



# Clallam County Department of Health and Human Services

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## For Immediate Release

### JYENNOS Vaccination Available at Clallam County Public Health

Port Angeles — Clallam County residents at high risk for infection of MPV (Monkeypox) may now get on the list for the JYNNEOS vaccine by using this online form <https://tinyurl.com/MPVClallam> or by calling 360-417-2274. People who are interested in the vaccine but are not currently eligible can also fill out the form and request to be placed on a waitlist.

Clallam County Public Health (CCPH) recommended JYNNEOS vaccine eligibility includes:

- Individuals who have had a significant exposure to MPV
- Gay, bisexual, and other men and transgender individuals who have had sex with men **AND** who meet one of the following criteria:
  - Have had multiple or anonymous sexual partners in the last 3 months
  - Have attended a bathhouse, circuit party, or public sex venue in the last 3 months
  - Have had syphilis or gonorrhea in the past year
  - Have exchanged sex for drugs or money in the last 3 months
  - Have experienced homelessness or incarceration in the last 3 months
  - Have used methamphetamines in the prior 3 months
  - Belong to a historically marginalized racial minority

CCPH will offer the JYNNEOS vaccine during Wednesday Vaccine Clinics in the Port Angeles office. A public health nurse will communicate with those who are currently eligible. In addition, the Clallam County Public Health team is holding a one-day Walk-In Clinic on Thursday, September 1st from 8:30am to 3:30pm at 111 E 3rd Street in Port Angeles.

If you have been in contact with someone with MPV, please call CCPH. If you have a new or unusual rash, contact your primary care provider to be evaluated.

Tecovirimat (TPOXX) is a treatment for MPV for those at high risk for severe disease. A prescription may be available through your primary care provider. CCPH can also provide TPOXX for people without insurance or a primary care provider.

More information about the JYNNEOS vaccine can be found on the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's website here: <https://www.cdc.gov/poxvirus/monkeypox/interim-considerations/jynneos-vaccine.html>.