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**DOH-Miami-Dade is offering appointments to high-risk populations for Jynneos Vaccine for the prevention of Monkeypox**

The Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade County (DOH-Miami-Dade) is offering appointments for **Jynneos Vaccine** for the prevention of **Monkeypox**. To become fully immunized you must be vaccinated with 2 doses, the second dose 28 days after receiving the first.

**Currently, we are only providing the vaccine to certain populations that are at high-risk for infection**, these groups include:

- Laboratory personnel and select health care personnel at high risk for monkeypox
- Close contacts of Monkeypox cases
- Immunocompromised MSM (men who have sex with men) with HIV (<200 CD4 white blood cells per ml<sup>3</sup>)
- Other MSM with a recent history of a sexually transmissible diseases (STD)

DOH-Miami-Dade is providing vaccines to individuals that are at high-risk for infection. If you are currently experiencing symptoms of monkeypox, we encourage you to get tested first to ensure you are not already infected. Symptoms of monkeypox include:

- Fever
- Headache
- Muscle aches and backache
- Swollen lymph nodes
- Chills
- Rash that can look like pimples or blisters that appears on the face, inside the mouth and on other parts of the body like the hands, feet, chest, genital, and anal area.

Please only schedule your appointment for your first dose if you are in one of the high-risk categories. Also, be aware that you should only make one appointment. Once you receive the first dose our clinic staff will provide you with a follow-up appointment for the second dose.

To schedule an appointment for Monkeypox or other vaccines such as the COVID-19 vaccine for ages 5 and older, vaccine booster follow the attached link on **Google Chrome, Microsoft Edge or mobile devices**: <https://book.appointment-plus.com/d6b7yl3q>