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### **COVID-19 Vaccine Available to the Public**

**RALEIGH, NC** – Advance Community Health began providing the COVID-19 vaccine in January, exclusively to our patients, in order to target our most vulnerable populations. For the last few weeks we began offering our vaccination appointments to the public. Our aim is to register hundreds more every week, not only to those here in our vulnerable communities, but to those who *serve* our vulnerable communities.

This week we scheduled appointments for teachers from Southeast Raleigh High School, Southeast Raleigh Elementary Schools, and other schools in our area.

- **Total vaccines as of 2/25/21:** 2,075
  - 1,593 first doses
  - 482 second doses
- **Of the first dose patients:**
  - 55% Black/African American
  - 22% from the 27610 zip code

Currently Advance Community Health is vaccinating those 65 and older, those in direct patient care, and teachers/daycare workers up to grade 12.

**COVID-19 VACCINE SIGN-UP:** [www.advancechc.org/vaccine](http://www.advancechc.org/vaccine)

**All vaccinations are currently being given at:**

**Advance Community Health, 1011 Rock Quarry Rd, Raleigh, NC 27610.**

COVID-19 testing remains important, especially in our vulnerable communities. We continue to partner with [Wake County](#), the North Carolina Community Health Center Association ([NCCCHA](#)), and the NCDHHS.

**COVID-19 TESTING DATES & LOCATIONS:** [www.advancechc.org/register](http://www.advancechc.org/register)

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Advance Community Health is a private, non-profit community health center in Wake and Franklin counties with a mission to provide primary care services to all, including privately insured, uninsured, under-insured, and medically-underserved patients. For more than 45 years we have been an anchor of quality, compassionate care for patients of all ages. The community-based, patient-driven center provides comprehensive primary healthcare, dental care, nutrition education, behavioral health, and operates the Horizon Healthcare for the Homeless program at Oak City Cares.



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