

COVID Vaccine Distribution Status by State and County
as of January 18, 2021

Below is a summary of the government vaccine distribution plans that affect Mercury’s sites. See the highlighted language for phases that may allow Mercury employees to get vaccinated based on their employment status.

If you would like more detailed information or the latest information about COVID-19 distribution plans, please visit your state or county health website or consult your healthcare provider. See the footnotes for links to those websites.

<p>California</p>	<p>Phase 1A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Healthcare workers • Long-term care residents <p>Phase 1B – Tier One</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individuals 65 and older • Those at risk of exposure at work in the following sectors: • Education and childcare • Emergency services • Food and agriculture <p>Phase 1B – Tier One</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Those at risk of exposure at work in the following sectors: • Transportation and logistics • Industrial, commercial, residential, and sheltering facilities and services • Critical manufacturing • Congregate settings with outbreak risk: • Incarcerated • Homeless <p>Phase 1C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individuals 50 -64 years of age • People 16-49 years of age who have an underlying health condition or disability which increases their risk of severe COVID-19 • Those at risk of exposure at work in the following sectors: • Water and wastewater • Defense • Energy • Chemical and hazardous materials • Communications and IT • Financial services • Government operations / community-based essential functions¹ 	<p>Varies by county. See below.</p>
<p>Cypress (Orange County)</p>	<p>Phase 1A: Critical and healthcare workers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acute care, psychiatric and correctional facility hospitals • Skilled nursing facilities, assisted living facilities, and similar settings for older or medically vulnerable individuals and residents in these settings • Paramedics, Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs) and others providing emergency medical services • Dialysis centers 	<p>Phase 1A</p>

¹ <https://covid19.ca.gov/vaccines/#California's-vaccination-plan>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intermediate care facilities for persons who need non-continuous nursing supervision and supportive care • Home health care and in-home supportive services • Community health workers, including promotoras • Public health field staff • Primary Care clinics, including Federally Qualified Health Centers, Rural Health Centers, correctional facility clinics and urgent care clinics • Specialty clinics • Laboratory workers • Dental and other oral health clinics • Pharmacy staff not working in settings at higher tiers <p>Phase 1B: Tier 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food and agriculture • Education and childcare <p>Phase 1B: Tier 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individuals 65-74 years of age • Incarcerated Individuals - jails and prisons • Homeless/Unhoused • Transportation and Logistics • Industrial, Residential, Commercial • Critical Manufacturing <p>Phase 1C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individuals 50-64 years of age • 16-49 years and have underlying health conditions or disabilities which increases their risk for severe COVID-19 • Water and Waste Management, Defense, Energy, Chemical and Hazardous Materials, Communication and IT, Financial Services • Government Operations / Community-Based Essential Functions² 	
Fremont (Alameda County)	<p>Phase 1 is same as California.</p> <p>Phase 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderate underlying health conditions <p>Phase 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young adults • Children • Workers not covered in phases 1 and 2 <p>Phase 4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All³ 	<p>Phase 1A: Health Care Workers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tier 1: Hospitals, Dialysis, EMTs, Long-Term Care Facilities/Skilled Nursing • Tier 2: Community Health Workers, IHSS/Home Health Care, Primary care, behavioral health, & speciality providers • Tier 3: Dentists, Blood Banks, Pharmacy Staff
Oxnard (Ventura County)	<p>Phase 1A – Tier 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acute care hospital staff who have patient contact will receive first allocations without regard to status in the medical hierarchy (staff includes all workers that work in the individual unit: janitors, 	<p>Phase 1A</p>

