



MEDIA ADVISORY

April 14, 2021

The Resource Exchange to host its third Vaccine Equity Clinic Thursday

Approximately 100 people will receive Covid-19 vaccines from our El Paso County Public Health partners

WHO: The Resource Exchange
WHAT: Vaccine Equity Clinic
WHEN: Thursday, April 15, 2021
11:00 AM-2:00 PM

People in Phase 2 (general public) will receive their first dose of the Covid-19 vaccine in our lower-level lobby (or remain in their vehicles if they require). Representatives from the Colorado Department of Health and Environment and El Paso County Public Health will be administering the vaccine. *This clinic is by appointment only and is FULL (we have not heard yet if we are receiving the Pfizer or Moderna vaccine).*

The best photo opportunities will be between 11:00 AM and 2:00 PM.

WHERE: The Resource Exchange, 6385 Corporate Drive, Colorado Springs, CO 80919
(recipients will park in the large parking lot at the north side of the building)

- See local coverage of our last clinic: <https://www.fox21news.com/health/coronavirus/the-resource-exchange-hosts-second-dose-vaccine-clinic-wednesday/>
- As part of Governor Polis' Vaccines for All plan, we have been selected as a vaccine clinic location.
- We are a proud partner of Alliance Colorado and its "Roll Up Your Sleeves" campaign, encouraging vaccination and providing resources to those in the Intellectual and Developmental Disability community: <https://www.alliancecolorado.org/vaccines>
- Some of those receiving vaccines will be people TRE serves, including people with disabilities, those who need long-term care, those with mental health needs, and older adults. Familiarity with community locations can encourage vaccination among people in underserved populations, so we have made intentional efforts to provide the vaccine with that in mind.
- TRE will host future vaccine clinics based on vaccine availability.

The Resource Exchange (TRE), a local nonprofit, serves nearly 9,000 infants, children, teenagers, adults, and seniors in El Paso, Pueblo, Teller, and Park counties. Advocating for independence and inclusion, TRE partners with children and adults who have a variety of disabilities, delays, mental health or long-term care needs. We do this using a person-centered approach in coordinating care, promoting choices, and collaborating with community partners.

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