



Colleagues,

Good afternoon! I have some very important information to share with you.

You **NEED** to check your OPS email ASAP for vaccination information.

All staff have been placed in two different tiers.

- Tier 1- includes those who are in the buildings working directly with students. This tier includes teachers, paras, cafeteria workers, custodial staff, and administration.
- Tier 2-includes those who have no contact with students. This tier includes operations, central office staff or building support.
- EVERYONE who works for OPS is entitled to receive the vaccine. Your EMPLOYER is offering it to all staff, even if your school is in Sarpy County.

The district will begin to administer the number of vaccines allocated to OPS. The first group to receive vaccines are those Tier 1 employees who are ages 62 to 70. After this group has had an opportunity to receive a vaccine, the district will offer vaccinations to the next age group, working oldest to youngest.

While we are relieved that vaccinations will begin, it will take time to get vaccines to everyone. All metro districts have agreed to follow the same age criteria when giving the vaccine to staff.

As a reminder, taking the vaccine is NOT MANDATORY. **NOTE: If you decline your assigned time for vaccination, you will be moved to the end of the list.**

Please check your email. I will share more information with you when I get it.

Be well,

Robert
OEA President
