



Eastern
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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

Eastern Health Holding AstraZeneca/COVISHIELD Vaccination Clinic for Residents 55 to 64

April 7, 2021 – St. John's, NL: Eastern Health is advising that it will be holding additional AstraZeneca vaccination clinics in various communities throughout the region. Individuals 55 to 64 years of age can book an appointment at one of the following clinics:

- Bonavista, Cabot Stadium, April 17, 2021, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- Carbonear, Fong's Restaurant, April 14, 2021, 9:00 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.
- Holyrood, Royal Canadian Legion, April 9, 2021, 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- St. John's, 50 Mundy Pond Road, April 14, 2021, 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
- St. John's, 50 Mundy Pond Road, April 16, 2021 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
- St. John's, 50 Mundy Pond Road, April 18, 2021, 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
- St. John's, 50 Mundy Pond Road, April 19, 2021, 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
- St. John's, Village Mall (entrance facing Topsail Road), April 16, 2021, 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
- St. John's, Village Mall (entrance facing Topsail Road), April 17, 2021, 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
- St. John's, Village Mall (entrance facing Topsail Road), April 18, 2021, 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
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Individuals do not need to preregister for these clinics, although they do need to book an appointment. These clinics are also available for anyone who turns 55 within the 2021 calendar year. To book an appointment at one of the AstraZeneca clinics:

1. Please click the following link, or copy and paste the link into the address bar of your internet browser: <https://portal.healthmyself.net/nleasterhealth/forms/JE8> (using google chrome if possible).
2. Complete the eligibility questionnaire and consent.
3. Follow the online instructions and when prompted enter the following authorization code: **AZVAC21**

If anyone is experiencing difficulty booking their appointment, please click [here](#) for the how-to video, or contact **1-833-703-5470 only** between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. Individuals will know when the clinics are full when there are no longer any available appointment slots in the system.

Additional information on vaccination schedules will be provided as it becomes available and more vaccine is received and clinics are set up.

Newfoundland and Labrador public health officials paused the administration of the AstraZeneca vaccine for adults under age 55 on March 29, 2021. This decision was based on new guidelines from the National Advisory Committee on Immunization, which cites European reports of rare instances of vaccine-induced prothrombotic

immune thrombocytopenia (VIPIT) in people four to 20 days after receiving the AstraZeneca vaccine. For more information, please click [here](#).

Health Canada reviewed the AstraZeneca COVID-19 vaccine and stated the benefits in protecting Canadians from COVID-19 continue to outweigh the risks and encouraged Canadians to get immunized with any of the COVID-19 vaccines that are authorized in Canada when they are eligible.

The public is reminded that they should not schedule an appointment for a vaccine if they are experiencing symptoms of COVID-19. Instead, complete a COVID-19 Assessment and referral by clicking [here](#).

For more information on COVID-19 vaccines, please visit [Health Canada](#). For up-to-date information on the COVID-19 pandemic, please visit www.gov.nl.ca/covid-19.