

COVID-19 Vaccination Clinic



Great News! We are excited to announce that the Westchester County Department of Health in collaboration with Yonkers Public Schools District has worked together to host an on-site COVID-19 vaccination clinic for students, ages 12 and older at Gorton High School on 5/25/2021 from 2:00 PM to 6:00 PM. This vaccine is free to families. If you would like your student to receive a COVID-19 vaccination, please complete the attached screening questions and sign the consent giving us permission to vaccinate your child. YOUR CHILD MUST HAVE YOUR SIGNED CONSENT IN ORDER FOR THEM TO RECEIVE THE VACCINE.

<u>For students 12 years to under 16 years of age</u>: A parent or an adult MUST be present with the student to receive the vaccine. If the attending adult is not the parent or legal guardian, then the parent must be reachable by phone in order for the child to be vaccinated. If the parent cannot be reached, the vaccine will not be given.

<u>For students 16 and 17 years of age</u>: Parent are encouraged to be present during the vaccine administration. If you child does not have a signed consent from a parent/legal guardian and we cannot reach you by phone, your child will not be vaccinated.

There are a limited number of appointments. In addition to filling out the screening and consent form, you must use the link to secure your appointment:

https://apps2.health.ny.gov/doh2/applinks/cdmspr/2/counties?DateID=C2DD0BF58A60 031AE0530A6C7C1515BA

For your information, below are links to additional resources:

Fact Sheets:

https://www.fda.gov/media/144414/download - English https://www.fda.gov/media/144625/download - Spanish

Reporting Side Effects:

 $\frac{https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/safety/vsafe.html}{https://vsafe.cdc.gov/es/} - Spanish$

After the vaccine is given, the student will be required to remain for at least 15 minutes to be watched for any potential allergic reactions. Persons with a history of allergies will be required to stay for a minimum of 30 minutes.

After the vaccine is given, we will ask parents to wait outside for the 15-30 minute observation period.

Medical staff will be onsite the day of the clinic to answer questions, but if you have questions about the vaccine, parents may call the Westchester County Department of Health at 914-995-5800 during regular business hours.