

National Immunisation Program schedule

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Victoria July 2011

Age / School Year	Disease	Vaccine brand
Birth	Hepatitis B	H-B-Vax II Paediatric
2 months	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, hepatitis B, poliomyelitis, <i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b Pneumococcal Rotavirus	Infanrix <i>hexa</i> Prevenar 13 RotaTeq
4 months	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, hepatitis B, poliomyelitis, <i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b Pneumococcal Rotavirus	Infanrix <i>hexa</i> Prevenar 13 RotaTeq
6 months Note increased risk category over page	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, hepatitis B, poliomyelitis, <i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b Pneumococcal Rotavirus	Infanrix <i>hexa</i> Prevenar 13 RotaTeq
12 months Note increased risk category over page	Measles, mumps, rubella <i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b Meningococcal C	Priorix Hiberix NeisVacC
Children aged 12–35 months Supplementary catch-up	Pneumococcal	Prevenar 13 a single dose from 1 October 2011 to 30 September 2012
18 months	Chickenpox	Varilrix
4 years Note increased risk category over page	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio Measles, mumps, rubella	Infanrix IPV Priorix
Year 7 Secondary school	Hepatitis B Chickenpox Human papillomavirus	H-B-Vax II Adult 2 dose course ● Varilrix ♦ Gardasil 3 dose course (girls only)
Year 10 Secondary school	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis	Boostrix
From 15 years Indigenous*	Influenza	Influenza (annually)
From 50 years Indigenous*	Pneumococcal	Pneumovax 23
50–59 years	Diphtheria, tetanus	ADT Booster
From 65 years	Influenza Pneumococcal	Influenza (annually) Pneumovax 23

● H-B-Vax II Adult not required if previous course of 3 paediatric hepatitis B vaccines completed.

♦ Varilrix vaccine not required if history of varicella infection.

* Indigenous status includes: Aboriginal but not Torres Strait Islander; Torres Strait Islander but not Aboriginal; Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander.

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Increased risk categories

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From 6 months of age With underlying medical risk factors	Influenza	Influenza (annually) ■
12 months of age premature babies <32 weeks gestation or <2000g birth weight	Hepatitis B	H-B-Vax II Paediatric
12 months of age With underlying medical risk factors and/or <28 weeks gestation	Pneumococcal	Prevenar 13
4–5 years of age With underlying medical risk factors and/or <28 weeks gestation	Pneumococcal	Pneumovax 23
Indigenous 15–49 years of age* With underlying medical risk factors		
Pregnant women At any stage of pregnancy	Influenza	Influenza

- Give 2 doses of influenza vaccine, a minimum of 1 month apart, in the first year of administration in children aged 6 months to 9 years inclusive.
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Women planning pregnancy or after delivery	Rubella	Priorix	Rubella non-immune women planning pregnancy or shortly after delivery
Parents of newborn infants ⊕	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis	Boostrix	15 June 2009 to 30 June 2012
Living in a household with a hepatitis B positive person	Hepatitis B	H-B-Vax II Paediatric H-B-Vax II Adult	
HIV positive people	Hepatitis B	Engerix B Adult	HIV positive people
Refugees/asylum seekers	National Immunisation Program	National Immunisation Program	Eligible for NIP vaccines plus some catch up. See the criteria for eligibility: http://www.health.vic.gov.au/immunisation/general/criteria-for-use-of-government-vaccine

- ⊕ Includes adoptive and foster parents. Vaccine may be given to the partner during pregnancy or both parents as soon as possible after delivery. No further dose is required if given for a previous pregnancy.

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