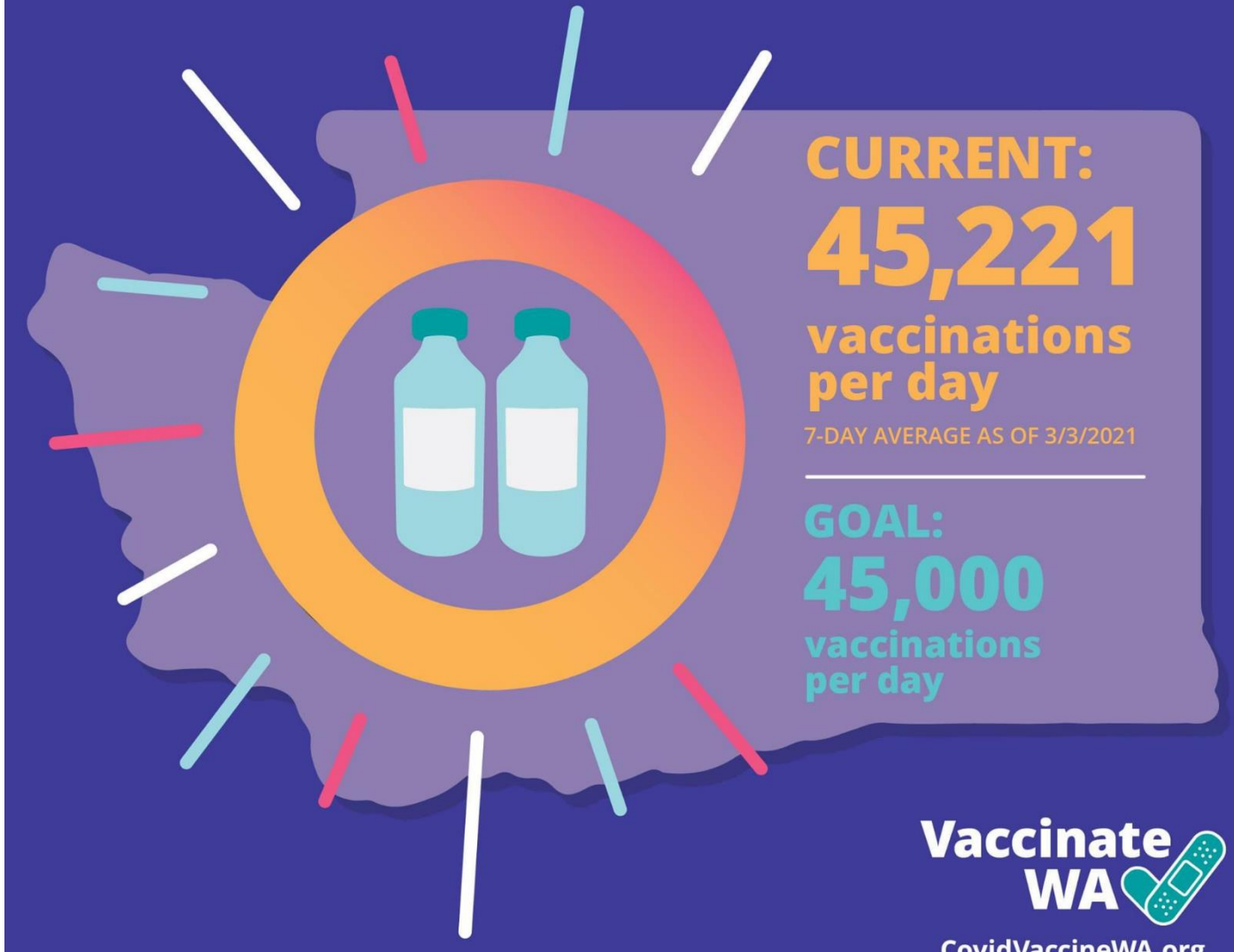
Washington State Department of Health

COVID-19 VACCINE RESPONSE UPDATE

Washington Academy of Family Practice

March 11, 2021

DAILY VACCINATION GOAL ACHIEVED!



