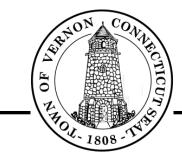
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Town of Vernon Hosts COVID-19 Vaccine Booster Shot Clinic

Booster Shots Administered by Priority Urgent Care with No Out-of-Pocket Costs

(VERNON, Connecticut) – To address increasing demand for COVID-19 vaccine booster shots, the Town of Vernon is hosting a COVID booster shot clinic with Priority Urgent Care of Ellington this Wednesday, December 15th, 2021 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at 375 Hartford Turnpike, Vernon. *Only booster shots will be offered at the clinic, which is open to all eligible people 18 and older.*

People who received the Moderna or Pfizer vaccines more than six months ago and people who received the Johnson & Johnson vaccine more than two months ago are eligible to receive a booster. The Moderna and Pfizer vaccines will be offered at the clinic. People should bring their vaccination card to the clinic.

To sign up for the clinic, please visit the Town of Vernon's COVID-19 Vaccination page, www.vernon-ct.gov/covid-19/clinics. Walk-ins are welcome, but those who have appointments will receive priority.

About the Town of Vernon

The Town of Vernon is a celebrated place to live, work and visit. From its beautiful parks and lakes, to its vast trails and historic homes and buildings, Vernon is a resilient and thriving community that promotes the health and wellbeing of its residents and values the natural environment. With a resident population of approximately 30,000 and occupying 18.03 square miles, Vernon combines a balanced appreciation of history, and a strong economic base for growth, both residential and commercial. Located 15 minutes east of the Connecticut capital of Hartford, and 25 miles from the City of Springfield, Massachusetts, the Town of Vernon is strategically located in "New England's Knowledge Corridor" with close proximity to some of the top colleges and universities in the country.

Designated a certified Sustainable Community, the Town of Vernon offers a wide range of benefits and services to its residents. The Town of Vernon is a full-service municipality that practices a management philosophy of continuous quality improvement. To learn more about the Town of Vernon, please call (860) 870- 3670 or visit www.vernon-ct.gov.