



Covid-19 vaccination: Briefing for stakeholders

Out-of-school vaccinations for children aged between 12 and 15-years-old have been taking place this week across Bath and North East Somerset, Swindon and Wiltshire.

Parents wishing to have their child vaccinated have been able to use the National Booking Service to arrange to their child's vaccination at the Steam Museum in Swindon, Salisbury City Hall or Bath Racecourse.

We have been delighted to see so many families come through the doors during this half term break, and we're expecting to have given out more than 4,400 vaccines by the end of this week.

Vaccinations will be available for children at these venues at weekends and on evenings throughout November, and will be carried out alongside Virgin Care' schools-based vaccine programme, which is due to resume on Monday.

Tune in to BBC Points West tonight at 6.30pm to see the hardworking team at Bath Racecourse in action.

Gill May, Director of Nursing and Quality

Updates



Advice for people booking a booster vaccination

Booster doses will be offered no earlier than six months (182 days) after the date of a person's last vaccination.

People who do not receive an invitation after this period should not worry, nor feel the need to contact their GP practice or local vaccination centre, as the online <u>National Booking Service</u> allows people without an invitation to book a booster vaccine once 190 days have passed since their last vaccination.

New weekly walk-in clinics at the University of Bath

Students, uni staff and members of the public will be able to vaccinated without an appointment when a new weekly walk-in clinic at the University of Bath opens on Thursday 4 November.

Vaccines will be available between 11am and 4pm in the Sports Training Village.



If popular, the clinic will open on every Thursday during November.



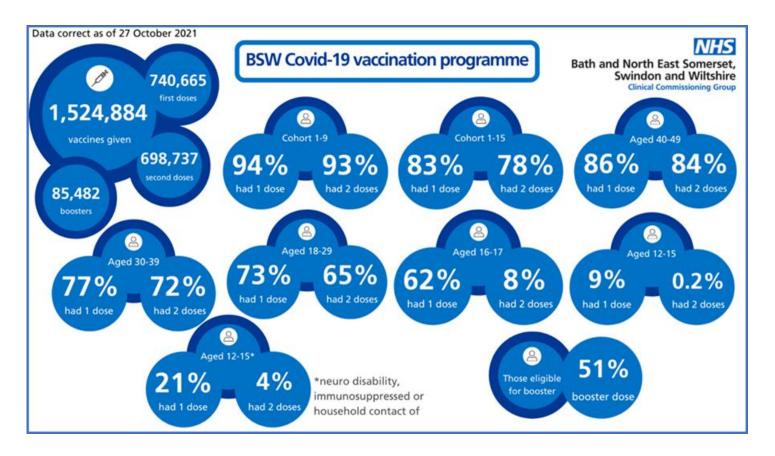
Thousands reached through CCG's Facebook posts

More than 10,000 people saw important vaccine information from the CCG on social media last weekend.

Facebook posts relating to the booster programme and the continuing vaccine offer to all over 18s generated more than 450 clicks to the National Booking Service website.

Stay up-to-date with the latest vaccine updates by following the CCG on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.

Vaccination progress to date



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

