

Colleagues,

As I shared in my message last week, we are actively working with our local partners to provide faculty and staff the opportunity to be included in the 1B tier for vaccine distribution planned over the coming weeks.

To be considered for the vaccine as it becomes available, please complete the following Google Doc: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf4HsG-3CtZt8ohxPvKtdTLI0ouhxqJMQtfsZgNeXMEaTtE3Q/viewform?gxids=7628&fbclid=IwAR0ZDkMJStwoH26bC0qRXKGVhaNj6qxH-VG5eRYE9z7Cr5bDYmup3NiPphI>

The information that you submit on this form will not be shared with ACM personnel and vaccines will be scheduled based on established guidelines and the availability of the vaccine.

[COVID-19 Vaccine Interest Form](#)

Please complete this form if you are interested in receiving a COVID-19 vaccine. When we reach your priority group and vaccine is available, Allegany County Health Department or UPMC Western Maryland will contact you by email or phone to schedule a vaccination appointment. Completing this form does NOT make you an appointment to be vaccinated. It may take several weeks, or longer, until you are contacted to schedule an appointment because of limited vaccine supply.

We are also hopeful that a special vaccination clinic will be offered specifically for ACM personnel. We are working out the logistics based on the availability and established guidelines.

Although encouraged, receiving the vaccine is optional. Additional updates will be provided when they are available.

As I have shared previously, if we hope to return to some sense of normalcy within the calendar year, this is one step that we can all take toward that goal. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to reach out.

Thank you!

Dr. B