



Conversation on Race & Healthy Equity Series

Vaccine Hesitancy to Vaccine Acceptance and Access



Thursday, July 29, 2021
10:00-11:00 AM

The long-term aspirational goal of Healthy Tri-County to improve the health and well-being of every person and community in Berkeley, Charleston and Dorchester counties.

HOUSEKEEPING

- Use Webex **Chat** for comments and/or questions 
- Webinar **evaluation** will be conducted 
- **Slides** will be made available 
- Meeting **recording** will be posted to our Healthy Tri-County website 

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WELCOME!

AGENDA

- Welcome & Opening Remarks
- Panel Presentation
- Moderated Panel Discussion
- Evaluation & Close

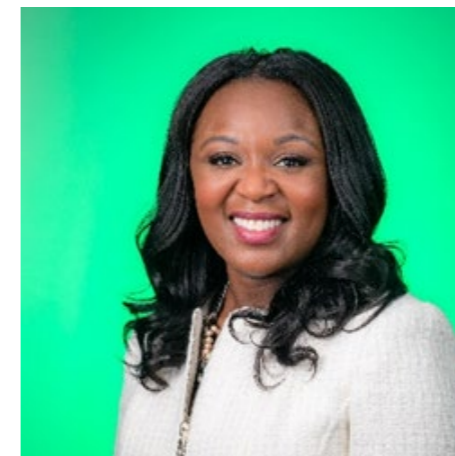
PANELISTS



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COLLABORATION → ACTION → IMPACT

VACCINATION UPDATE: 7/26/2021



Total SC Residents who have Completed Vaccination	
1,906,294	Pfizer: 1,053,524 Moderna: 709,994 Janssen: 142,762



44.4% of South Carolina Residents have Completed Vaccination



HTC PARTNERS IN THE NEWS



What medical professionals are doing to fight vaccine hesitancy

Newsroom

As more Covid-19 vaccine becomes available, demand is faltering. CNN's Pamela Brown traveled to South Carolina to find out what is making people hesitate to get the vaccine.

Source: CNN

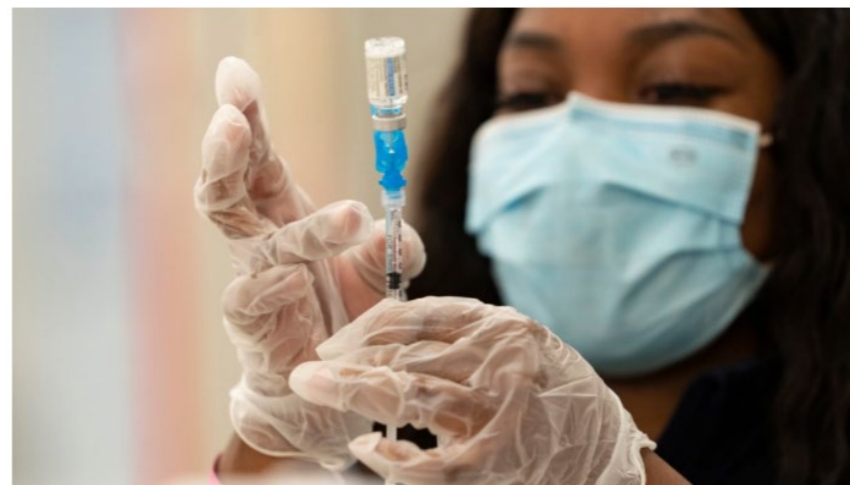
VIDEO: Rep. Nancy Mace among vaccine recipients at Fetter Health clinic

Updated: Apr. 13, 2021 at 4:15 PM EDT



LOCAL NEWS

Fetter Health hosting multiple vaccination clinics throughout the Lowcountry



A recent study has found that more people report side effects after receiving a dose of the Moderna COVID-19 vaccine than the Pfizer vaccine. (AP Photo/Damian Dovarganes, File)





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MUSC At a Glance



Education

- Six colleges: Dental Medicine, Graduate Studies, Health Professions, Medicine, Nursing, and Pharmacy
- 3,148 students (318 undergraduates)
- 818 residents (77 GME programs)
- 3-year MD program



