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Southeast Georgia Health System Offering COVID-19 Vaccine Clinics in Brunswick and Kingsland

COVID-19 Vaccine Eligibility Criteria to Expand on March 15

BRUNSWICK, Georgia: March 15, 2021 – Southeast Georgia Health System is offering Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine appointments for residents meeting current eligibility criteria at their Brunswick and Kingsland Vaccine Clinics. Appointments can be scheduled online at sghs.org/covid19-vaccine.

Brunswick Campus, Linda S. Pinson Conference Center
2415 Parkwood Drive, Brunswick
Every Wednesday and Saturday, 8 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Camden Community Recreation Center
1050 Wildcat Drive, Kingsland
Every Monday and Friday, 8 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Effective March 15, an expanded group of individuals may receive a COVID-19 vaccine. Beginning March 15, 2021, the following populations will be eligible for COVID vaccination in Georgia:

- Adults aged 55 and over
- Individuals with disabilities
- Individuals aged 16 years and older with certain medical conditions that increase their risk of severe illness from COVID-19. Note: Pfizer is the only COVID vaccine currently approved for children aged 16 and older. Conditions include:
 - Asthma
 - Cancer
 - Cerebrovascular Disease
 - Chronic Kidney Disease
 - COPD
 - Cystic Fibrosis
 - Diabetes
 - Hypertension
 - Heart Conditions
 - Immunocompromised State
 - Liver Disease
 - Neurologic Conditions
 - Overweight and Obesity
 - Pregnancy
 - Pulmonary Fibrosis
 - Sickle Cell Disease

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- Thalassemia

Those receiving the vaccine must be available for a second dose 21 days later. Individuals receiving the vaccine must provide a form of identification, and should wear a shirt that provides access to their upper arm. Masks are required when in a Health System facility. Following the vaccination, recipients will be required to remain in an observation area for 15 minutes to ensure they do not experience any adverse reaction.

Even after receiving the vaccine, it remains extremely important to continue following safety protocols. Wear a mask, social distance, wash hands frequently and avoid large gatherings. Updated vaccine information is available on the Health System's website at sghs.org/covid-19.

ABOUT SOUTHEAST GEORGIA HEALTH SYSTEM

Southeast Georgia Health System is a not-for-profit health system comprised of two acute care hospitals, two long term care facilities, two comprehensive Cancer Care Centers and multiple specialty care centers, including orthopaedic and spine care, joint replacement, breast care, maternity, outpatient rehabilitation, sleep management and wound care. The Brunswick Campus Cancer Care Center is accredited by the American College of Surgeons Commission on Cancer and offers the only CyberKnife® M6 with MLC technology in Georgia. Additionally, the Southeast Georgia Physician Associates medical group includes more than 140 providers working in 20 different medical specialties at more than 50 locations. For more information, visit sghs.org.

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