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To: Parents and Caregivers in Thunder Bay and Surrounding Areas

Re: COVID-19 Vaccine Bookings for Children aged 5 to 11

Children aged 5-11 are currently eligible to receive the pediatric Pfizer BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine. Thunder Bay District Health Unit (TBDHU) has arranged dedicated appointment times for them to be immunized.

Additional COVID-19 vaccination clinics will be set up at the CLE Heritage Building (note, not the Coliseum Building) at 425 Northern Avenue during the weeks of January 21 through February 11. At these clinics, several appointment times have been set aside for children aged 5-11 who need a first or second dose of vaccine.

An appointment will be required for children to attend these clinics. Please book an appointment online through the provincial booking system at COVID-19.ontario.ca/book-vaccine

If your children are unable to attend any of the clinics during these weeks, please book appointments as soon as possible through the provincial booking system at the link above or through a pharmacy location or primary care provider offering COVID-19 vaccines.

Everyone who is eligible is strongly encouraged to be vaccinated against COVID-19. Vaccines are safe and offer the best protection for children, families, schools, and broader communities. For current and credible information about COVID-19 vaccines, visit TBDHU.com/covidvaccines. If you have questions about COVID-19 vaccines, call 625-5900 to speak to a staff member.