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**Governor Polis Visits Peak Vista COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic at Health Center at Jetwing**  
*Over 31,000 vaccinated*

**Colorado Springs, Colo.** – Peak Vista Community Health Centers (Peak Vista) was honored by a visit from Governor Polis Friday, April 24, 2021 at 11:25AM to tour the COVID-19 vaccine clinic housed at the Health Center at Jet Wing.



Since beginning vaccinations in January, Peak Vista has administered more than 31,000 vaccines. The majority of these vaccines have been administered at its flagship vaccination location, the Health Center at Jet Wing, where it vaccinates 500 people per day with the Moderna vaccine.

“Meeting people when and where they are available is the key to making this vaccine accessible,” said Senior Vice President of Medical Services, Dr. Joel Tanaka. Peak Vista has hosted several pop-up vaccination clinics, including an equity vaccine clinic for people of color, collaborations with Springs Rescue Mission and partnerships with other vaccine providers like Matthews-Vu Medical Group and the

El Paso County Department of Public Health. “Everyone deserves a chance to be vaccinated,” Tanaka continued.

Peak Vista has vaccinated nearly 300 people experiencing homelessness in its partnership with Springs Rescue Mission, as well as its own Health Center at Rio Grande. The Hispanic and Latinx community total 18 percent of Peak Vista’s vaccinations, and the rural communities in Eastern Colorado total five percent. Peak Vista has vaccinated with both the Moderna and the Johnson & Johnson (Janssen) vaccines.

Peak Vista is accepting appointments for the COVID-19 vaccine. To schedule an appointment, please call (719) 344-6500 or visit [peakvista.org](http://peakvista.org).

**About Peak Vista Community Health Centers**

Peak Vista Community Health Centers is a nonprofit organization providing exceptional health care to people facing access barriers through clinical programs and education. Celebrating 50 years of community health service, Peak Vista offers primary medical, integrated behavioral health and dental care services. We proudly serve over 93,000 patients annually through 28 outpatient centers in Colorado’s Pikes Peak and East Central regions. To learn more about Peak Vista, visit [www.peakvista.org](http://www.peakvista.org).

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