

MEDIA ADVISORY

DEPUTY PRESIDENT MABUZA LEADS VOOMA VACCINATION WEEKEND IN THE FREE STATE

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Deputy President of the Republic of South Africa, David Mabuza, will on Saturday, 02 October 2021, lead the Vooma Vaccination Weekend Campaign in Bloemfontein, Mangaung Metropolitan Municipality, Free State. Joining the Deputy President will be the Premier of the Free State, Sisi Ntombela, Members of the Executive Council of the Free State, and leaders of government business.

Through the joint efforts of leaders across various sectors, the Vooma Vaccination Weekend aims to mobilise citizens and all living in South Africa to get vaccinated as part of the country's on-going efforts to fight the COVID-19 pandemic. This campaign is giving effect to the call by President Ramaphosa for every Minister, Premier and Mayor to convene at least one prominent event in every district in the country to support and encourage people to get vaccinated against COVID-19.

This includes providing information and taking the vaccination sites into communities and homes.

Members of the Media are invited to attend the Vooma Vaccination Weekend as follows:

Date: Saturday, 02 October 2021

Site 1:

Venue: Universitas Academic Hospital, Bloemfontein

Time: 10:30am

Site 2:

Venue: Pelonomi Academic Hospital, Bloemfontein

Time: TBC

The delegation will do a walk about at the sites to interact with, and encourage those who have come to vaccinate and urge them to complete their chosen vaccination schedule and to encourage their families, colleagues and other members of the community to choose vaccination.

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