CURRENT:

45,221

vaccinations per day

7-DAY AVERAGE AS OF 3/3/2021

GOAL:

45,000

vaccinations per day

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Current Status | Epidemiologic Curves | Cumulative Counts | Demographics | Testing | COVID-like Illness Hospitalizations | Vaccinations

Where and when are vaccinations being given? | How many people are getting vaccinated? | Who is getting vaccinated?

COVID-19 IN WASHINGTON STATE

Where and when are vaccinations being given?

DATA AS OF 3/8/2021 11:59 PM PT

This chart shows the number of COVID-19 vaccines given in Washington state facilities and reported to the state. Vaccine doses given reflects the data reported to the state as of the latest update date. Please note, the measures "vaccines given" and "people vaccinated" are not comparable. Vaccines given counts number of doses given in a location. People vaccinated counts number of Washington residents initiating vaccination and becoming fully vaccinated. Numbers may not always align since people may live in a different county than where they got vaccinated. Vaccination data are updated on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays only. **Learn More**

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By Location | By Date

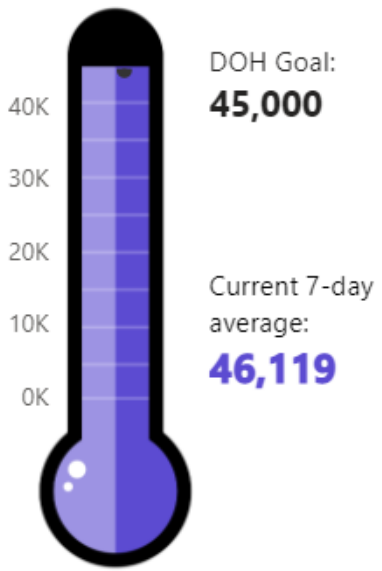
Vaccine Doses Given and Reported (statewide or selected counties)	**2,140,418**

Statewide Measures Only

Vaccine Doses Given and Reported in Washington	**2,140,418**
Doses Delivered to Washington Providers	**2,560,840**
Doses Delivered for CDC long-term care vaccination program	**186,030**
Percentage of Delivered Doses Given	**77.92%**

