## COVID \*19 **VACCINE PHASES:** By: Krystle J. Allen, MPA, MS **Extension Associate**

The CDC recommends the first allotment of COVID-19 vaccines should be allocated to healthcare personnel and long-term care facility residents.

The Louisiana Department of Health has included persons aged 70 years or older in their first phase.







**Therapists** 



**Technicians** 



Healthcare Personnel includes:

**Nurses and** Nursing **Assitants** 



Emergency Medical Service Personnel



**Pharmacists** 



**Dentists** 



**Dental Hygienists** & Assistants



**Phlebotomists** 



Students & Trainees



Contractual Staff



**Dietary and Food Services** Staff



**Environmental Services Staff** 

## Front-line Essential Workers include:

The next phase of **COVID-19 vaccines** should be allocated for, frontline essential workers and people aged over 75 years old.



**Fire Fighters** 



**Police Officers** 



**Corrections Officers** 



**Public Transit** Workers



**Grocery Store** Workers



Manufacturing Workers



**United States Postal Service** Workers



Food and **Agricultural** Workers



**Educational Sector** (teachers, support staff, and daycare workers)

Sources: cdc.gov, Louisiana Department of Health

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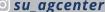


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The next phase of **COVID-19 vaccines** should be allocated for:

> People aged 65-74 vears old

> People aged 16-64 with underlying medical conditions



## Other Essential Workers includes:



**Transportation** and Logistics



**Food Service** 



**Housing Construction** and Finance



**Information Technology** 



Communications



**Energy** 



Law



Media



**Public Safety** 



**Public Health** 

According to the CDC, "As vaccine availability increases, vaccination recommendations will expand to include more groups". Additionally, the Louisiana Department of Health asserts, the vaccine is likely to become more widely available for the general population in late spring/summer 2021.

Sources: cdc.gov, Louisiana Department of Health



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