

DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

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UPDATED GUIDANCE FOR CONGREGATE SETTINGS

Target Audience - Qualified Vendors and Providers

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On Tuesday, January 4, 2022, DDD updated its <u>COVID-19 Guidance for Congregate Settings and Direct Care Workers</u> guidance document available on the <u>Actions Related to COVID-19</u> web page. The new guidance aligns with recent updates from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) related to COVID-19 vaccine booster shots and isolation for close contact or suspected/confirmed cases of COVID-19.

Vaccines are available at pharmacies, doctor's offices and other locations run by county health departments. Vaccine sites can be found:

- Online at https://www.azdhs.gov/findvaccine
- By calling 1-844-542-8201
- By sending a text message with a zip code to 438829, for English, or 822862, for Spanish, to receive details about three locations near the zip code with vaccine availability.

Eligible Medicaid members can get non-emergency medical transportation (NEMT) to their vaccine appointment by contacting their <u>health insurance provider</u> for more details.