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When will it be your turn to be offered vaccination against COVID-19?

We started vaccinating against COVID-19 in Denmark on 27 December 2020. We unfortunately only receive limited supplies of vaccines in Denmark to begin with, and we therefore need to prioritise the vaccines for elderly and vulnerable people and for the staff who look after them.

The Danish Health Authority has established the following order of priority:

Target group

1. Residents in nursing homes etc.
2. Citizens aged over 65 who receive both practical assistance and personal care
3. Citizens aged over 85
4. Selected frontline staff in the healthcare sector, the elderly care sector and parts of the social services sector
5. Selected patients at particularly high risk, e.g. cancer patients, severely immunosuppressed patients and people with very severe cardiopulmonary disease or liver disease
6. Selected relatives of people at particularly high risk
7. Citizens aged 80-84 years
8. Citizens aged 75-79 years
9. Citizens aged 65-74 years
10. Citizens aged under 65 with conditions resulting in a higher risk
11. Staff who perform critical functions in society
12. The remaining population aged over 16

The target groups are not necessarily vaccinated in the above order. Practical circumstances may change the order. For example, we chose first to vaccinate nursing home residents (group 1) and nursing home staff (group 4) as they could be vaccinated at the same time and in the same place.

We expect that everyone with diseases or conditions that are associated with a higher risk of severe illness from COVID-19 will have been offered vaccination when we reach spring 2021.

How do I know that it is my turn?

Most people will be notified via e-Boks when it is their turn to be offered vaccination against COVID-19. If you are exempt from receiving Digital Post, you will get a letter in the mail.

Once you have been notified, you must access www.vacciner.dk (In English) and book an appointment for vaccination.

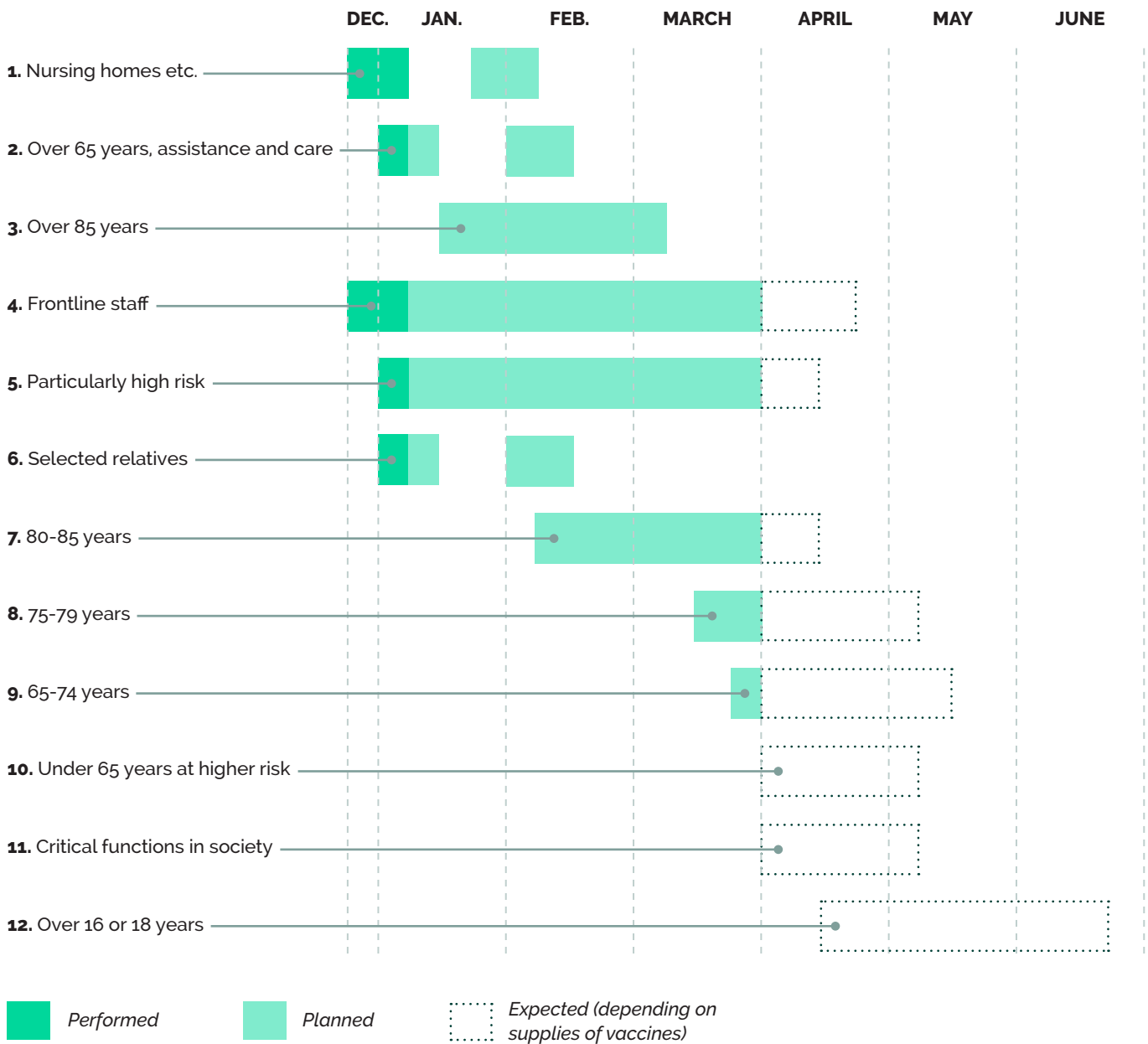
However, some citizens will receive the offer of vaccination via their employer, their municipality of residence or their doctor.

