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## **HEALTH ADVISORY: How to Order Vaccine for Mpox**

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Mpox is no longer spreading as extensively as during the summer of 2022, but we continue to see a low level of cases in Oregon and the US.

The communities most impacted by Mpox in Oregon and the US have not changed.

- Most people with cases of Mpox in Oregon have been gay and bisexual men and other men who have sex with men.
- Oregonians who identify as Black, American Indian or Alaska Native, and Hispanic or Latino/a/x/e have been disproportionally affected.
- Nationally, transgender and nonbinary people of all genders have also been disproportionally affected.
- Nationally, most morbidity and mortality has been among people living with HIV with CD4 cell counts <200 cells/mL and other people with severe immunocompromise

CDC and OHA recommend clinicians provide Jynneos vaccine to people who:

- a. Test for HIV and STI
- b. Have a history of STI (gonorrhea, chlamydia, syphilis) in the prior 2 years
- c. Are eligible for or taking PrEP
- d. Are living with HIV
- e. Are transgender and non-binary
- f. Trade sex, dance, strip, perform, and/or work in sexualized settings or industries
- g. Live in structured or unstructured congregate settings (encampments, shelters, dormitories, carceral settings)

To reduce barriers, Jynneos vaccine should be available at the primary care medical home. This vaccine is available at no-cost to providers, and to all people receiving a vaccine. Jynneos vaccine can be ordered here:

https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/43ac2326e3e44d4385d15966bafb0d75 or by contacting timothy.j.hall@oha.oregon.gov

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