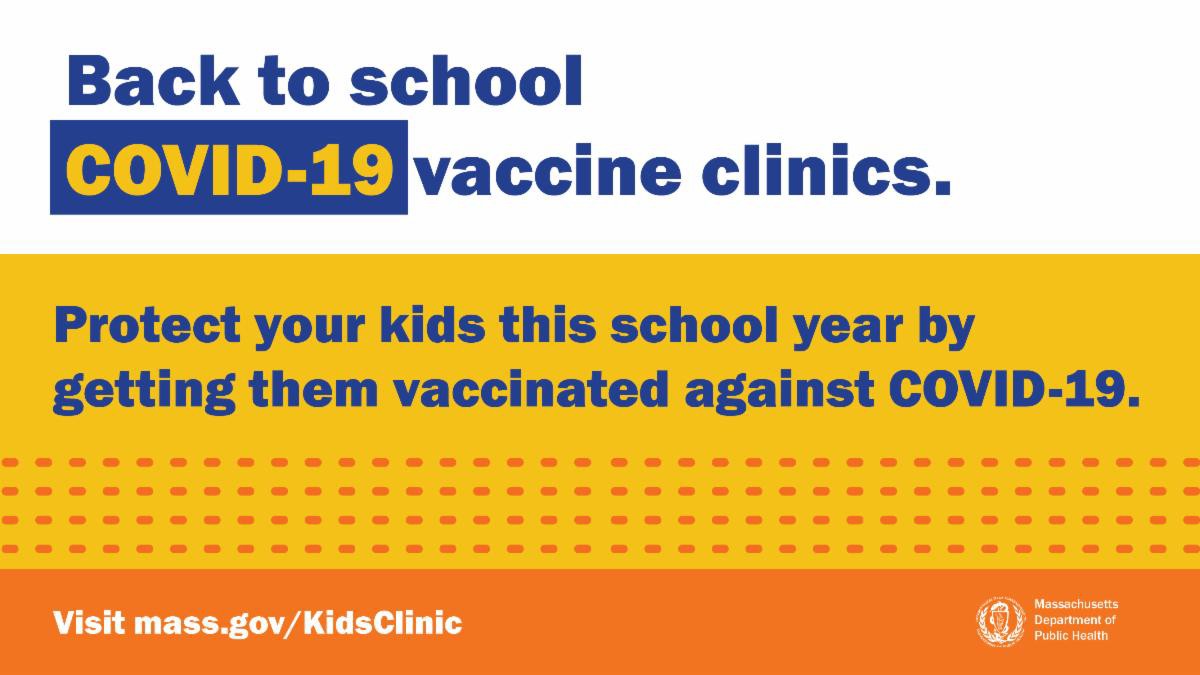
**September 23, 2022**

Here are the latest resources for promoting COVID-19 vaccination to share with your colleagues

and networks across Massachusetts. If you received this from a colleague, [**subscribe today**](https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/su/9wFTcRU/VEIWeeklyRoundup?source_id=21c4a9dc-3f4c-4517-8374-37b4b3d02840&source_type=em&c)**.**

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**What's New**



**IN-HOME VACCINATION AVAILABLE, INCLUDING FOR YOUNG CHILDREN**

Massachusetts offers in-home COVID-19 vaccinations for anyone who has difficulty getting to or using a community clinic, including young children. [**Learn more**](https://mass.gov/info-details/covid-19-in-home-vaccination-program), or call 833-983-0485 to sign up for an appointment.

**VACCINATIONS CONTINUE FOR BACK TO SCHOOL**

There's still time to add COVID-19 vaccination to your back-to-school checklist!

Through the end of September, DPH is providing 170+ options for free COVID-19 vaccination.

[**Learn more**](https://www.mass.gov/covid-19-vaccine), and [**find a clinic near you**](https://www.mass.gov/info-details/prepare-for-back-to-school-with-free-covid-19-vaccination-clinics).

