

Renfrew County and District Health Unit "Optimal Health for All in Renfrew County and District"

For Immediate Release

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RCDHU Participating in Provincial Contact Centre Auto Dial Calls for Booster Doses

Today, Renfrew County and District Health Unit (RCDHU) is confirming that residents who have not received a booster dose, and it has been greater than 84 days since their second dose, will receive an automated call from Ontario's Chief Medical Officer of Health, Dr. Moore. This automated call is part of the provincial campaign to encourage individuals to pursue a booster dose COVID-19 vaccination appointment.

Eligible RCD residents (18+) can expect to receive this automated booster dose encouragement call starting today, January 26th from a caller ID displaying the number 888 and "ONT GOVT" (for carriers that allow call display). Please note that calls will be batched to target cohorts of descending ages (e.g., the province will start with 65-69, then 60-64, etc.).

Residents looking to get vaccinated or receive their booster dose of the COVID-19 vaccine can walk-in to any RCDHU clinic (no appointment necessary) or book an appointment online through a local pharmacy or RCDHU's website. To view the latest COVID-19 vaccination schedule, visit RCDHU's COVID-19 Vaccine Rollout webpage or check out RCDHU's social media profiles on Facebook and Twitter.

For more information, visit RCDHU's website at https://www.rcdhu.com/novel-coronavirus-covid-19-vaccine-rollout/ or call 613-732-3629 or 1-800-267-1097.

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