## Missouri ready to begin vaccinating people in 'critical infrastructure' March 15

Gov. Mike Parson announced Thursday that Missouri will start administering COVID-19 vaccines to people in Phase 1B, Tier 3, on March 15, including teachers, child care workers and government employees. Missouri residents can fill out a survey on the Columbia/Boone County Public Health and Human Services Department website to be notified when the vaccine is available to them.

Human Services Department website to be notified when the vaccine is available to them. Sources: Columbia/Boone County Public Health and Human Services Department, Missourian GRACE COOPER/Missourian • Health care workers • Long-term care facility residents and staff • First responders • EMS. EMTs and • Emergency paramedics management and services Phase 1A • Public health Corrections Phase 1B, Tier 1 • High-risk people with cancer, heart conditions, etc. Phase 1B, Tier 2 People working in: • People ages 65+ • Education (K-12) Child care Government Phase 1B, Tier 3 Transportation Energy • Water and waste management Phase 2 People at increased Phase 3 risk including those who are in prison or homeless All Missouri residents