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RE: Housebound Vaccination Phase 6

Dear Colleagues,

This note is to advise of the commencement of the expansion of the Covid-19 Home Vaccination Service to include people aged 16 years to 49 years. This includes immunocompromised persons (as per NIAC guidance) who are eligible for a Covid-19 booster vaccination. HSE Community Vaccination Teams will visit eligible individuals' homes to administer the additional vaccine dose.

The process of identification and referral will follow the same pathway put in place for people aged 50 years and older and for people identified as requiring an extended primary vaccination (Immunocompromised). I attach for your information a copy of the guidance document for Phase 6.

This phase of the programme will commence in the week commencing 20^{th} December and run for a 4 week period up until the 21^{st} January 2022. This programme of home vaccination will overlap with the vaccination of the 50 years plus age cohort.

Finally I wish to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support and involvement in the Covid-19 Vaccination Programme.

Yours sincerely,

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