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Press Release
COVID-19 Deaths in Gallatin County

The Gallatin City-County Health Department is saddened to announce that three more Gallatin County residents have passed away from complications due to COVID-19.

The first person was a female in her 40s who died at a hospital, the second was a male in his 60s who died at a hospital, and the third was a female in her 50s who died at a hospital out of state. All three people died the week of December 12. The Gallatin City-County Health Department received the official death certificates this week that attributed these deaths to COVID-19. Out of respect for these individual’s families and friends, no further details will be released.

These latest deaths make for a total of 107 COVID-related deaths in Gallatin County. Statewide data reported by the Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services can be found here.

In Gallatin County, 61% of eligible residents are fully vaccinated. For additional details on vaccine metadata, click here.

From April 1 to December 24, 2021, the state of Montana saw 5,515 hospitalizations who were positive for COVID-19. Of those, 4,601 individuals were unvaccinated or approximately 83%. From April 1 to December 24, 2021 statewide, MT DPHHS reported 1,301 deaths were attributed to COVID-19. Of those deaths, 1,021 or 78% were unvaccinated.

You can find your COVID-19 vaccine from local pharmacies and clinics throughout the county. It is highly recommended that you make a plan to get fully vaccinated and your booster dose if you are eligible to help protect yourself and others.

The GCCHD website provides up-to-date times, dates, and locations where you can get your COVID-19 vaccine anywhere in Gallatin County. Visit our website and make a plan to get your vaccine or booster today.

- **Combined clinics with Gallatin City-County Health Department and Bozeman Health**
  - There are clinics held this week at Bozeman Health, however the appointments are full at this time. See below for additional clinic times.
    - **Wednesday, January 19** - All COVID-19 as well as flu vaccines are available - from 7:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Bozeman Health Deaconess Hospital - **ENTRANCE 4**
    - **Thursday, January 20** - All COVID-19 as well as flu vaccines are available - from 7:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Bozeman Health Deaconess Hospital - **ENTRANCE 4**
    - **Friday, January 21** - All COVID-19 as well as flu vaccines are available - from 7:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Bozeman Health Deaconess Hospital - **ENTRANCE 4**

- **Big Sky Medical Center weekly clinic hours:**
  - Wednesdays - 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. - Adult Pfizer (12+ for primary series, 18+ for boosters)
  - Fridays - 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. - Moderna (18+) primary series and boosters
  - Fridays - 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. - Pediatric Pfizer, 5-11 year olds primary series
• **FLU VACCINE clinics are being held at Gallatin City-County Health Department** - These are walk-in clinics, no appointment necessary:
  ○ **Monday’s in January!** - 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. - Anyone 6 months or older should get a flu vaccine
  ○ By appointment, call the health department to make yours today, 406-582-3100

• **IF YOU ARE FEELING SICK - GET TESTED!**
  ○ [Click here to find a location nearest you to get tested!](#)

The Gallatin City-County Health Department Call Center is open five days a week, Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. to answer questions about COVID-19. Any calls received after business hours will be returned the following business day. You can reach the Call Center by phone at 406-548-0123.

The most accurate local source of information remains the GCCHD [website](#).