

COVID-19 ADVISORY & GUIDANCE UPDATE



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This update summarizes news, guidance, advisories, and legislative and executive actions taken by federal, state and local governments that impact San Bernardino County and its response to the Novel Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) crisis.

- **February 4** - The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) issued:
 - [COVID-19 vaccination information for specific groups.](#)
 - [Vaccination considerations for persons with disabilities.](#)
 - Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Reports on:
 - [Racial and ethnic disparities in the prevalence of stress and worry, mental health conditions and increased substance use among adults during the COVID-19 pandemic—United States, April and May 2020.](#)
 - [Decreases in young children who received blood lead level testing during COVID-19 pandemic—34 jurisdictions, January-May 2020.](#)
 - [Sexual orientation disparities in risk factors for adverse COVID-19 related outcomes, by race/ethnicity—Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, United States, 2017-2019.](#)
- **February 4**- The U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) issued:
 - Announcement of [advisory committee meeting to discuss Janssen Biotech Inc’s COVID-19 vaccine.](#)
 - [Update to emergency use authorization \(EUA\) for COVID-19 convalescent plasma](#) to reflect new data.
- **February 4** - San Bernardino County announced that [vaccinations for phase 1A is now open to private and public school teachers who are currently providing in-person instruction](#) or who will do so before the end of the 2020-2021 school year. Teachers may only receive vaccinations by contacting their private schools or public school districts for appointments.



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