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## For Immediate Release

## Miami County Public Health COVID-19 Update

**Miami County-** Miami County remains at a Red #3 COVID-19 risk level. This Red #3 COVID-19 Risk Level is due to Miami County meeting the criteria for three of the seven Alert Indicators and continues to be listed as a High Incidence Area:

- 50+ cases /100,000 population within last two weeks
- More than 50% of new cases are from non-congregate care living
- Hospitalization Trajectory increase over a 5-day period

This risk level indicates very high exposure and spread of COVID-19. It is advised that community members limit activities as much as possible and follow all current health orders. Limit events over ten people and non-essential activities as much as possible. Miami County will stay at a Red level #3 until we are no longer in the high incidence category.

For more information on the Public Health Advisory System visit: <u>https://coronavirus.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/covid-19/public-health-advisory-system/</u>

Since March 26<sup>th</sup>, 2021, there have been 155 new cases which brings the total number of COVID-19 cases in Miami County to 10,436, 548 hospitalizations, and 9,979 presumed recovered.

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In continued efforts to stop COVID-19, MCPH will be hosting multiple Open COVID-19 Vaccine clinics next week. The clinics will offer the Moderna vaccine.

Location: Lincoln Community Center Date: Tuesday April 13<sup>th</sup>, 2021 Time: 12:00pm-6:00pm \*Walk-ins Welcome

Location: Miami County Public Health Date: Thursday April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021 Time: 12:00pm-3:30pm \*Walk-ins Welcome

Registration is now open for all clinics. To register visit: <u>https://www.miamicountyhealth.net/vaccine-registration</u> or call the vaccine hotline at 937-573-3461.

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