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Trinity County Health Advisory

TRINITY COUNTY – As Trinity County moves into the fall and winter, it is common for respiratory illnesses to circulate. One method of prevention is vaccination for both flu and Covid-19. Flu and Covid-19 vaccines were updated this fall to provide protection against variants.

Seasonal flu vaccines are available in a regular dose formulation for 6 months of age and older and a high dose formulation for those 65 years of age and older. Flu shots are available at your local healthcare provider, pharmacies, and through Trinity County Public Health Branch (TCPHB).

The new formulations of Covid-19 vaccines are available and include all three options of Moderna, Pfizer-BioNTech, and Novavax. These vaccines are not broadly available through public health departments but are available through healthcare providers and pharmacies. Please contact your healthcare provider or clinic to request Covid-19 vaccine. In addition, the Weaverville CVS Pharmacy has Pfizer vaccine by appointment and many pharmacies in Redding carry a variety of Covid-19 vaccines.

The Covid-19 vaccine locator can also assist with identifying vaccine sites and type of Covid-19 vaccine available at various sites for those with or without insurance. For those who are uninsured or underinsured, choose the Bridge Access Program or BAP on the vaccine locator website.

<https://www.vaccines.gov/search/>

Please contact the Trinity County Public Health Branch at 530 623-1358 with any questions or concerns.