Patient Care

- Nationally-recognized telehealth program (>350 telehealth sites)
- MUSC is the State's leader in >14 health care programs/centers
- State-of-the-art children's hospital serving all 46 counties in South Carolina and 50 states
- Statewide virtual urgent care platform



Research and Innovation

- Largest research institution in South Carolina (\$271.3 million in FY 2020)
- South Carolina's only NCI-designated cancer center
- South Carolina's only NIH funded Clinical and Translational Science Awards

Recognition

- MUSC Health University Medical Center (Charleston) was named No. 1 hospital in South Carolina by *U.S. News & World Report* for the sixth year in a row
- MUSC is nationally ranked (top 50) in 7 specialties by *U.S. News & World Report*

Impact

- \$5.6 billion statewide economic impact
- \$3.8 billion FY 2021 expenditure budget
- 17,000 employees across the state
- South Carolina's only comprehensive academic medical system
- Hospitals in Charleston, Marion, Chester, Lancaster, and Florence counties
- Over 1,600 beds
- Constructing new Lake City/Williamsburg Hospital

COVID Testing and Vaccination Efforts

- **Testing**

- Statewide (all 46 counties) 433,876
- Tri-County 81,392

- **Vaccination**

- Statewide (currently 31 counties) 145,364
- Tri-County 93,182

It Takes a Village

- Elected Officials
- Civic Organizations
- Media
- Businesses
- Schools
- Neighborhoods
- Churches
- Pastors
- Everyday Citizens
- Dedicated Care Team Member
- Public Servants
- You, Me, All of Us

Ongoing Strategies, Tactics & Perspectives

- › **Patience as people come to understand what needs to happen**
- › **Persistence to keep fighting and providing an opportunity**
- › **Understanding the damage of the past**
- › **Healing of old wounds**
- › **Incentives**
- › **Stronger Policies**
- › **Continued Education**
- › **Going to where the people are**
- › **Personal Touch/Appeal**
- › **Each One Reach One**
- › **Ending the Pandemic one day at a time**
- › **Think about someone else beside yourself**
- › **I just want to hug and kiss my Mamma**

Fetter Health Care Network

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FETTER HEALTH CARE NETWORK

- *Fetter Health Care Network* exist to deliver timely, comprehensive and quality health services with dignity and respect regardless of a person's ability to pay. FHCN is a Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC) committed to providing a full range of high-quality health care services for everyone in *Berkeley, Charleston, Colleton and Dorchester counties.*

Primary Care:

- Family, pediatric and internal medicine
- Diagnostic laboratory tests
- Preventative Screenings
- Family planning
- Immunizations
- Case management
- Eligibility assistance
- Health education

Pediatric Care:

- Preventive care
- Well-child visits
- Developmental assessments
- ADHD and autism screenings
- Asthma screenings
- Immunizations
- School and sport physicals

Oral Health Care:

- Annual teeth cleanings
- Fillings
- Tooth extraction
- X-rays
- Cosmetic dentistry
- Emergency dental care
- Oral surgery
- Root canal

Behavioral Health Care:

- Behavioral health assessments
- Treatment of mental illnesses
- Individual, family and group counseling for adults and children
- Substance use disorder treatment

Community Outreach, Women's Health, Pharmacy, Diabetic Education






COMMUNITY- BASED STRATEGIES

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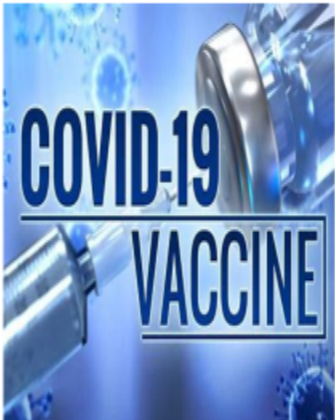
Benefits of Partnering with the community:

- To gain an understanding of the communities' vaccine hesitancy.
- To increase inclusion of underserved populations.
- To improved access by hosting vaccination clinics in underserved communities.
- To collaborate on joint marketing plan.
- To serve as a host site in the community.
- To provide transportation or transportation vouchers.