[Help spread the word with a **customizable flyer**! Other materials available](https://files.constantcontact.com/6b77156f801/4169b0ab-1c37-49c5-b1e8-79fa0357ab20.pdf)

include [**flyers**](https://www.mass.gov/info-details/prepare-for-back-to-school-with-free-covid-19-vaccination-clinics#flyers-)(12 languages),

graphics for [**Twitter**](https://twitter.com/MassDPH/status/1557756272883146757/photo/1)and [**Facebook**](https://files.constantcontact.com/6b77156f801/7198a387-c5a2-4d1c-a3ba-94bc4c47446c.jpg?rdr=true), and a [**flyer**](https://files.constantcontact.com/6b77156f801/0f11e5b6-db32-4c84-9c47-05750072d353.pdf)for teachers and school staff.



reduce the risk of severe disease.

Telehealth consultations are **now available via phone**, in addition to video, once you’ve requested a

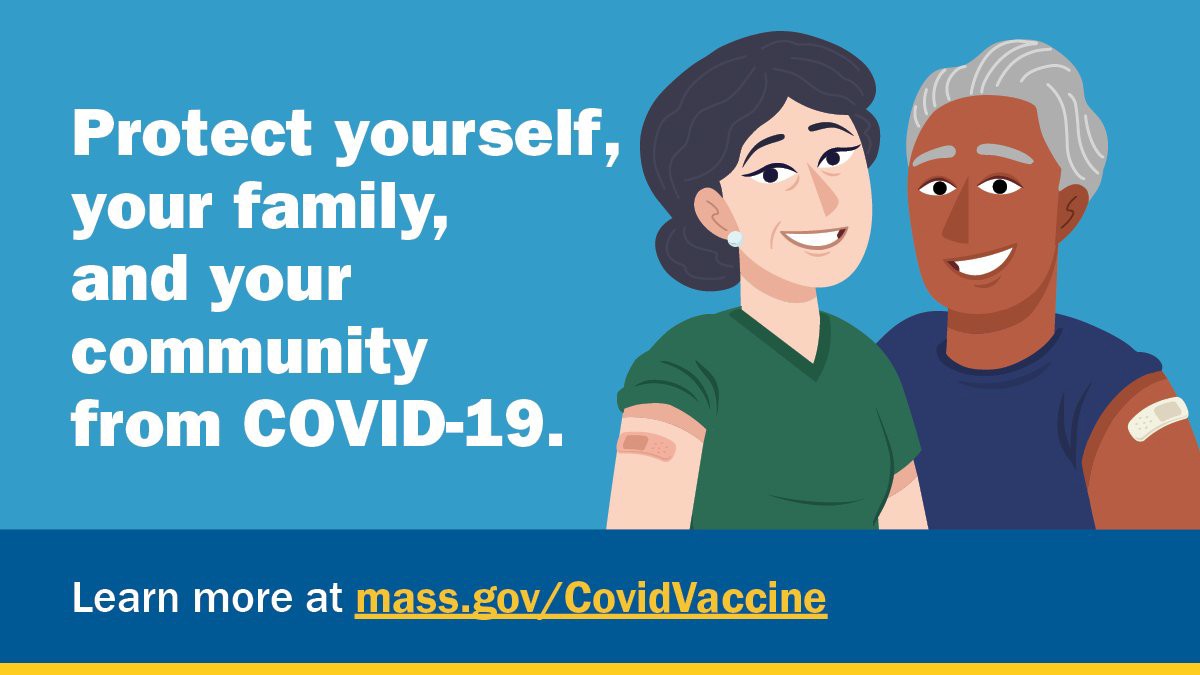
consultation online. Consultations can be accessed in 10+ languages.

**NEW!** Help spread the word with a [**customizable flyer**](https://files.constantcontact.com/6b77156f801/26bcb9f3-6148-4f8b-9abb-d24f6954b203.pdf). Click in the flyer's footer to add your organization's logo. Other [**flyers in additional languages**](https://www.mass.gov/info-details/free-telehealth-for-covid-19-treatment-with-paxlovid#covid-19-treatment-flyers-)are also available.

Please also share this [**new video**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Sdaj9-T-yEI)about free COVID treatments.

Learn more about [**how to access treatment,**](https://www.mass.gov/info-details/treatments-for-covid-19#how-to-access-therapeutic-treatments-)including in-home options.

