

Recommended Vaccines

Immunizations are the single most important way you can protect your children against serious diseases.



| | Birth | Months | Months | Months | 12-15 Months | 15-18 Months | 19-23 Months | Years | Years |
|---------------------------------------|-------|--------------|------------------------|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|
| Hepatitis B | | | If not given at birth. | 1 | | | | 6 | 3 |
| Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis (DTaP) | | √ | √ | \checkmark | | V | | \checkmark | |
| Haemophilus Influenzae B (Hib) | | \checkmark | ✓ | \checkmark | √ | | | | |
| Poliovirus (Polio) | | √ | √ | √ | | | | \checkmark | |
| Pneumococcal Conjugate (PCV) | | √ | √ | \checkmark | \checkmark | | | | |
| Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR) | | | | | √ | | | \checkmark | |
| Varicella (Chickenpox) | | | | | ✓ | | | √ | |
| Hepatitis A | | | | | ✓ | | √ | | |
| Rotavirus (RV) | | √ | √ | \checkmark | | | | | |
| Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis (Tdap) | | | | | | | | | \checkmark |
| Meningococcal Conjugate (MCV) | | | | | | | | | √ |
| Human Papillomavirus (HPV) | | | | | | | | | \checkmark |
| Influenza | | | | Each flu season starting at 6 months. Children 6 months through 8 years old who receive a flu vaccine for the first time should be given two doses, four weeks apart. | | | | | |

Some of these vaccines may be given in combination, meaning fewer shots.

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✓ Can be given as early as 12 months, if there is six months since third dose.

Missouri's immunization schedule is compatible with the current recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practice (ACIP) of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) and the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP). For more information, please call the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services' Immunizations Program at 800.219.3224 or visit www.health.mo.gov/immunizations.



Make sure your child stays on schedule.



Ask your health care provider about free vaccines from the Vaccines for Children program.



Have you had your recommended immunizations? Immunizations aren't just for kids!