

# An Update on COVID-19 vaccinations in Chile

Santiago, March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2021. The Government of Chile is on track to reach its goal to vaccinate the majority of the ~5 million people of the "at-risk groups" by the end of the first quarter of 2021, and the majority of the 15 million adult population during the first semester of 2021. As of March 9<sup>th</sup>, approximately 4.3 million have received the first dose of a vaccine, and 1,008,768 had received the second dose. As of yesterday, roughly 5% of the population (medical personnel and elderly with greatest mortality) has received the second dose, and approximately 67% of the population aged 65 and above are estimated to receive the second dose by March 19<sup>th</sup>.

As of March 9<sup>th</sup>, Chile has received a total of 10,705,651 doses, composed of 9,971,476 SINOVAC doses and 734,400 Pfizer-BioNTech doses.

Looking ahead, a shipment of approximately 2.1 million SINOVAC doses is scheduled for March 20th, and another similar-sized shipment at a date yet to be confirmed; these shipments will complete the agreed 14 million SINOVAC doses. Separately, a shipment of approximately 200, 000 doses of Pfizer-BioNTech is expected to be delivered tomorrow. In addition, as was reported earlier, 818,400 doses of the AstraZeneca vaccine are set to be delivered starting in May, as part of the COVAX Global Alliance contract.

In order to ensure the vaccination targets are met, the Government continues to negotiate the purchase of additional COVID-19 vaccines, including from other laboratories that have had positive results.

For reference, the following list describes the vaccination contracts that have been signed by the Government of Chile thus far.

- SINOVAC: 14 million doses (double dose)
- Pfizer-BioNTech: 10 million doses (double dose)
- COVAX Global Alliance: 7.6 million doses (double dose)
- AstraZeneca: up to 4 million doses (double dose)
- Johnson & Johnson: up to 4 million doses (mono dose)

#### **Progress on Administered Doses**

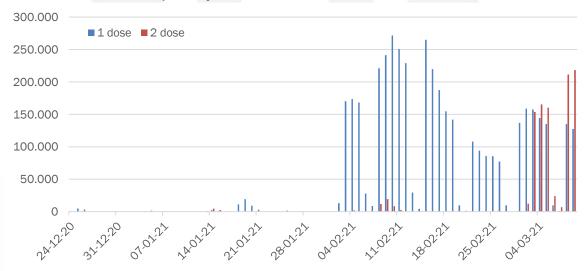
Regarding progress on administered doses, as of Tuesday March 9th at 17hrs (SCL), 4,316,235 people had been vaccinated with the first dose, and 1,008,768 with the second dose.



The vaccination program has a daily calendar that is announced weekly. During the previous week, aged 60 and above, as well as education workers were vaccinated. This week, vaccinations continued for people aged between 49-59 years, and people with disabilities.

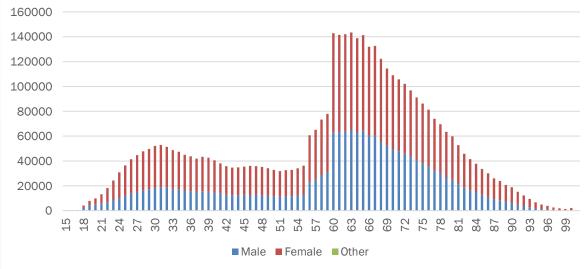
Additional information is available in the following link.

### **Administered Vaccines per Day**



Source: Ministry of Health

## Administered Vaccines (First Dose) by age Group & Gender



Source: Ministry of Health



## Cumulative COVID-19 vaccination doses administered per 100 people

