



A PATIENT RECEIVES AN UPDATED BOOSTER

BOOSTING MARIN

First doses. Second doses.
New boosters. Marin Community
Clinics is leading the charge in
ramping up vaccination access –
for patients and *anyone*
that's eligible.

Marin Community Clinics Entrusted to Carry Vaccine Push

As severe weather hammered Marin County and most of California at the start of the year, another (quieter) storm crept under the radar: the “triple-demic” of COVID-19, flu, and RSV (respiratory syncytial virus).

Comparatively, it was the relentless storms and power outages that dominated media coverage over the winter surge in illnesses, in-part for good reason. With the help of vaccines and boosters, we've been able to blunt the most critical effects of COVID-19 – though there is still work to be done.

Protection is waning for those that haven't received the latest booster, and particularly at-risk are the many older adults in Marin. It's important to keep in mind that COVID-19 hasn't gone away. Staying up to date with boosters is crucial.

The federal government is now relying on Marin Community Clinics (and community health centers across the nation) to continue the fight. “We're working with our community partners to get the word out about vaccines, by far our most precious resource in reducing the impact of COVID-19,” explains **Chief Medical Officer Melanie Thompson, DO**. The federal government recently invested \$400,000 in the Clinics to ramp-up vaccines, boosters, and COVID-19-related education and outreach.

The Clinics are rising to the occasion. Free vaccines and boosters are currently available for anyone 6-months and older at our twice-weekly Health Hubs. Additional dedicated vaccine-focused shifts have been added within the clinics. Marin Community Clinics will continue to promote these vaccines as long as the need exists.

Learn more at marinclinic.org/covid-resources

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SUMMER SOLSTICE CELEBRATION
Wednesday, June 21
Inn Marin, Novato



GOLF TOURNAMENT, DINNER & AUCTION
Monday, October 2
Meadow Club, Fairfax

Email events@marinclinic.org for more information