VACCINE DOSES GIVEN AND REPORTED PER DAY

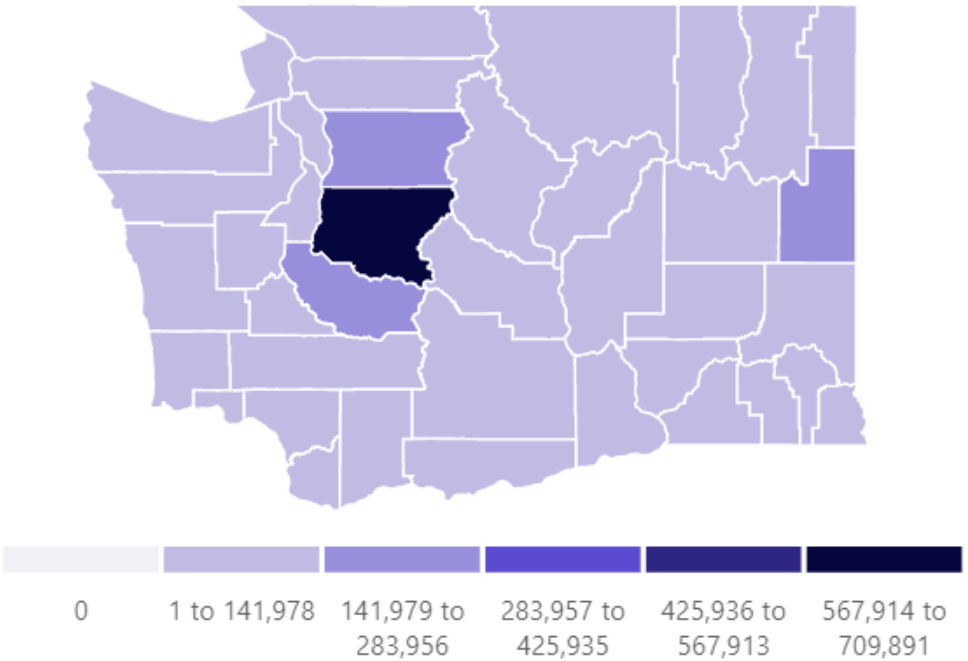
Washington State



DOH Goal: **45,000**

Current 7-day average: **46,119**

VACCINE DOSES GIVEN AND REPORTED IN WASHINGTON COUNTIES



County data for doses given are based on the location of the facility giving the vaccine. 46,733 vaccine doses given do not have a county reported.

https://www.doh.wa.gov/Emergencies/COVID19/DataDashboard#dashboard

3 Week Forecast

Three Week Allocation Projections

	March 14, 2021 Forecast For Week Ending	March 21, 2021 Forecast For Week Ending	March 28, 2021 Forecast For Week Ending
All Vaccines	327,320 Total Doses - All Vaccine Types	334,340 Total Doses - All Vaccine Types	341,360 Total Doses – All Vaccine Types
Pfizer	98,280 1st Doses – Pfizer	98,280 1st Doses - Pfizer	98,280 1st Doses - Pfizer
	84,240 2nd Doses - Pfizer	91,260 2nd Doses - Pfizer	98,280 2nd Doses - Pfizer
Moderna	72,400 1st Doses - Moderna	72,400 1st Doses - Moderna	72,400 1st Doses - Moderna
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Janssen	0 1st Doses - Janssen	0 1st Doses - Janssen	0 1st Doses - Janssen

Vaccine Allocation Decisions

Overview:

- ~1400 provider facilities enrolled
- 100,000-150,000 more doses requested than allocated each week
- 5 weeks of prioritizing second doses due to excessive requests – FINALLY OVER!

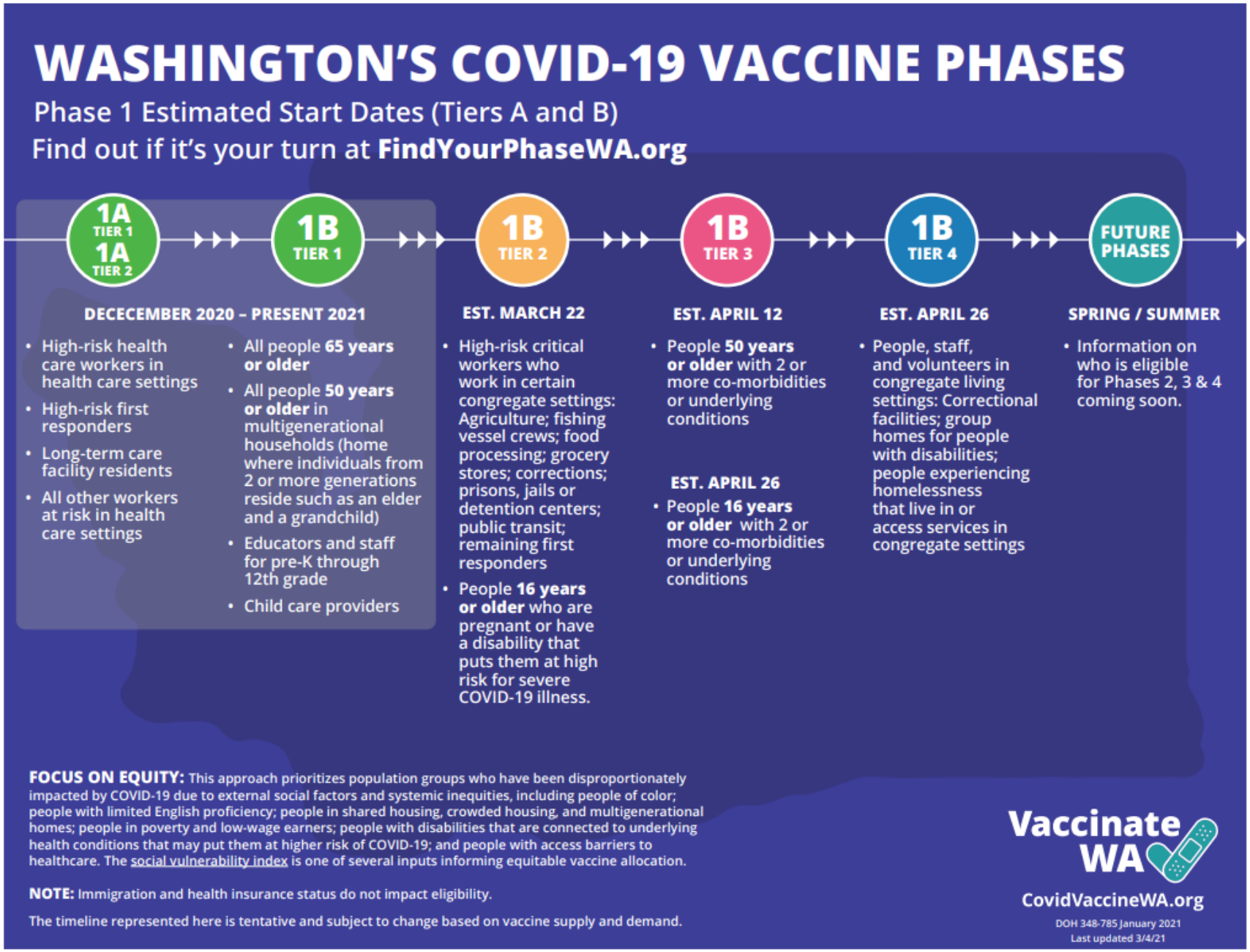
Weekly process: multi-step process that starts each Saturday and finishes Thursday night

