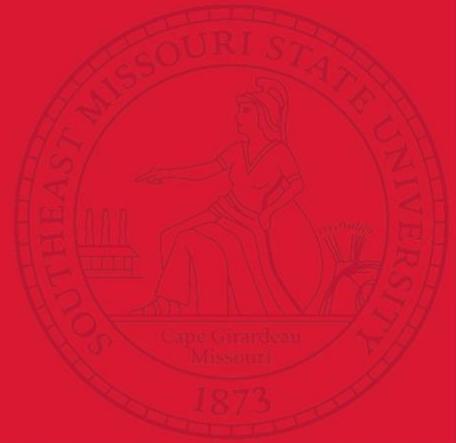


# OFFICE OF THE **PRESIDENT**



SOUTHEAST MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY

Friday, April 09, 2021

Dear Redhawk Community,

Today is an important day for Missouri residents. Anyone 16 and older is now eligible to receive a COVID-19 vaccine. That means ***all Southeast Missouri State University faculty, staff and students can receive the vaccine.***

Over the past year, we have worked closely with the Cape Girardeau Public Health Center and other state and local entities to keep our community safe through the Protect the Nest Plan and other efforts. Most recently we have provided information on vaccination clinics and assisted the public health center in coordinating vaccination events at the Show Me Center and Student Recreation Center.

As you know, we are also making plans to return to normal, as much as possible, for the Fall 2021 semester. For example, classroom capacities are now set at pre-pandemic levels, and the course delivery modes offered are the same as before the pandemic. One way to keep this momentum going is to vaccinate as many members of our community as possible.

There are many online resources for vaccinations. First and foremost, we encourage you to use the Missouri COVID-19 Vaccine Navigator website to learn more and to determine your comfort level with receiving the vaccine. This state of Missouri resource includes vaccine information and guidance to sign up for vaccine clinics in your area. For more information, visit [covidvaccine.mo.gov/navigator](https://covidvaccine.mo.gov/navigator).

In addition, you can register for a vaccine using one the websites listed below.

**Cape Girardeau County Public Health Center** –

[www.keepcapestrong.com/covid-19vaccinationinformation](http://www.keepcapestrong.com/covid-19vaccinationinformation)

**Saint Francis Healthcare** – [www.SFMC.net/vaccine](http://www.SFMC.net/vaccine)

**SoutheastHEALTH** – [www.sehealth.org/patients-and-visitors/covid19-information](http://www.sehealth.org/patients-and-visitors/covid19-information)

**VaccineFinder** – There are multiple entities hosting vaccine clinics in southeast Missouri. Enter your zip code to locate a vaccination site near you at [vaccinefinder.org](http://vaccinefinder.org).

While we will continue to work with vaccine providers to offer additional on-campus clinics, when possible, you may find the community vaccination events listed here to be the most accessible in the next few weeks as the semester winds down.

Thank you again for your efforts over the past year to keep our community safe.

Sincerely,

Carlos



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