

# MPOX (MONKEYPOX) VACCINE CLINICS

York Region Public Health offers mpox (previously known as monkeypox) vaccine clinics for people who may be at higher risk of infection. To find out about mpox vaccines, **who is eligible** and **clinic dates and locations**, go to [york.ca/mpox](https://york.ca/mpox)

York Region Public Health is hosting mpox vaccine clinics for individuals who may be at higher risk of exposure or infection.

**Two doses** of Imvamune® vaccine (spaced out by at least 28 days) will be given free of charge to people that meet the following provincial eligibility criteria:

- (a) Two-spirited, non-binary, transgender, cisgender, intersex or gender-queer individuals who self-identify or have sexual partners who self-identify as belonging to the gay, bisexual, pansexual and other men who have sex with men (gbMSM) community AND** at least one of the following:
- Had a confirmed sexually transmitted infection within the last year
  - Have or are planning to have two or more sexual partners or are in a relationship where at least one of the partners may have other sexual partners
  - Have attended venues for sexual contact recently or may be planning to, or who work/volunteer in these settings (examples of these settings include bath houses or sex clubs)
  - Have had anonymous sex (e.g., using hookup apps) recently or may be planning to
  - Are a sexual contact of an individual who engages in sex work
- (b) Individuals who self-identify as engaging in sex work or are planning to, regardless of self-identified sex or gender**
- (c) Household and/or sexual contacts identified for pre-exposure vaccination eligibility in parts (a) and (b) above and who are moderately to severely immunocompromised or pregnant may be at higher risk for severe illness from a mpox infection.** Please speak to your health care provider about pre-exposure vaccination.

People who are immunocompromised because of a condition or drug they are taking, are under the age of 18 or are pregnant may need a medical note to get the vaccine.

**Please note we are now giving second doses. If you've had one dose visit one of our clinics to get your second dose (at least 28 days after your first dose) to finish the series for the best protection.**

Each appointment will be one-to-one, held in a private room.

**For clinic dates, times, locations and to book an appointment, visit [york.ca/mpox](https://york.ca/mpox), scan the QR code or call Access York at 1-877-464-9675. Walk in appointments are also welcome.**



## CONTACT YORK REGION PUBLIC HEALTH

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