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Victoria officials open registration today for COVID-19 vaccination clinic; 9 a.m. for the website, 10 a.m. for the hotline

Victoria City and County officials and local hospital representatives today [Feb. 3] will open registration to allocate 2,000 COVID-19 vaccine doses.

Registration for an appointment at Thursday’s clinic can be completed online or by phone this morning. The time has changed for the public to begin registering.

• Starting at 9 a.m., residents can register online at www.victoriatxcovidvaccines.com. The website will not be functional prior.
• Starting at 10 a.m., residents can call into the COVID-19 vaccine hotline at 1-888-966-5640. The hotline will not be operational prior.

The vaccination clinic will open Thursday and will be available only to those who have registered to set up an appointment ahead of time.

The following organizations have worked to organize the vaccination clinic:
• Victoria County Public Health Department
• Victoria City/County Office of Emergency Management
• City of Victoria
• Victoria County
• Citizens Medical Center
• DeTar Healthcare System
• Post Acute Medical

Future clinics will be scheduled once additional doses become available from the state. Communications about vaccine availability will continue to be made through the Swift 911 Emergency Notification System, so it is important to sign up to receive alerts by texting the word “ADD” to 361-433-4554. This is not a registration for an appointment.

Phase 1A includes health care workers, emergency service providers and others with an increased risk of coming into contact with the coronavirus, while Phase 1B includes those at an increased risk for severe illness from COVID-19 and people aged 65 and older. Detailed information about vaccine eligibility can be found on the DSHS website at https://www.dshs.state.tx.us/coronavirus/immunize/vaccine.aspx.

Victoria City/County officials, including the mayor and judge, emergency response officials and area hospitals, continue to work together to meet the needs of the community, inform the community about state vaccine allocations and provide logistical support to Victoria’s area health
care facilities.

For more information, visit www.vcp hd.org, follow the Victoria County Public Health Department on Facebook, follow our other participating partners’ social media pages, or visit www.victiatxoem.org.

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