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The Jefferson County General Health District has partnered with the Jefferson Metropolitan Housing Authority and Green National to offer COVID-19 vaccine clinics at select housing complexes. Clinics have been scheduled on Wednesday, July 21 and Wednesday, July 28 from 11am – 1pm.

The Jefferson County General Health District Nursing Department and RADx-UP Community Health Workers will be offering several perks for those who receive the COVID-19 vaccine: $100 Walmart gift card, free blood pressure screenings and more. Additionally, Medicaid members of managed care plans, ages 18 and older with a valid ID, are eligible for a $50 gift card from their insurance provider for receiving the COVID-19 vaccine. The vaccine is free for individuals both with or without health insurance.

Vaccine hesitancy can affect people of all different backgrounds, ages and ethnicities, but waiting too long to be vaccinated allows the COVID-19 to continue spreading in the community. Vaccine benefits outweigh the risks and side effects are often very mild. Vaccinating as many eligible county residents as possible remains a goal for the Jefferson County General Health District. To date, Jefferson County has vaccinated over 25,000 residents against COVID-19.

Clinic Schedule:
Wednesday, July 21
11am – 1pm
Ridgewood Apartments
601 Two Ridge Road, Winterville, Ohio

Wednesday, July 28
11am – 1pm
Bridgeville Apartments
North 7th Street, Steubenville, Ohio

Sign-ups are available at either location or by calling the Health Department at 740-283-8530 ext1631.