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The anticipated supply of vaccine from the federal government has not materialized. Governor Kate Brown has indicated that she wants Pre-Kindergarten through high school educators to begin being vaccinated on January 25. With seniors aged 80 and older to follow on February 8.

Public Health is working with our community partners to host vaccination events for eligible individuals, but all of this hinges upon the availability of vaccine. Klamath County at this time does not have enough vaccine to finish Phase 1-A. We are working with community partners to identify phase 1-A eligible individuals and continue to serve them as supplies allow.

As of January 13: 2,201 vaccines had been given in Klamath County and 13 individuals had completed their 2 dose series.

There are approximately 15,000 Klamath County residents 65 and older. It will take patience and time to reach everyone who would like to be vaccinated.

Public Health remains committed to helping Klamath remain safe and healthy.

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