

# News Release

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**Huron-Perth, ON** – A group of primary care providers in Perth County will offer a Moderna COVID-19 vaccination clinic for residents 18 years of age and older.

The Stratford Family Health Team, STAR Family Health Team, Happy Valley Family Health Team, and Mitchell Family Doctors will be running the clinic Friday, June 4, 2021 at the Stratford Rotary Complex.

This is an age-based clinic only, with no other eligibility requirements. Individuals must be 18 years of age or older by the date of the clinic to book an appointment. You do not need to be a patient of any of the above family health teams to receive your vaccine at this clinic. This clinic is for first dose appointments only.

Booking online is recommended at: <https://chkmkt.com/HPprimarycareJune4>

“We are pleased to work together in providing these vaccinations for the community,” says Dr. Kim Gilmour. “We encourage everyone eligible and able to receive vaccine to sign up for this clinic.”

The Stratford Family Health Team, STAR Family Health Team, Happy Valley Family Health Team, and Mitchell Family Doctors will have the booking link on their websites and social media accounts.

If you require assistance booking your appointment online, please consider reaching out to a trusted family member or friend. Primary care offices remain very busy and although we are here to help, there could be a significant delay in returning your call. If you need to cancel or confirm an appointment already made, please email [PrimaryCareClinic@hpph.ca](mailto:PrimaryCareClinic@hpph.ca).

The Moderna vaccine is part of the Huron Perth allotment for primary care, and will be administered at the clinic. The Moderna COVID-19 vaccine is an mRNA vaccine (similar to the Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine) that is approved for people who are 18 years of age or older. For more information about the Moderna vaccine, visit <https://covid-19.ontario.ca/covid-19-vaccine-safety>.

The Primary Care Working Group of the Huron Perth Mass Vaccination Advisory Committee (HPMVAC) is working with Huron Perth Public Health to organize the clinic.