² <https://occovid19.ochealthinfo.com/covid-19-vaccination-distribution>

³ <https://covid-19.acgov.org/vaccines>

	<p>housekeepers, maintenance, security, ward clerks, nurses, physicians, techs, respiratory therapists, lab techs, etc.):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ICU staff • COVID holding unit staff • ER staff • Registry nurses working in the above units • All other healthcare workers in the acute care hospital (nurses, doctors, janitors, housekeepers, maintenance, security, ward clerks, nurses, techs, respiratory therapists, lab techs, etc.) • Staff at Skilled Nursing Facilities, Assisted Living Facilities and similar settings for older or medically vulnerable individuals. • Skilled Nursing Facilities, Assisted Living Facilities and similar settings that have registered with the Federal Pharmacy Participation Program (which has contracted Walgreens and CVS to carry out on site vaccination) will have both staff and residents vaccinated together. • All other hospital support units (laboratory, radiology, etc.) • Remaining hospital ancillary staff not previously mentioned <p>Followed by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff at psychiatric hospitals/residential and in-patient mental health facilities • Residents of Skilled Nursing Facilities, Assisted Living Facilities and similar settings for older or medically vulnerable individuals. • Jail infirmary staff • Staff and residents of special needs group living • Paramedics, EMTs (only those who are currently active and, in the field,) • Dialysis Centers • Vaccinators <p>Phase 1A – Tier 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff at Intermediate Care Facilities for persons who need non-continuous nursing supervision and supportive care. • Residents of Intermediate Care Facilities for persons who need non-continuous nursing supervision and supportive care. • Intermediate Care Facilities that have registered with the Federal Pharmacy Participation Program (which has contracted Walgreens and CVS to carry out on site vaccination) will have both staff and residents vaccinated together. • Primary Care Clinics, including FQHCs, rural health centers and urgent care clinics in zip codes 93015, 93030, 93033, 93036, 93040 and 93060. (While there are many zip codes with elevated case rates, these are the 6 with rates over 50 and which were centers of elevated rates even before the current surge.) • Jail staff • Home health care and in-home supportive services/Hospice staff • Public Health high risk workers and field staff • Primary Care Clinics, including FQHCs, rural health centers, correctional facility clinics and urgent care clinics not in the above-mentioned zip codes • Private MD Office Staff 	
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- Surgical Centers
- Dental and other oral health clinics
- Jail medical staff
- Behavioral health outpatient staff/psychologists and social workers/staff of outpatient substance use disorder and crisis stabilization units
- Community health workers including promotoras
- Midwives (not vaccinated as in-hospital staff)
- Medical Examiner Investigators
- CDPH Licensing & Certification Surveyors
- COVID Testing Site workers/COVID hotel site workers
- Regional center staff

Phase 1A – Tier 3

- Other health settings and healthcare workers
- Specialty clinics
- Laboratory workers
- Blood bank workers
- Pharmacy staff not working in settings in higher tiers
- Physical therapists
- Ombudsmen for long term care facilities
- Mortuary and cemetery workers

Phase 1B – Tier 1

- Persons aged ≥ 75 years
- 65+ with an underlying health condition and/or a disability
- Other persons 65 years of age or older
- Essential workers (law enforcement, DA Investigators, food and agriculture, dispatchers, non-active EMT and non-EMT Fire Department employees, emergency services sector, education sector, childcare, corrections officers, youth authority, public health, U.S. postal workers, grocery store workers, jail custody staff)
- Child welfare workers

Phase 1B – Tier 2

- Essential workers (utilities; transportation and logistics; industrial, residential and commercial sectors; critical manufacturing)
- The homeless and unhoused
- Incarcerated individuals – jails and prisons

Phase 1C

- Persons aged 16–64 years with underlying medical conditions and/or disabilities that place them at high risk for severe COVID-19 illness and death
- Essential workers not included in Phase 1B* (water, waste management and other utilities; defense; energy; chemical and hazardous; communication and IT; financial services; government operations and other community-based essential functions sector**/community service)

Phase 2

- Phase 2 includes all other persons aged ≥ 16 years not already recommended for vaccination in Phases 1A, 1B, or 1C

	<p>Phase 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The county is closely monitoring clinical trials in children and adolescents and will consider recommendations for use when a COVID-19 vaccine is authorized for use in persons aged <16 years⁴ 	
San Jose (Santa Clara County)	Follows state's plan. See above. ⁵	<p>Phase 1A of state's plan:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Healthcare personnel • Long-term care facility residents • Persons 75 and older

⁴ <https://www.venturacountyrecovers.org/vaccine-information/prioritization/>

⁵ <https://www.sccgov.org/sites/covid19/Pages/COVID19-vaccine-information-for-public.aspx>