

COVID Vaccination Information for Patients

Unfortunately we are unable to give the vaccine at the surgery at the moment and all vaccinations will be given at Derby Arena (Velodrome), Royal Way, Derby DE24 8JB (near Pride Park stadium in the City Centre).

You are not able to have the vaccine if:

- You are currently taking warfarin and your most recent INR result was not in range.
- You are scheduled to have any other vaccinations in the next 7 days prior to or after your COVID vaccination appointment
- You have ever had an anaphylactic allergic reaction to multiple classes of drugs or an unexplained anaphylactic reaction.
- You have tested COVID positive or had any COVID symptoms in the last 4 weeks or are awaiting a test result.
- If you are pregnant, you are able to have the Pfizer or Moderna vaccine. Please contact the surgery if you have any questions or concerns.

You will need to have two vaccinations, the second one 8 to 12 weeks after the first. You will need to book both appointments at the same time.

Appointments are currently being booked using Swiftqueue. You will be sent the booking link once we are able to offer you an appointment. You will need to register for an account when you first log on to the website – please ask someone to help you with this if you are not sure. If there are no appointment slots showing when you log in, please try again every couple of days as appointments are regularly added.

Things to know about attending for your vaccine:

- There is plenty of free car parking available at the Arena.
- Please arrive no more than 5 minutes before your appointment and please do not bring any bags into the Arena.
- If you are taking warfarin please bring your yellow book to your appointment.
- Please wear a face covering.
- All staff will be wearing PPE and social distancing guidelines will be in place to keep you safe.
- The injection will be done in your arm so please wear suitable clothing.
- You may be asked to wait for 15 minutes after your vaccination.
- Please do not attend if you develop any COVID symptoms prior to your appointment.
- If you are unable to attend your appointment please cancel it so that we can offer it to another patient. Vaccines are limited and we cannot afford to waste any appointments.

Please contact the surgery if:

- You are struggling to book via Swiftqueue – we can help you with this.
- You do not wish to receive the vaccine – we will make a note of this on your record so we don't invite you again.
- You are not able to get to the Derby Arena – we will let you know about local transport services that may be able to help.

Many thanks, Wellbrook Medical Centre