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Immediate Release

**Dickinson-Iron District Health Department begins vaccinating 12- to 15-year-old children for COVID-19**

Kingsford and Iron River, Michigan – May 21, 2021. The Dickinson-Iron District Health Department (DIDHD) is now scheduling individuals ages 12 to 15 who are interested in receiving the Pfizer COVID vaccine. “Vaccinating this age group is an important step. There are many things unknown about the COVID virus, one of them is the potential long-term effects after an infection. Protecting our children now, ensures a healthier future for them and the rest of our community,” states immunization coordinator, Debbee Horton BSN RN. Parental consent will be required. Please contact the office directly at 906-774-1868 (Dickinson County) or 906-265-9913 (Iron County) to make an appointment.

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