# **COVID-19 Vaccination:** Programme update 11 March 2021

## Overview

Our ambition is to protect our Cardiff and Vale population as quickly as possible with vaccination for Covid-19. A vaccination programme on such a large scale requires a multi-faceted approach and a mixed model of delivery. The model in Cardiff and Vale includes mobile teams, mass vaccination centres, GP Practices and healthcare 'hubs'.

## **Operational Delivery:**

To date we have delivered 177,759 vaccines in Cardiff and the Vale of Glamorgan. 144,950 people have received their first dose of the vaccine, which is 36% of our total adult population. 32,809 people have received a full course (2 doses) of vaccination.

	1st Dose	2nd Dose
Total vaccines	144,949	32,809
Yesterday	2,133	1,446
KEY PRIORITY GROUPS (1-4)		Target met 15/02/2021
Care home staff	4,147	2,621
Care home residents	2,126	748
80 and over	18,980	250
Fontline healthcare staff	24,552	17,099
Social care staff	8,482	4,832
People aged 75-79	14,032	690
People aged 70-74	20,148	3,554
Clinically Extremely Vulnerable	9,226	1,066

Total Vaccinations: **177,759** Total Yesterday: **3,579** 

KEY PRIORITY GROUPS (5-7)		
65-69	16,011	232
Underlying Health Conditions	17,916	1,315
60-64	8,001	146









Splott MVC continues to deliver 2nd doses of Pfizer with people from groups 1-4 due to be completed by 19 April. After this date Splott will continue with 1st and 2nd doses of Pfizer.

Pentwyn MVC and Barry MVC are continuing to deliver first doses of Oxford Astra Zeneca to people with underlying health conditions, aged 16-64 and those aged 60-64. We have now delivered the following number of vaccinations at each site:

Splott MVC **61,570** Pentwyn MVC **15,240** Barry MVC **10,343** 

#### New MVC

Work continues to establish the **Bayside MVC** on at the old Toys R Us site, which will be operational from the week commencing 22 March, with throughput expected to continually increase towards full capacity over a short number of weeks.

#### Western Vale

We are continuing to explore options to increase vaccination capacity in Western Vale, with options continuing to be discussed with GPs and community pharmacists in the area. We will provide further updates as this progresses.

#### Mobile Vaccination Teams

Our Mobile Teams are continuing to deliver second doses to Care Homes across Cardiff and the Vale of Glamorgan, and remain on track to complete these by 22 March, however there may be occasions where we cannot go into a Care Home if they are in an outbreak situation but we will continually monitor these and enter when it is safe to do so.

They have so far completed xx of xx care homes in Cardiff, and xx of xx in the Vale of Glamorgan



Our GP Practices are continuing to book in priority group 5 (aged 65-69) to receive their vaccine and have completed 78.1% of this group so far. Remaining people in this age group will receive their first doses given by 22 March.

A round up of our Primary Care support is available on our <u>website</u>







## **Community Pharmacies**

Community Pharmacies will be vaccinating from April, with a focus on delivering vaccines to unpaid carers, our Black Asian and Minority Ethnic communities and increasing access and capacity in the Western Vale area.

#### Leaving nobody behind



There has been significant uptake of the <u>online form</u> that we shared last week, for people who feel they fall under this cohort. Upon completing the form, the person who submitted it will be offered an appointment at an MVC or a community pharmacy. Help with completing the form is available by calling 01446 729592 if you live in the Vale, or 029 2087 1071 if you live in Cardiff.

We are working to expand the form so that anybody who believes they are in JCVI Priority Groups 1-7 and have not yet been contacted to receive the vaccine can identify themselves and be scheduled in for their vaccination in a similar process to that outlined above.

## **Vulnerable communities**

Our mobile teams have this week begun vaccinating vulnerable communities, including people who are homeless, asylum seekers and the traveller community, at appropriate locations in Cardiff and the Vale of Glamorgan. First doses of the vaccine are expected to be completed among these groups by 12 April.

#### **Communications:**

Following the announcement last week, there has been interest in the new Bayside MVC being established at the old Toys R Us site, with coverage in <u>WalesOnline</u>, <u>Wales 247</u> and <u>Barry and</u> <u>District News</u>.

Our website is updated regularly with information on our progress and figures. We have also included information for each group on how they will be contacted for an appointment.

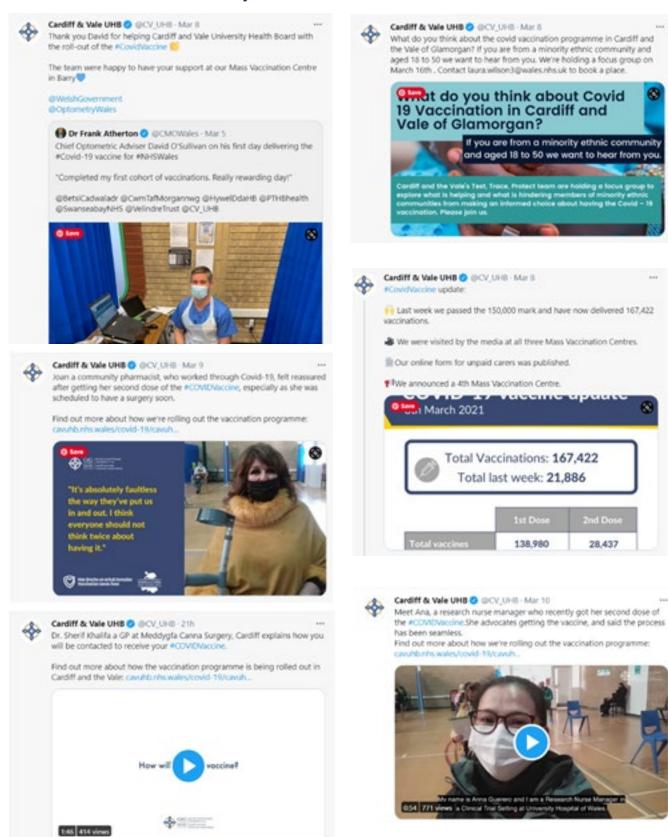
The website can be accessed here







#### **Social Media activity**





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