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Two new COVID-19 vaccination sites to open

Saint-Jérôme, January 15, 2020 – To facilitate vaccinating healthcare workers in the north of the region, the Centre intégré de santé et de services sociaux (CISSS) des Laurentides is currently working on opening two new locations for providing COVID-19 vaccinations at the Pavillon Philippe-Lapointe in Ste-Agathe-des-Monts and at the Mont-Laurier CLSC.

The CISSS plans to open the Sainte-Agathe-des-Monts site during the week of January 25 and the Mont-Laurier CLSC one in February. The opening of both locations is conditional on our receiving enough vaccine doses.

"These new vaccination locations will enable healthcare workers in both sectors to get vaccinated without having to travel great distances to the vaccination clinic in Boisbriand. The residents of the Pavillon Philippe-Lapointe long-term care facility and those of the neighbouring intermediate resources will also be prioritised for vaccination. We are also looking at other locations to act as vaccination sites, as the vaccine is progressively made available to other groups. Our aim is to provide our services, like vaccinations, as close as possible to where people live," said Ms. Rosemonde Landry, President and Executive Director of the CISSS des Laurentides.

The CISSS des Laurentides will contact individuals in these sectors who are eligible for vaccination, in order of priority, as soon as the new doses of the vaccine are received.

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