- Fully enrolled vaccine providers place their requested orders through the state's Immunization Information System (WAIIS).
- Local Health Jurisdictions give input on which provider sites are priorities in their communities the following week.
- **Allocation is then decided based on balancing several factors:**
  - Pro-rata population of the eligible groups by county (based on the current phase).
  - Data from each provider about the amount of vaccine they are requesting, the populations they serve, the type of storage, and their capacity.
  - Information on provider inventory on hand, documented throughput, and whether providers are using 95 percent of their allocated vaccine within 7 days.
  - Equity factors: Ensuring vaccine is in all counties; ensuring providers serving the highest risk populations get vaccine.
  - Getting a proportion of available vaccine to all provider types (hospitals, pharmacies, mass vaccination sites, and clinics/federal qualified health centers/local health clinic).

Prioritization Framework Updates

- Additions to Phase 1B Tier 1
- Timeline for coming phases

https://www.doh.wa.gov/Emergencies/COVID19/VaccineInformation/AllocationandPrioritization



PreK-12 Educators, Staff, and Child Care Workers

- Educators are encouraged to receive their vaccine through the Federal Retail Pharmacy Program, which will prioritize them at their sites through the end of March.
- Currently there are six pharmacies in Washington involved in the Federal Retail Pharmacy Program: Safeway/Albertsons, Walmart, Costco, Rite Aid, Health Mart Independent Pharmacies, and Kroger.
- This week they will receive 72,000 doses.
- This is in addition to the allocation Washington receives each week.
- Using the Federal Retail Pharmacy Program, we believe we will be able to administer first doses to educators across the state by the end of March.

Strategies to Ensure Equitable Access

1. **Prioritize communities with higher social vulnerability** to COVID-19 by using Washington Tracking Network, Information by Location Mapping Tool: COVID-19 Social Vulnerability Index.
2. **Address work schedule barriers** through:
    1. Evening & weekend appointments
    2. Onsite, employment-based vaccine clinics
    3. Encouraging employers to provide paid time for getting a vaccine
3. **Address language barriers** through:
    1. Translation of materials
    2. Culturally & linguistically appropriate outreach
    3. Interpretation services
4. **Promote vaccine trust and confidence** by partnering with trusted community leaders and members. Save appointments for community partners to schedule.
5. **Focus on the hard to reach groups** – put more effort into reaching the people who will be missed by traditional channels.

