



## Covid-19 vaccination: Briefing for stakeholders

I'm pleased to say that thanks to the incredible efforts of our fantastic vaccination teams, more than 85 per cent of adults across Bath and North East Somerset, Swindon and Wiltshire have received their Covid-19 booster vaccination.

This is a phenomenal achievement, especially given where we were at the beginning of last month, when only certain age groups were eligible for their top-up dose.

While we will, of course, take a moment to celebrate this achievement, our focus now is getting the vaccine to those who have yet to come forward, including people who have so far resisted having any form of vaccination.

Our figures show that approximately one in ten across the region have not have a single Covid-19 vaccine, and we are now beginning an extensive programme of outreach work to understand why this is.

Over the coming weeks, we will be hosting pop-up vaccine clinics in various community sites across the region, such as mosques and other faith venues, as well as continuing to work with care homes to improve uptake among their staff.

Gill May,  
Director of Nursing and Quality

## Updates



### Boosters available for those not currently registered with a GP practice

Around a third of local adults not currently registered with a GP practice have not had a booster vaccine.

Although it is highly recommended that people do sign up to a practice close to where they live, those not on a surgery's books can still receive the Covid-19 booster vaccine, as well as the initial first and second doses.

### More sites now offering vaccinations without an appointment

Venues including Bath Racecourse, Salisbury City Hall and the Steam Museum in Swindon are among those for which a pre-booked appointment is no longer required.

It is hoped that by removing the booking process, people who may have been putting off getting vaccinated, perhaps due to work, home or other commitments, will find it easier to get protected.



The [NHS website](#) lists all sites, both local and further afield, that are offering walk-in vaccinations.



## Supporting GP colleagues to get boosters to housebound patients

The CCG has worked closely with colleagues in GP practices across the region to ensure that vulnerable people who are unable to get a vaccine site can get protected in their own home.

In the last few days, practices have been asked if any eligible unvaccinated housebound patients remain, and those that have been identified are due to be visited by somebody from their surgery, or by the CCG's outreach team, before the end of this week.

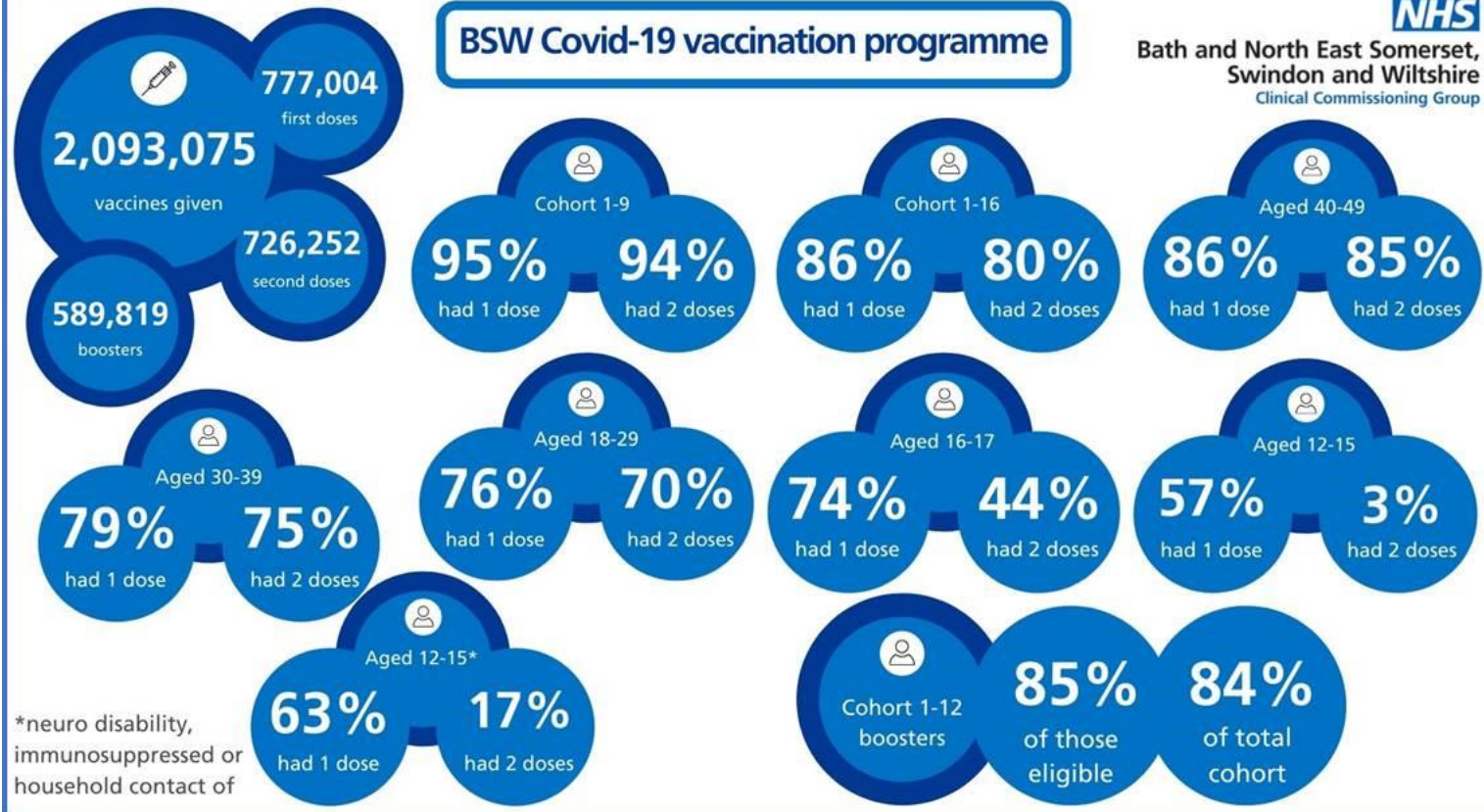
**Vaccination progress to date**

Data correct as of 12 January 2022

## BSW Covid-19 vaccination programme



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The BSW Covid-19 vaccination programme is being led by BSW CCG with support from partner organisations including voluntary community and social enterprises.

