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Portfolio: COVID-19 Response (Hon Chris Hipkins)

Question: Is the government considering standing up vaccination centres or clinics in all managed isolation and quarantine facilities so that people who enter managed isolation and quarantine facilities who are not vaccinated, are vaccinated as soon as reasonably possible, if not, why not, if so, when will that begin?

Reply: The Government is not considering opening vaccination clinics in Managed Isolation and Quarantine (MIQ) facilities. During their 14-day stay in managed isolation, individuals are required to undergo mandatory COVID-19 testing. While someone is waiting for the results of a COVID-19 test, they must not attend a COVID-19 vaccination appointment. Individuals who have stayed in MIQ facilities will be able

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