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## Amador COVID-19 Update

**Amador County, CA** – Amador County Public Health reports 117 more individuals with COVID-19 since last Tuesday's update, of whom 78% were unvaccinated. The cases include 40 children under the age of 18 years, 53 age 18-49, 4 age 50-64, and 20 age 65 and above. Since January 1, 2021, confirmed cases of COVID-19 total 1,862. There are currently 124 active cases. Investigation has also confirmed 2 additional deaths due to COVID-19: a male in his 40s and another male in his 90's.

Pfizer booster vaccination is <u>recommended for certain individuals</u> six months or later after their second dose of Pfizer. Booster clinics will be held at the Health and Human Services Building 10877 Conductor Blvd, Sutter Creek beginning this Friday, October 1<sup>st</sup>, from 9 am to 6 pm. People for whom boosters are recommended may visit <u>myturn.ca.gov</u> to schedule an appointment. Please bring your vaccination card, a photo of your card, or digital record that shows the dates of your previous Pfizer doses.

Booster doses for Moderna and J&J are not yet authorized. The FDA is reviewing data to determine the timing for those vaccine boosters.

No-cost COVID-19 testing continues to be available on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays from 7 am until 7 pm. Please register for testing at the <u>lhi.care</u> website or by calling 1-888-634-1123. OptumServe will accommodate walk-ins on a limited basis if space is available. Masks are required at the testing site, located at the rear entrance of the Health and Human Services Building. Anyone who is exhibiting symptoms, even fully vaccinated individuals, should isolate and get tested.

This week, a COVID vaccine pop-up clinic will be held Thursday, September 30<sup>th</sup>, 10 am to 1 pm at <u>American</u> <u>Legion Hall</u>, 12134 Airport Road, Sutter Creek.

Pfizer, Moderna and the single-dose Johnson and Johnson vaccine will be offered at every pop-up clinic. These outreach clinics are NOT for booster vaccinations. No appointment is necessary. To view the calendar of upcoming pop-up clinics, visit the <u>Amador COVID-19 Vaccine Information</u> webpage. Public Health also offers vaccines by appointment and to homebound individuals. Appointments may be scheduled by calling (209) 223-6407.

COVID-19 vaccines and boosters are also available at local pharmacies. Visit the <u>vaccines.gov</u> website for availability. Over 38,900 doses of COVID-19 vaccine have been administered to Amador residents to date.