

Barren River

DISTRICT HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Barren, Butler, Edmonson, Hart, Logan,
Metcalfe, Simpson, and Warren Counties



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JOHNSON & JOHNSON COVID-19 VACCINE UPDATE

Barren River District Health Department has paused the administration of Johnson & Johnson vaccination under the direction of the Kentucky Department of Public Health, the CDC, and the FDA. Due to the temporary pause in Johnson & Johnson vaccinations, we are providing (2-dose) Moderna vaccines during all scheduled vaccination clinics. Existing appointments will be honored with Moderna vaccine in place of Johnson & Johnson vaccine. If you currently have an appointment scheduled and wish to wait for the re-release of Johnson & Johnson vaccine, please contact us and cancel your appointment. We will notify the public when the Johnson & Johnson vaccine has been re-released, and appointments can be rescheduled at that time.

We are currently administering COVID-19 vaccines for individuals 18 years of age and older in all 8 of our county clinics. Effective March 24, 2021, our agency will schedule appointments for April for 18 years of age and older. Due to vaccine supply, vaccine clinics will occur on specific days for each county. Once the appointments are full for April, we will schedule appointments again in mid-April for the month of May.

To schedule an appointment online:

- Visit https://www.yellowschedule.com/booking/brdhd_vaccine_site. There is a link available on our website home page at www.barrenriverhealth.org
- Select the correct County Service from the dropdown menu under Book Appointment online
- Select the date
- Available timeslots will be listed, click Load More to show ALL available timeslots for that day.
- After clicking the timeslot you want, on the appointment details screen click "Book Now".
- You will be prompted to enter an email address or sign in...enter an email address. If you do not have an email address, please call us for assistance.
- Enter first and last name, then enter a password and click Submit.
- Next, enter your cell phone number and click Submit. You will receive a passcode on your cell phone, enter that passcode on the website and click Submit.
- Finally, click Confirm Booking and you are all set!

If you do not have internet access and do not have someone to assist you with the online process, please call the Barren River District Health Department between 8:00am to 4:30pm Monday-Friday at 270-781-8039 and press option 1.

The KY COVID-19 Hotline (800) 722-5725 can answer general COVID-19 vaccine questions.



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