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Free COVID-19 Vaccinations
On-Site Registration



Vaccine Type	Date	Time	Location
1 st Dose Moderna	Tuesday April 13 th	9:00am-4:00pm	Trident Technical College 700 Rivers Ave., Building 920 North Charleston, SC
1 st Dose Moderna	Wednesday April 14 th	9:00am-2:00pm	International Longshoremen Association 1142 Morrison Drive Charleston, SC
2 nd Dose Moderna	Thursday April 15 th	1:00pm-4:00pm	Colleton County High School 150 Cougar Nation Walterboro, SC

As of March 31, 2021, all South Carolinians age 16 and older can receive their COVID-19 vaccine. All three vaccines—Pfizer, Moderna and Janssen—are available to those aged 18 and older, and currently, Pfizer is the **only** vaccine available to those aged 16 and 17.

Bring your picture ID and Insurance Card, if applicable

For more information visit www.FetterCovid19screening.org/vaccine-clinic

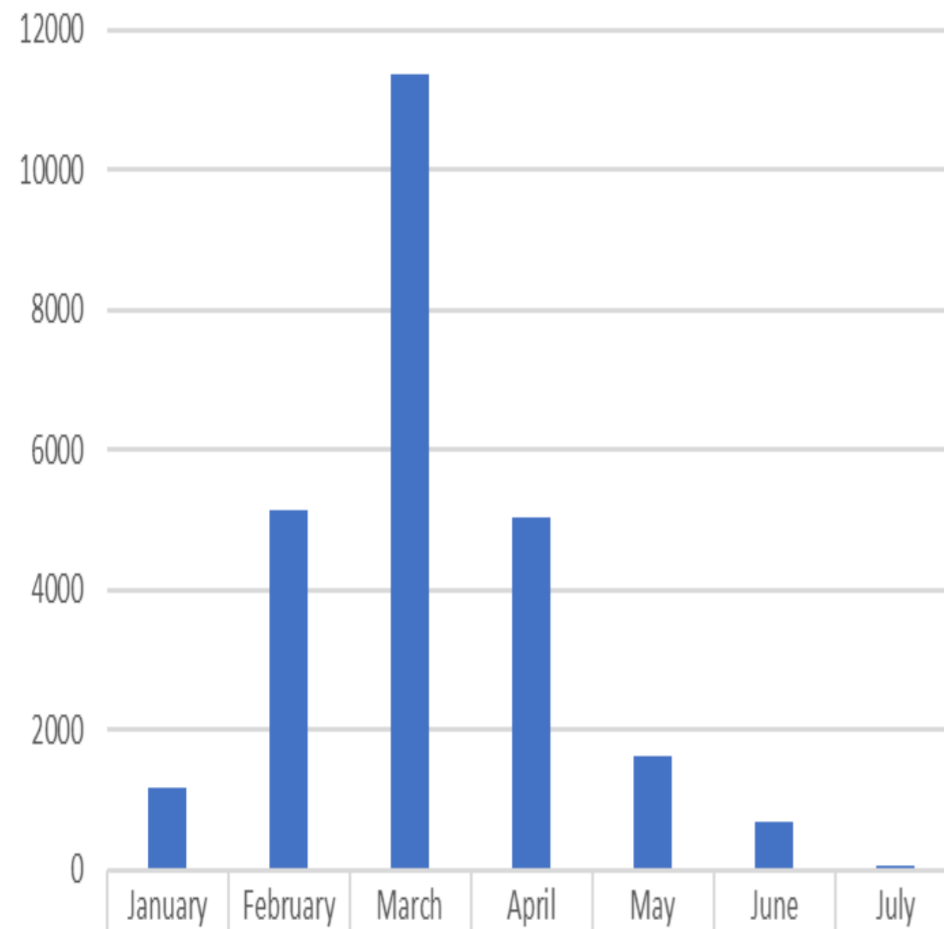


COMMUNITY VACCINATIONS

COVID 19 Vaccines Administered 2021

Total = 25,089

of Vaccine Locations = 58



■ Count of Vaccines Given

1186	5138	11376	5034	1607	682	66
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VACCINE OUTREACH: A CONVERSATION WITH COMMUNITY LEADERS



CALL TO ACTION

- Collaborate to Address Health Disparities
- Build Trust
- Provide Accurate Health & Community Information and Resources
- **JOIN US!**



THANKS & EVALUATION

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