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VACCINE ACCESSIBILITY IN MASSACHUSETTS

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PLYMOUTH, MA – Yesterday, Governor Maura Healey announced new steps to ensure continued vaccine availability across Massachusetts. In alignment with this effort, Massachusetts Department of Public Health (MDPH) Commissioner Dr. Robbie Goldstein has issued a standing order allowing pharmacies throughout the Commonwealth to provide COVID-19 vaccinations to residents ages 5 and older.

Children under the age of 5 should continue to receive their COVID-19 vaccinations through their pediatrician.

“In response to resident inquiries received regarding COVID and Flu vaccinations, residents are encouraged to check with their local pharmacy for availability, eligibility, and appointment requirements, as age and health restrictions may vary,” **states Plymouth’s Director of Public Health Karen Keane.** For further vaccine-related guidance, individuals should contact their primary care physician and/or contact the [Massachusetts Immunization Division](#).

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