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COVID-19 vaccination **The VacciBUS makes us all proud**

Sainte-Agathe-des-Monts, June 28, 2021 – The Minister of International Relations and La Francophonie, as well as of Francization and Integration, and Minister responsible for the Laurentian Region, Nadine Gault, was on hand at Major beach in Sainte-Agathe-des-Monts on June 25 to meet the team of healthcare professionals from our mobile vaccination unit, the VacciBUS.

“I am impressed with the sheer scale of the organisation and of the work accomplished by the healthcare professionals who operate the VacciBUS. I hope that this excellent initiative by the CISSS des Laurentides will incite even more people to get vaccinated against COVID-19 and hope to resume normal life even sooner”, the Minister said.

214 doses were administered during the mobile unit’s stop at Major beach.

“Throughout the summer, in the Laurentians, the VacciBUS will meet the public wherever they are in the region. We can already attest to the positive response the mobile unit is getting everywhere it goes, despite being in operation only since June 19. Close to 150 doses have been administered during each of its outings”, said Caroline Chantal, director of the COVID-19 vaccination campaign in the Laurentians.

From now until August 15, the CISSS des Laurentides’ VacciBUS will crisscross the Laurentians, stopping at various event venues and high-traffic locations and in municipalities to facilitate access to vaccination. People can get a first or second dose of COVID-19 vaccine, depending on supply of available doses, without an appointment, on board a bus specially equipped for the purpose.

To find out when the VacciBUS will be coming to a location near you, visit santelaurentides.gouv.qc.ca for schedules of our walk-in clinics.