



**OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR**

Vermont State House

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April Doherty  
12 Martinsville Road  
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Dear April:

Thank you for taking the time to contact my office. I appreciate you sharing your valid concerns with regards the vaccination of Vermont's teachers from COVID-19.

I agree with you that our teachers have always been essential workers, and they deserve our unwavering support. As more vaccines are granted to Vermont, I anticipate the prioritized distribution of vaccines to our teachers and other essential workers.

In the meantime, I will pass on your concerns to Governor Scott and Legislative leaders. I also urge you to continue visiting the [Department of Health](#)'s website for the latest information on the distribution of vaccines.

Thank you again for sharing your concerns. I am deeply committed to elevating the voices of Vermonters, and I hope you will not hesitate to contact my office again.

I wish you good health as we work together to ensure Vermont recovers stronger from this pandemic.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Molly R. Gray".

Molly R. Gray  
Lieutenant Governor of Vermont

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Molly, I hope this finds you

healthy and happy. I'm writing to urge you to move the teachers up in the queue for receiving vaccines, especially since Gov. Scott is now requiring teachers to go to school face-to-face starting April 1. Scheduling teachers for vaccines a month after they go back to work is placing an undue strain on people who are already struggling and have been for months to keep life good for the kids. Thank you. April Doherty