**Reminders**



**FOLLOW THESE SEVEN STEPS**

There are a number of steps that you can take to help protect yourself, your family, and your community from COVID-19.

[Available in multiple languages, **this flyer** features a checklist with these](https://www.mass.gov/lists/protect-yourself-your-family-and-your-community-from-covid-19-flier)

steps. Please share it with your networks.

**Key Resources**

# OUTREACH AND EDUCATION MATERIALS

[**COVID-19 Vaccine FAQs**](https://www.mass.gov/info-details/covid-19-vaccine-frequently-asked-questions)

[**COVID-19 Therapeutic Information**](https://www.mass.gov/get-treated-for-covid-19)(including [**telehealth**](https://www.mass.gov/info-details/free-telehealth-for-covid-19-treatment-with-paxlovid)) [**Weekly Provider Bulletin**](https://www.mass.gov/info-details/massachusetts-covid-19-vaccine-program-mcvp-guidance-for-vaccine-providers-and-organizations#weekly-provider-bulletins-)(latest edition published 9/15/22)

[**Trust the Facts, Get the Vax Campaign Materials**](https://www.mass.gov/resource/trust-the-facts-get-the-vax-campaign-materials)(organized by audience, including general, parents and pregnant people, youth, young adults; available in 12 languages) [**Multilingual COVID-19 Materials**](https://www.mass.gov/resource/multilingual-covid-19-materials)(videos and printables; organized by language) [**COVID-19 Funeral Assistance from FEMA**](https://www.mass.gov/info-details/covid-19-funeral-assistance)(including [**one-pager with key info**](https://www.mass.gov/info-details/covid-19-funeral-assistance#fema-funeral-assistance-website-%26-faq-)available in multiple languages)

[**COVID-19 Vaccination Tools for Employers**](https://www.mass.gov/doc/covid-19-vaccination-tools-for-employers)

[**Archive of COVID-19 Vaccine Communications Updates**](https://www.mass.gov/lists/archive-of-covid-19-vaccine-communications-updates)(past editions of VEI Roundup)

# FIND A COVID-19 VACCINE OR BOOSTER

[**Mass.gov/KidsClinic**](https://www.mass.gov/info-details/prepare-for-back-to-school-with-free-covid-19-vaccination-clinics#clinic-schedule-)(family-friendly clinics through September)

[**Vaccine Finder**](https://vaxfinder.mass.gov/)

[**Find, Schedule, or Sign Up for a Mobile COVID-19 Vaccination**](https://www.mass.gov/covid-19-mobile-vaccinations)[**COVID-19 In-Home Vaccination Program**](https://www.mass.gov/info-details/covid-19-in-home-vaccination-program)

[**Request a Copy of Your Vaccine Card**](https://www.mass.gov/info-details/requesting-a-copy-of-your-covid-19-vaccination-record)

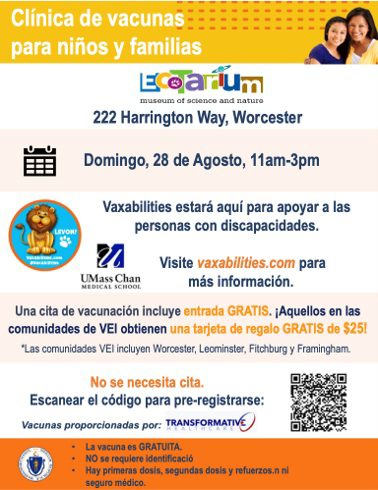
**Recent Highlights**

**Worcester**

On August 28, VEI partnered with [**VaxAbilities**](https://vaxabilities.com/)and Transformative Healthcare to provide a back-to-school clinic at the EcoTarium (*see flyer*).

VaxAbilities is a partnership led by the Massachusetts Developmental Disabilities Network that provides clinics with a

disability and sensory-sensitivity friendly



environment. Twenty-seven people were vaccinated at the clinic and received free entry to the EcoTarium. A follow-up VaxAbilities clinic will take place at the EcoTarium on October 23.

[**Read More Highlights**](https://www.mass.gov/info-details/covid-19-vaccine-equity-initiative-highlights)



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[**Visit the VEI Website**](https://www.mass.gov/info-details/covid-19-vaccine-equity-initiative)

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