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CBC-West COVID-19 Test Site Now Offering Drive-Through Vaccination Friday through Sunday

Pasco, Wash. – The COVID-19 test site at CBC-West off Argent in Pasco is now offering COVID-19 vaccination every Friday through Sunday from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. They offer all vaccine brands, and everyone age 12 and older is eligible regardless of immigration status or state residency. Drive-ups are welcome, but appointments are encouraged through PrepMod by entering “BFHD” in the “Search by Name” field.

“Benton-Franklin Health District is excited to partner with the team at CBC-West to offer a fixed, drive-through option on the weekends for COVID-19 vaccination for the community,” said Dr. Amy Person, health officer for Benton and Franklin counties. “Having safe and convenient locations for those who are seeking vaccination is important as we continue to educate and promote COVID-19 protection for everyone in our area.”

The CBC-West site has specific drive lanes and staff for vaccination Friday through Sunday only. The addition of the vaccination services does not take the place of the COVID-19 infection testing at the site, which will continue daily during normal testing hours. The public is reminded to come by vehicle, for either service, for the safety of everyone onsite.

“Our team is pleased to help meet our community’s vaccination needs by running an efficient drive-through clinic,” said Craig Patterson, incident commander, Pasco Fire Department Contract Services. “The convenience and popularity of the now demobilized mass vaccination site at the Fairgrounds made the decision easy for our team to add a weekend vaccine operation here at the CBC-West site.”

More information is available at <https://covid19.bfhd.wa.gov>.

Interview opportunities are available to reporters at the drive-through site on Friday, June 11, from 10 to 11 a.m. by appointment. To reserve an interview time, please contact Nikki Ostergaard, Health District COVID-19 PIO, at (509) 378-1426. (This phone number is not for the public.)

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