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More Hospital Staff Now Eligible

Effective immediately, NYC Health + Hospitals will expand eligibility for the COVID-19 vaccine to include all **clinical** and **non-clinical** health care workers in the following areas:

- **Emergency Departments**
- **Intensive Care Units**
- **Medical/Surgical Units (NEW)**
- **Step Down Units (NEW)**
- **Areas performing aerosol-generating procedures, including Anesthesia (NEW)**
- **Pulmonary Function Test Labs (NEW)**
- **Bronchoscopy Suites (NEW)**
- **Endoscopy Suites (NEW)**

Eligible staff include employees, affiliate staff, house staff, volunteers, or vendor staff who are nurses, providers, environmental services workers, food service workers, clerks and any others who work in these high-risk, patient care areas.

If you meet the above criteria, please visit the self-scheduling appointment system to confirm your eligibility and select the day and time of your appointment: <https://covid19vaccinationscheduler.nychhc.org/>. Please note that currently the self-scheduling appointment system can only be accessed from within the NYC Health + Hospitals network.

Vaccination in Post-Acute Care/Nursing Homes Begins this Week

Vaccine distribution for NYC Health + Hospitals Post-Acute Care facilities will begin tomorrow in some facilities with a rolling schedule for each of our five post-acute care nursing facilities over the next two weeks.

