COVID-19
(coronavirus disease 2019)
Community Forum Update

May 14, 2021
Imperial County Tier Assignment & Metrics

Imperial County
Southern California Region

Eligible to exit Regional Order effective 1/25/2021
Was placed on Regional Stay Home Order 12/6/2020 3:59 PM

COUNTY RISK LEVEL
Moderate*
Some indoor business operations are open with modifications

COUNTY METRICS
5.5 New COVID-19 cases per day per 100K
5.2 Adjusted case rate for tier assignment
3.0% Positivity rate (7-day average)
4.4% Health equity quartile positivity rate

Last Updated 5/11/2021
Imperial County COVID-19 Vaccine Administered

**Total Doses Administered**
121,600

**Partially Vaccinated (Dose 1 Administered)**
69,123

**Fully Vaccinated**
52,477

**% Partially Vaccinated**
36.07%

**% Fully Vaccinated**
27.38%

Data Last Updated (Última Actualización): 05/14/2021 9:00 AM
Are vaccines safe for our youth ages 12 to 15?
Clinical trials of the Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine were found to be safe and effective in protecting against severe illness, hospitalization, and death in those aged 12-15.

Pfizer’s phase three clinical trial enrolled 2,260 adolescents 12 to 15 years of age in the United States and demonstrated 100% efficacy.

My child has had reactions to other vaccines – should they still get the vaccine?
Yes, unless they have had anaphylactic type reactions to components of the Pfizer vaccine. Allergic reactions to the COVID-19 vaccine are rare and very few people have had severe adverse reactions. If your child has allergic reactions to the flu vaccine or other severe allergies, you should report that to their health providers in advance of receiving the COVID-19 vaccine.
Why is the vaccine only for adolescents 12 and over? When do you expect vaccines to be available for younger children?

Vaccine trials and approvals commonly begin with older, more vulnerable populations then extend to younger ages. Adolescents were the next group to be prioritized because they are most similar to adults and are more likely than younger kids to spread the virus and become seriously ill.

When and where can I sign up to get my child vaccinated?

You can book an appointment for your child 12 and up through My Turn or by calling California’s COVID-19 Hotline at 1-833-422-4255. You can also call your family doctor, local community health clinic, or our public health website icphd.org/togethertoimmunity for more information.

Reminder: Consent from a parent, legal guardian, or other adult having legal custody of minor must be obtained before vaccinating.
Together to Immunity

Get Vaccinated!

For more information on getting your COVID-19 vaccine, call:

442-265-6700

icphd.org/togethertoimmunity

Juntos la inmunidad ¡Vacúnate!

Para más información sobre cómo recibir la vacuna COVID-19, llame al

442-265-6700

icphd.org/juntosalainmunidad
IMPERIAL COUNTY
COVID-19
MOBILE VACCINE CLINIC

WEEK OF MAY 17 TO MAY 21

Monday, May 17 from 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm
Heber Community Clinic • 1052 Heber Ave, Heber, CA 92249
Pfizer COVID-19 Vaccine

Tuesday, May 18 from (2 Clinics)
• Brawley Homeless Population • 147 N. 8th Street Suite B, Brawley, CA
  2:00 pm – 5:00 pm • Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine

• Heber School District Community Clinic • 1052 Heber Ave, Heber, CA 92249
  10:00 am – 2:00 pm • Pfizer COVID-19 Vaccine

Wednesday, May 19 from 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm
Calexico Homeless Population • Park on 1st Street & Paulin Ave.
Moderna & J&J COVID-19 Vaccine

Thursday, May 20 from 10:00 pm – 2:00 pm
SDSU-IVC Community Clinic • 1052 Heber Ave, Heber, CA 92249
Pfizer COVID-19 Vaccine

Friday, May 21 from 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm
El Centro Homeless/Catholic Charities Community • 1052 Heber Ave, Heber, CA 92249
Pfizer COVID-19 Vaccine

WALK-INS WELCOMED

For additional COVID-19 vaccine clinics in Imperial County visit www.imperial.ca.us or www.vaccineline.org
The COVID-19 vaccine is here

Now it’s your turn

Safe, free, and effective COVID-19 vaccines are now available to everyone age 16 and up. Let’s end this pandemic. Check for appointment availability and book your vaccination as soon as you can.

I need help with transportation to a vaccine clinic, or I need a home appointment because I am unable to leave home due to limited mobility or fragile health.

NOTE: Someone will call you to help schedule transportation or home appointment

- Yes
- No

https://myturn.ca.gov/
1-833-422-4255
Fully Vaccinated People Can:

• Spend time with other fully-vaccinated people, even indoors, without wearing masks or physical distancing

• Spend time indoors without masks or physical distancing with unvaccinated people from a single household who are at low risk for severe COVID-19 disease

• If you travel in the U.S., you do not need to get tested before or after travel or self-quarantine

• You do not need to get tested before leaving the U.S. unless your destination requires it. You still need to show a negative test before boarding an international flight to the U.S. and don’t need to self-quarantine after arriving in the U.S.

• Take part in outdoor activities and recreation without a mask, except in certain crowded settings and venues

• In the workplace, employers subject to the Cal/OSHA COVID-19 Prevention Emergency Temporary Standards (ETS) and must ensure that employees are following the current ETS face covering and testing requirements
What you Should Keep Doing:

- You may be required to wear a mask or stay 6ft apart where required by federal, state, local, tribal, or territorial laws, rules, and regulations, including local business and workplace guidance.
- If you travel, you will still be required to wear a mask on planes, buses, trains, and other forms of public transportation traveling into, within, or out of the United States, and in U.S. transportation hubs such as airports and stations.
- Fully vaccinated international travelers arriving in the United States are still required to get tested within 3 days of their flight (or show documentation of recovery from COVID-19 in the past 3 months) and should still get tested 3-5 days after their trip.
- You should still watch out for symptoms of COVID-19, especially if you’ve been around someone who is sick. If you have symptoms of COVID-19, you should get tested and stay home and away from others.
- People who have a condition or are taking medications that weaken the immune system, should talk to their healthcare provider to discuss their activities. They may need to keep taking all precautions to prevent COVID-19.
Beyond the Blueprint

We have made significant progress against COVID-19. We’ve administered 20 million vaccines and case rates and hospitalizations have stabilized. As a result, California is preparing to move beyond the Blueprint for a Safer Economy.

On June 15, California will fully reopen its economy across the state if:
• There is enough vaccine supply for Californians 16 years and older to be vaccinated
• Hospitalizations rates remain stable and low, especially among fully vaccinated Californians

Common sense health measures, including wearing masks will continue. Testing and vaccination requirements will remain for some businesses and industries.

https://covid19.ca.gov/safer-economy/
Thank you