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## **PEDIATRIC COVID-19 Vaccination** **ECHO session**

**Tuesday, May 25, 2021**

**12:00 PM – 1:00 PM**

**Clinic Specialists: Jana Shaw, MD, MPH**

**Steven Blatt, MD**

**COVID Vaccines for Pediatric Patients - This discussion will focus on vaccine creation, roll out, administration, efficacy and effects on the pediatric body**

*Sponsored by the Youth and Young Adult Subcommittee of the CNY Regional Healthcare Equity Task Force*

**Steven D. Blatt, MD** is Professor of Pediatrics and Director, Division of General Pediatrics at Upstate Medical University and Medical Director of University Pediatric and Adolescent Center. Since its founding in 1991, Dr. Blatt has been the Director of ENHANCE Services for Children in Foster Care, a multidisciplinary, comprehensive and primary health care program for children in foster care. He is Co-President of the Pediatric Society of Central New York. Since the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic, Dr. Blatt has assumed leadership roles in Upstate's COVID response in Ambulatory offices and in helping to organize and educate community pediatricians, foster care agencies, and local school districts in addressing child health care issues.



**Jana Shaw MD, MPH** is a practicing pediatrician specializing in infectious diseases and an expert on vaccines and immunology. Dr. Shaw is Associate Professor of Pediatrics at the SUNY Upstate Medical University, Syracuse, NY and a chief medical officer at the North Country Family Health Center in Watertown, NY. She is a member of pediatric and infectious disease professional societies and a member of the International Affairs and Communications Committees of the Pediatric Infectious Disease Society. Her research interests focus on improving vaccination coverage in children. She has authored numerous publications focusing on vaccine hesitancy and is an active vaccination advocate.



The main audience for this session is school admin, school-based medical staff and youth advocacy groups

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