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### **H1N1 Vaccine Walk-In Clinics Scheduled at Southeastern District Health Department**

**Free** H1N1 vaccine walk-in clinics will be held in Pocatello at the Southeastern District Health Department located on 1901 Alvin Ricken Drive. The clinics will be held on **Monday, January 11<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>, 2010, from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.**

Those who fall into the below categories are at highest risk for disease, and are strongly encouraged to be vaccinated. **However, anyone 6 months of age and older may be vaccinated at these clinics.**

Priority populations include:

- Pregnant women
- Household contacts and caregivers for infants younger than 6 months of age.
- Healthcare and emergency medical services personnel.
- All people from 6 months to 24 years of age.
- Persons aged 25 through 64 who have health conditions associated with higher risk of medical complications from the flu.
- Parents are reminded that children nine years old and younger need a 2nd dose of H1N1 vaccine
  - 21 days following the first dose if it was a shot
  - 28 days following the first dose if it was flumist (nasal spray)

Note: The H1N1 vaccine distributed by SDHD is free to the public.

The Southeastern District Health Department would like to remind everyone that we are likely to see another H1N1 flu wave in February or March of 2010. Vaccinations play a critical role in preventing the spread of the flu, so please get vaccinated!

For additional information or to schedule an appointment, please contact the Southeastern District Health Department at 233-9080.