COVID-19 Resources and Health Order Updates – May 21, 2021

1) We remain in the Green (New Normal) Risk Level. Let’s keep us there!

2) **Updated Statistics:**
   - Between May 7, 2021 and May 20, 2021 Teton County detected 21 new cases. This is a 36% decrease from the previous two-week period.
   - 1.66% of COVID-19 tests in the past two weeks were positive.
   - 45% of cases in the past two weeks have been due to community spread.
   - As of 5/21/2021, there were 16 known active cases in Teton County.

3) **Health Orders and Recommendations:**
   - **Statewide Health Orders**
     - In effect May 17, 2021 through May 31, 2021 (no changes)
       - The 27th Continuation of Order #1: Conditions of operation for establishments including child care facilities, K-12 schools, colleges, universities, and trade schools.
       - The 27th Continuation of Order #2: Gathering size limitations.
   - **Face Covering/Mask Updates**
     - Teton County Health Department recommends community members to continue to follow the CDC's guidance for mask usage.
     - Local businesses, organizations, and event planners may develop their own policies for their staff and customers, as long as accommodations can be made for those requiring exemptions.
       - Here are a few reasons why you may want to consider continuing to have a mask policy at your establishment or event:
         - You may have staff that are still not fully vaccinated or have underlying medical conditions.
         - Since you cannot ask customers if they are vaccinated, you may choose to continue to have a mask policy to protect your staff and patrons until a larger percentage of the US population has received their vaccine.
         - Children under the age of 12 are not eligible to receive a vaccine yet.
         - Infection after vaccination, though rare and often significantly less severe, can happen.
     - Resolution for Mask Order at Certain County Buildings including the Teton County Health Department, the Emergency Management Center, the Hansen Courthouse and the County Courthouse is valid through June 30, 2021.
     - Federal Mask Mandate for federal buildings and federal lands.
     - CDC has a Requirement for Persons to Wear Masks While on Conveyances and at Transportation Hubs. Learn more here and here.
     - TSA Security Directive for Airports/Airplanes which is valid through September 13, 2021.
   - **COVID-19 Guidance**
     - Teton County Health Department recommends that businesses and organizations follow COVID-19 guidance as developed by CDC.
       - COVID-19 Guidance for Retail Businesses (updated 5.11.21)
       - COVID-19 Guidance for Hotels, Resorts and Lodges (updated 5.11.21)
       - COVID-19 Guidance for Restaurants and Bars (updated 5.11.21)
       - COVID-19 Guidance for Gyms, Fitness Centers, Pools and Hot Tubs (updated 5.11.21)
       - COVID-19 Guidance for Gatherings and Events (updated 5.11.21)

4) **Looking for Donations: Shots for Swag!**
   - To help Teton County get to the new goal of vaccinating 80% of Teton County residents by July 4th, Teton County Health Department has created the Shots for Swag Campaign. This fun raffle will help encourage and thank our community members who have received their COVID-19 vaccine. Community members will be able to enter the month-long raffle starting June 1st. Anyone who lives or works in Teton County and has received at a minimum their first dose will be eligible to enter.
   - **The Health Department is asking businesses to donate prizes for the raffle gifts. Email Madeline at madeline.carlman@wyo.gov if you are interested in learning more and donating raffle prizes including gift certificates. We are collecting donations until Tuesday, May 25th.**
5) COVID-19 Business Toolkit:
- Check out the Teton County Health Department’s Business Toolkit. Lots of great resources including testing info, how to talk to your employees about vaccines, etc.

6) Testing Update and Resources:
- WHEN TO TEST?
  - If you have symptoms (vaccinated or not) – test immediately. Individuals should leave work and isolate from others until they receive negative results.
  - If exposed to someone who tested positive (likely to hear from Public Health):
    - **FULLY VACCINATED**: Test if symptomatic and isolate until negative test result received. Otherwise, no quarantine required (exception is congregate living/high-density workplace). Monitor for symptoms for 14 days.
    - **NOT FULLY VACCINATED**: Quarantine and test at appropriate time (immediate if symptomatic; no earlier than day 5 if asymptomatic). Monitor for symptoms for 14 days.
  - Surveillance testing: recommended for unvaccinated individuals.

- FREE CURATIVE CHEEK SWAB TESTS:
  - Kiosk Locations:
    - Teton County Library Parking Lot (open from Monday through Friday 8AM – 3:30PM)
    - Deloney Bus Station (open from Monday through Friday 7AM - 3:30PM)
  - Walk-ins welcome or make your appointment on curative.com.
  - Print and post the revised Curative Testing Flyer to promote free COVID-19 testing for both locals and visitors. Reach out if you would like to request copies.

- FREE VAULT SALIVA TESTS:
  - Vault tests are still available to order for free for individuals and businesses.
  - Also available to pick up outside the Teton County Health Department.

7) COVID-19 Vaccine Update:
- **Vaccine Appointments are OPEN for all individuals 12+**
  - Vaccine clinics are now held at the Teton County Health Department (460 East Pearl Ave).
    - Both Pfizer and the J&J Vaccines are available.
    - Individuals who are under 18 must have a parent or guardian sign their consent form and must be accompanied by someone over 18 years of age.
    - If you received a first dose of the Pfizer vaccine outside of Teton County and need a second dose, please bring your COVID Vaccine card and make sure that you received your first dose at least 17 days before you walk-in.
    - Book an appointment or walk-in any time except for the last 30 minutes of the day.
    - Clinics will be held:
      - Wednesdays from 3PM-7PM
      - Thursdays from 8:30AM-12:00 PM and 1:00PM-3:30PM
      - Fridays from 8:30AM- 12:00PM and 1:00PM-5:30PM
      - Saturdays from 8:30AM-12:30PM
    - For ongoing and general clinic information, visit www.tetoncountywy.gov/covidvax for frequent updates.
    - Call our COVID hotline at 307-732-8628 option 1 between 9AM-4PM Monday-Friday to get assistance or you can email covidvax@tetoncountywy.gov if you have questions.
    - Community members can also book vaccine appointments at Albertsons and Smith’s Pharmacies.
      - Both Pharmacies have the Moderna Vaccine and can accommodate both 1st and 2nd doses.
      - Smith’s also carries J&J Vaccine on Thursdays and Fridays.
      - Reach out to them directly to schedule your appointment.

8) Guidance for Fully Vaccinated:
- The updated CDC guidance for fully vaccinated individuals can be found here.
- Print and post flyer.
- According to the updated CDC guidance, individuals who are fully vaccinated can resume activities without wearing a mask or physical distancing except where masks or distancing are required by federal, state, local, tribal, or territorial laws, rules, regulations, and orders including local business and workplace policies. CDC made these updates due to continued evidence showing that fully vaccinated individuals are less likely to have an asymptomatic COVID-19 infection or transmit COVID-19 to others.