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PASUGUAN NG REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS
NAIROBI

PUBLIC ADVISORY NO. 2021-12

SUBJECT : COVID-19 VACCINATION UPDATE

DATE : 26 March 2021

The Philippine Embassy in Nairobi wishes to inform our kababayans of the recent advisories on the First Phase of the prioritized groups for Covid-19 vaccination as enumerated in the Press Statement issued by the Kenyan Ministry of Health dated 25 March 2021:

- Frontline workers,
- Security Personnel,
- Teachers,
- Workers in institutions of learning,
- Clergy, and
- Individuals aged 58 years and above (including foreign nationals).

On another note, the Aga Khan University Hospital and M.P. Shah Hospital, which are appointed by the Kenyan Ministry of Health as Vaccination Centers, posted their public advisories on the procedure and process to be observed during the vaccination. The vaccination is free of charge as guided by the Kenyan Ministry of Health. Below are their contact details:

AGA KHAN UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL (*walk in and on a first come first serve basis*)

Telephone Number: +254 20 3662170

Email Address: public.relations@aku.edu

Opening Hours: Monday to Friday from 7:00am to 2:00pm

M.P. SHAH HOSPITAL (*by appointment*)

You may wish to go to this link <https://nairobi-mp-shah-hospital.oneapp.lefe/kiosk/appointment> to book a slot for the vaccination

Please be reminded to bring your passport and a valid ID when you go to the said vaccination centers.

Let us continue to pray for God's protection during these times of crisis.



REPUBLIC OF KENYA



MINISTRY OF HEALTH

PRESS STATEMENT

DATE; 25TH MARCH 2021

SUBJECT; PRIORITIZATION OF PERSONS AGED 58 YEARS AND ABOVE FOR COVID-19 VACCINATION

As Kenyans will recall, Kenya launched vaccination against the corona virus disease on 5th of March 2021 and effectively rolled it out on 8th March. The First Phase of the vaccination exercise targeted 1.25 million frontline workers at high risk of infection. The prioritized groups included health workers, Security Personnel, Teachers, workers in institutions of learning and the Clergy.

The country is now experiencing the 3rd wave of the COVID-19 pandemic with increasing number of cases, hospitalizations and deaths. In view of

this surge of the pandemic, and in order to protect and save lives, the Ministry of Health has decided to immediately prioritize vaccinations of persons aged 58 years and above. According to our data these are at most risk of severe disease and account for 60% of our recorded deaths. This group of persons will now be a priority target group under the ongoing Phase 1 vaccination exercise. This prioritization is also aligned to the WHO and National Taskforce on Vaccine Deployment recommendations.

The Ministry of Health calls upon all Political, Religious and Community leaders to take the vaccine so as to boost confidence in the overall vaccination process among vaccination target groups.

Thank You,



Dr. Willis Akhwale, MBS

Chairman,

Covid-19 Vaccine Deployment Taskforce.



The Aga Khan University Hospital



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Aga Khan University Hospital is an appointed Vaccination Centre supporting the Ministry of Health vaccinate priority groups. This is a **FREE OF COST SERVICE** to eligible groups as per the Ministry of Health guidelines.



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#CovidVaccine



COVID-19 Vaccination Update



**Vaccine is now available for
phase 1 groups below.**

Healthcare workers & support staff
in health facilities.

Persons aged 58 years and above

Teaching & non-teaching staff
in educational institutions