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COVID-19 vaccination recommendations (incl. bivalent booster)

Dr. Elliott recommends that all BCDiabetes clients receive the COVID-19 vaccine at the earliest opportunity, and get boosters every 6 months.

Now that the bivalent booster is available (covering Omicron BA.1 and the original SARS-CoV-2 virus strain and also generates a good immune response against the Omicron BA.4 and BA.5 subvariants) Dr. Elliott recommends that every BC Diabetes client receive the bivalent booster at the earliest opportunity **whether or not it has been 6 months since their regular booster.**

Those who have a history of anaphylaxis (people who carry an epi-pen under usual circumstances) should have their epi-pens available in case they have a reaction.

Dear BC vaccination staff

The carrier of this letter named below, is a BCDiabetes client, and is considered CEV (clinically extremely vulnerable). Kindly provide a bivalent booster at the earliest opportunity.

Yours sincerely,

Tom Elliott

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