



Yakima Health District

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Update #8: Yakima County COVID-19 Vaccine Received and Administered

YAKIMA, WA- The Yakima Health District received the number of first and second doses of COVID-19 vaccine administered. See **Table 1** for more information. Please note that this information does not include doses that have been administered to staff and residents of long-term care facilities as part of the Federal Pharmacy Partnership.

This week, Washington state will primarily focus on second doses of COVID-19 vaccines. For individuals who are eligible for the COVID-19 vaccine, there will be limited availability for the first dose. However, Washington state's vaccine allocation from the federal government is steadily increasing. As a reminder, community members are expected to get their first and second vaccine from the same location.

Local Vaccine Roll-Out

Yakima County continues to be in Phase 1B Tier 1 of COVID-19 vaccination. It is anticipated that Washington State will remain in this phase until sometime in the Spring. Individuals who would like to sign up for a COVID-19 vaccine should determine their eligibility by visiting [Phase Finder](http://www.FindYourPhaseWA.org) (www.FindYourPhaseWA.org) and find a location that is currently distributing vaccines using the [Yakima Health District Website](#).

Table 1: Yakima County COVID-19 Vaccine Received and Administered

Total Amount of 1st Dose Received	Total Amount of First Dose Administered	Total Amount of Second Dose Received	Total Amount of Second Dose Administered
17,965	19,212	11,475	7,123

Quote

“We continue to ask the community to remain patient if you are unable to schedule an appointment for the COVID-19 vaccine. With limited availability, we understand there are currently not enough vaccines for everyone who is eligible in our county. Please continue to check the Yakima Health District's website for any updates. Be assured, all of our community partners are working diligently to vaccinate everyone who wants a vaccine, as soon as possible.”

-Andre Fresco, Executive Director, Yakima Health District



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Additional Information

[Yakima County COVID-19 Vaccine Distribution](#)

[Washington State COVID-19 Vaccine](#)

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