You will be contacted as soon as it is your turn, and you should therefore not contact your doctor or employer to inquire when it will be your turn.

See the vaccination programme calendar at sst.dk/vaccinationskalender (in Danish only)

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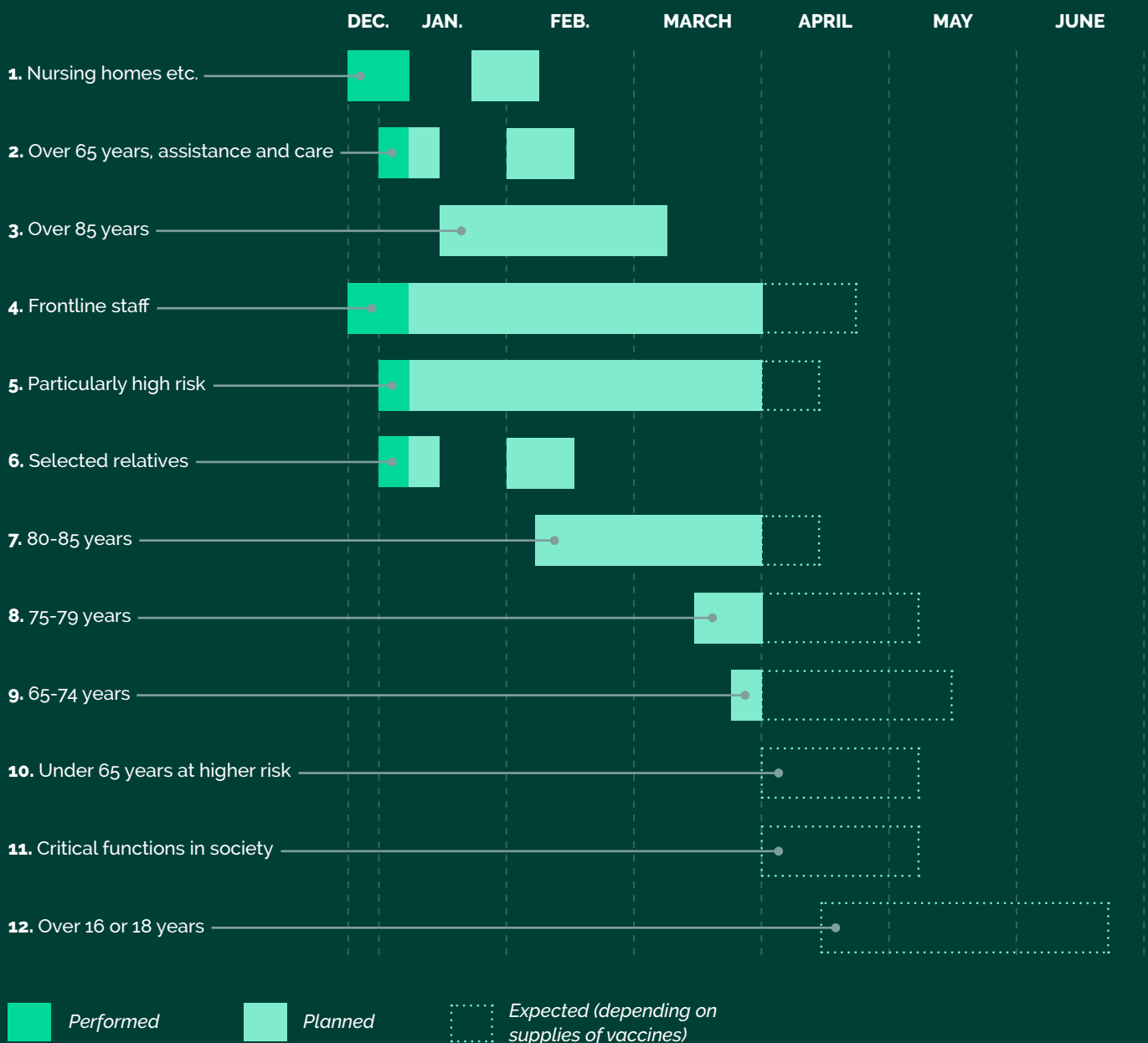
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