



City of San Antonio

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In Control: Community Health, Environment and Culture Committee

DEPARTMENT: Health Department

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Claude Jacob

COUNCIL DISTRICTS IMPACTED: Citywide

SUBJECT:

A briefing providing COVID-19 Updates

SUMMARY:

Metro Health will provide an update on the progress of the COVID-19 response in San Antonio and Bexar County

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

For the last two and a half years, Metro Health alongside partners, SAFD and STRAC, has been maintaining its ongoing response efforts to the COVID-19 pandemic. The response has involved the provision of testing sites, contact tracing, lab surveillance, regular data analysis, vaccine clinics and robust marketing campaigns.

Metro Health continues to leverage resources to ensure that all eligible persons are vaccinated to

include reaching those who have not yet completed their vaccination series. In addition, Metro Health, with community partner STRAC, continues to monitor the impact of COVID-19 on the area hospital systems.

Metro Health also is still operating a full schedule of pop-up vaccination clinics scattered throughout all ten (10) Council Districts focusing on vulnerable populations and areas with a smaller percentage of those vaccinated.

ISSUE:

Metro Health would like the opportunity to brief the Community Health, Environment, & Culture Committee on the progress of the COVID-19 response.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None at this time

ALTERNATIVES:

None at this time

RECOMMENDATION:

This item is for briefing purposes only.