



MARYLAND
Department of Health
State Board of Dental Examiners

Bulletin:

Where Dentists Can Administer the COVID-19 Vaccine

The Board has been receiving inquiries regarding where dentists may administer the COVID-19 vaccination. Per the Amended Directive and Order Regarding Vaccinations, issued by the Maryland Secretary of Health, dentists may administer COVID-19 vaccinations at "vaccination sites".

"Vaccination Site" means any location at which COVID-19 vaccinations -are offered to the public -in accordance with the State of Maryland's Vaccination Plan and includes, but is not limited to, facilities as defined in the Order of the Governor of the State of Maryland No. 20-11-17-02 Establishing Alternate Care Sites and Authorizing Regulation of Patient Care Space in Health Care Facilities, healthcare facilities designated by the Secretary of Health under the terms of the Order of the Governor of the State of Maryland No. 21-03-09-02 Amending and Restating the Order of March 16, 2020 Relating to Various Health Care Matters (the "Health Care Matters Executive Order") as listed in this order, the offices of health care practitioners, local health departments, pharmacies, urgent care centers, and any event at which vaccinations are offered in accordance with the State of Maryland's Vaccination Plan or any other site or location within Maryland as designated by the Maryland Department of Health.

MDH Order 2021.08.018.01. Accordingly, dentists may administer COVID-19 vaccinations in an approved vaccination site provided they have had the appropriate training. If there are any additional questions or concerns, practitioners should contact the Secretary of Health who ultimately determines what constitutes an approved vaccination site, not the MSBDE.