Vaccine Locator

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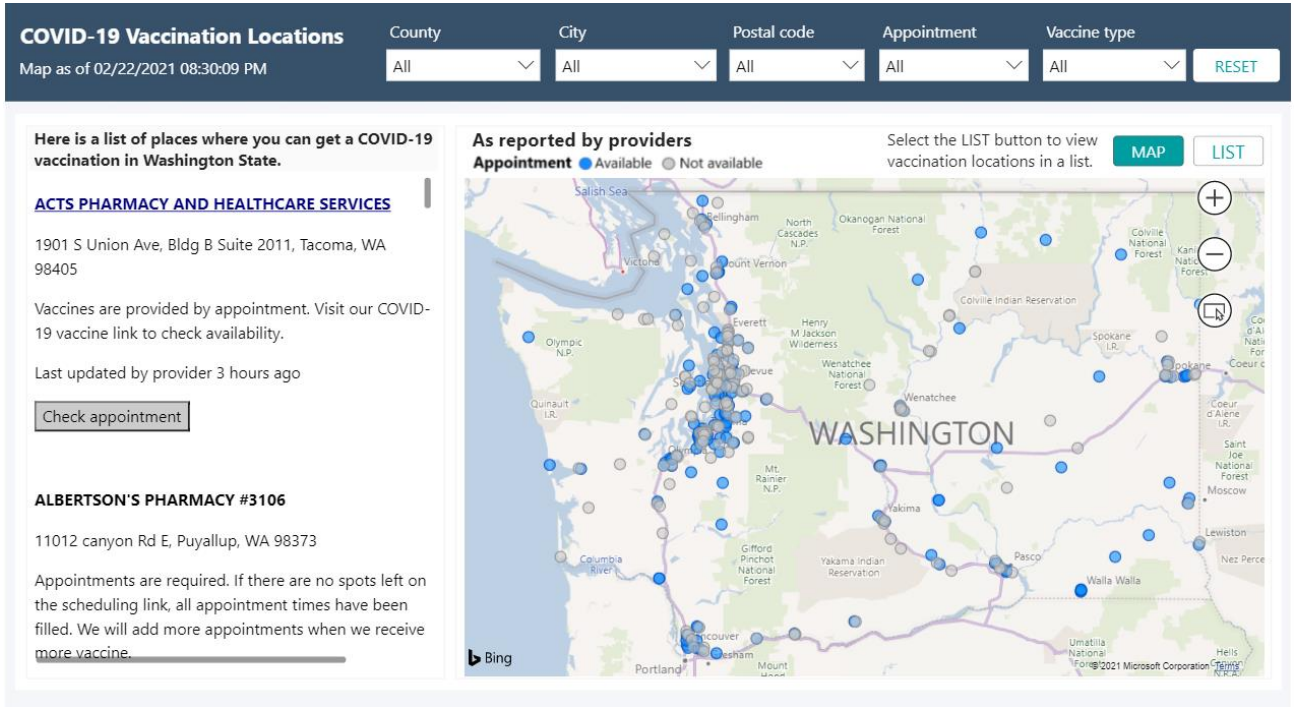
Changes to Vaccine Locator

- Easier-to-navigate map
- Easier to see where vaccine is in stock*
- Multiple languages
- Updated daily
- *More coming soon!*



* Current data are only as reliable as providers reporting in WA Health

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Additional Information

- More details and answers to frequently asked questions can be found on our website:
  - https://www.doh.wa.gov/Emergencies/COVID19/Vaccine
- Questions from the public can be sent to our COVID-19 Vaccine Inbox:
  - COVID.Vaccine@doh.wa.gov
- Volunteer! https://coronavirus.wa.gov/what-you-need-know/how-you-can-help or your local medical reserve corps (check your local health department website)

Questions?

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