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Dear Darren,

I am writing in response to WQ81838: What consideration has the Welsh Government given to prioritising delivery of coronavirus vaccines to ambulance crew and first responders in Wales?

Wales like other UK nations is vaccinating people most at-risk of catching coronavirus and developing serious illnesses first, in line with JCVI advice. This includes frontline health and social care workers. In the Wales Vaccine Strategy, published on 11th January, we committed to offer all front line Welsh Ambulance Service staff a vaccination by 18 January. This target has now been met. First responders are specifically mentioned by the JCVI as part of phase 2 of the delivery.

Yours sincerely,

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