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Hidalgo County announces rollout of online registration system for COVID-19 vaccine

EDINBURG – Hidalgo County residents will now be able to register online to set up an appointment to obtain the COVID-19 vaccine at county-run clinics, Hidalgo County Judge Richard F. Cortez said Monday.

The online registration system will launch at 9 a.m. Tuesday, March 23, 2021, and will allow people to register for the Moderna vaccine that is being distributed at various clinics run by Hidalgo County. Once registration reaches capacity, the system will not accept new registrations. Residents are encouraged, however, to check back frequently because new registrants will be allowed if existing registrants cancel their appointments.

Hidalgo County Health Clinics operate:

- Monday – Thursday from 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.
- Friday from 7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

"We appreciate the patience of our residents," Judge Cortez said. "As the vaccine manufacturers increase the production of the COVID-19 vaccines, we in Hidalgo County are increasing our efficiency. This online registration system is a tremendous step forward on that front."

The system allows people to make appointments on behalf of themselves or on behalf of others, such as elderly parents who are uncomfortable with online activity. Registrants may set up appointments for up to two people. It will also send people an electronic reminder of their second dose appointment one day in advance of the appointment. To make an online appointment, please [register here](#).

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