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Novel H1N1 Vaccine Clinic in West Sacramento Expanded

(Woodland, CA) – The Yolo County Health Department, in partnership with the City of West Sacramento is holding a free Novel H1N1 flu vaccination clinic today, from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m., at Riverbank Elementary School, located at 1100 Carrie Street in West Sacramento. This clinic has been expanded to be open to all, but as supplies are limited, priority will be given to the following high risk groups:

- pregnant women
- parents of children under 6 months of age
- children and young people ages 6 months to 24 years

Those who may already be sick will not be able to be vaccinated until they are well again.

“As with all healthcare providers, while vaccine is limited it is our priority to vaccinate those at high risk,” said Dr. Joseph Iser, Yolo County Health Department Director-Health Officer. “It is specifically the Yolo County Health Department’s priority to vaccinate those without a healthcare provider. All are our welcome to attend today’s Novel H1N1 flu vaccine clinic, however, we are still encouraging those with a healthcare provider to seek Novel H1N1 vaccine from providers who are receiving new shipments of vaccine on a regular basis.”

The last in this series of Novel H1N1 vaccine clinics will be held:

Wednesday, December 16, 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Winters Community Center
201 Railroad Avenue, Winters

The clinic in Winters will also be expanded, with preference given to the above risk groups.

Parking may be limited at clinic sites so participants are encouraged to plan accordingly. All sites can be accessed via Yolobus. For a complete bus schedule, go to www.yolobus.com.

Vaccinations will be provided on a first come, first served basis, but high risk groups will be given preference. Both traditional injectable vaccine and FluMist (a nasal spray) vaccine will be available, as will preservative-free vaccine reserved for pregnant women. Informational materials about the vaccine will be provided at the clinics in English, Russian, and Spanish and interpreters will be available on site.

To expedite the vaccination process, participants are encouraged to complete, print and bring with them to the clinic the vaccination screening questionnaire which is available online:

www.yolobusinesspartners.org/forms.html (select: Medical Screening Assistant)

For more information about Novel H1N1 influenza and future vaccination clinics as they become scheduled, go to www.yolohealth.org (select: Novel H1N1 Influenza) or call (530) 666-8645.

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