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# ANNOUNCEMENT

## COVID-19 Vaccination Roll Out Plan

### 1. **Pregnant and Breastfeeding women**

If the pregnant and breastfeeding woman wishes to get COVID-19 vaccine, the Ministry of Health will be providing the COVID-19 vaccination for this group of people.

### 2. **Health Workers and Active frontline workers**

Health workers and active frontline workers who are engaged in the vaccination campaign will be vaccinated after the 7 day vaccination campaign is completed. Rest of the health workers and frontline workers will be vaccinated during the 7 day vaccination campaign together with the general population.

### 3. **Home based vaccination**

The Ministry of Health has already listed around 1200 individuals with mobility issues (who cannot walk). Hence, for this group of people, the MoH is pleased to inform the general public that a **Home-based vaccination** will be put in place. However, the vaccination will start only after the 7 day vaccination campaign for the general public is completed.

### 4. **Elderly Population**

Similarly, for the elderly population **above the age of 70**, the vaccination will be provided in a health facility (PHC, Hospital or Regional referral hospital). However, the vaccination will start only after the 7 day vaccination campaign is completed.

### 5. **Cohorts in the Institutions (college students/ Monks, Nuns)**

Vaccination for college students/ monks/ nuns/etc. in various institutions will also start after the 7 day vaccination campaign for the general population. Furthermore, the vaccination for those monks/nuns/gomchens on meditation shall be deferred till completion of their meditation period.



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