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# Vaccination Clinic dates for the New Year

#### For immediate release

(Kahnawake – 31, Tsothóhrha/December 2021 at 3:30pm) The Kateri Memorial Hospital Centre and Public Safety Commission are pleased to announce that a Vaccination Clinic for COVID-19 vaccines will be held at the **Knights of Columbus Hall** on the following dates:

- Wednesday, January 5 9am to 4:30pm
- Friday, January 7 **9am to 4:30pm**
- Saturday, January 8 9am to 4:30pm

This Vaccination Clinic is open to those 18 years and older for first, second dose or booster.

You can book your appointment as of January 4, 2022 at 1pm by clicking **here**.

**Please note**, due to the current situation in the community, and a shortage of healthcare staff, Vaccination Clinics will only be announced on a week-by-week basis.

<u>Important Information</u>: If you have had COVID-19, schedule your appointment **8 weeks** after the beginning of your symptoms or a **positive COVID-19 test**.

It is also recommended that anyone under the age of 29 should receive the Pfizer vaccine as a booster/3<sup>rd</sup> dose, no matter which vaccine they received as their first or second dose, to reduce the risk of myocarditis and pericarditis.

With the number of confirmed COVID-19 variant (Delta and Omicron) cases on the rise around the world, it is recommended to get your booster or 3<sup>rd</sup> dose to enhance vaccine efficacy.