

Media Advisory

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LIMPOPO HEALTH MEC DR PHOPHI RAMATHUBA TO OPEN ANOTHER SECONDARY COVID-19 VACCINATION SITE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF VENDA

Limpopo Health MEC Dr Phophi Ramathuba in partnership with the University of Venda will open another COVID 19 vaccination site at the university of Venda which is currently located in Thulamela Municipality, Vhembe District.

This initiative is part of the relationship build between Limpopo department of health and institutions of higher learning. This site will be our secondary site to the current Tshilidzini hospital primary site which will alleviate the current congestion at Thohoyandou health care center.

The MEC will lead the vaccinators from the department of health, nurses at the university clinic and final year nursing students recently trained as vaccinators. "The site which will focus on vaccinating students and staff from the university will also be open to the public especially now when our focus is mainly those above 35. We believe the site will even be much more relevant from the 1st of September when vaccine roll out will be opened for those above 18 as announced by the President and institutions of higher learning does house majority of that cohort" said MEC.

If you are 35 years old and above and residing around the University of Venda, you are welcomed to come receive your jab.

The MEC's Covid-19 vaccination program for Univen staff members, students and community is scheduled as follows:

Date: Tuesday, 27 July 2021

Venue: University of Venda, Thulamela Municipality-Vhembe District.

Time: 09h00

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