

New Zealand National Immunisation Schedule

Updated June 2023

	RV	DTaP-IPV-HepB/Hib	PCV	MenB	MMR	Hib	VV	DTaP-IPV	Tdap	HPV	Influenza	COVID-19	ZV	
Every pregnancy									Boostrix® from 2nd trimester		Any trimester - see below	Comirnaty® any trimester		
Birth vaccines	High risk babies, eligible for birth hepatitis B and/or BCG (tuberculosis) vaccines. See over page for more details.													
6 weeks	Rotarix®	Infanrix®-hexa	Prevenar 13®											
2 months				Bexsero®†										
3 months	Rotarix®	Infanrix®-hexa	Prevenar 13®*	Bexsero®										
4 months				Bexsero®†										
5 months		Infanrix®-hexa	Prevenar 13®	Bexsero®										
6 months											Seasonal influenza vaccines are available for eligible persons from 6mths of age: visit immunisation.org.nz for eligibility criteria and vaccine brands	COVID-19 vaccines available for eligible persons from 6mths of age: see Immisation Handbook for details		
12 months			Prevenar 13®	Bexsero®	Priorix®									
15 months					Priorix®	Hiberix®	Varivax®							
4 years								Infanrix®-IPV						
School year 7 (11 years)									Boostrix®					
School year 8 (12 years)										Gardasil® 9 two doses				
45 years									Boostrix®					
65 years									Boostrix®			Shingrix® two doses		
*An additional dose of Prevenar 13 is given at 3months to children with an eligible medical condition. Children with high pneumococcal-risk conditions may be eligible for 23PPV. Check the 'special groups' eligibility in the online Immunisation Handbook.										†Alternative approved schedule for MenB: 2 months; 4 months; Booster at 12 months.				

VACCINE KEY

RV: rotavirus (Rotarix)

DTaP-IPV-HepB/Hib: diphtheria, tetanus, acellular pertussis, polio, hepatitis B, *Haemophilus influenzae* type b (Infanrix-hexa)

PCV: pneumococcal conjugate vaccine (Prevenar 13)

MenB: meningococcal B vaccine (Bexsero)

Hib: *Haemophilus influenzae* type b (Hiberix)

VV: varicella (chickenpox) vaccine (Varivax)

MMR: measles, mumps, rubella (Priorix)

DTaP-IPV: diphtheria, tetanus, acellular pertussis, polio (Infanrix-IPV)

Tdap: tetanus, diphtheria, acellular pertussis (Boostrix)

HPV: human papillomavirus (Gardasil 9)

ZV: zoster (shingles) vaccine (Shingrix)



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Funded vaccines for special groups from 1 March 2023

To determine whether your patient meets the eligibility criteria, please check the specific eligibility details described on the Pharmaceutical Schedule (www.pharmac.govt.nz) for every vaccine listed below. Please refer to the current Immunisation Handbook for vaccine administration schedules.

<p>Adolescents and young people 13–25 years inclusively entering specified close-living situations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meningococcal vaccines 	<p>Immunodeficiency – primary or secondary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hib, influenza, meningococcal, and pneumococcal vaccines
<p>Asplenia - Functional or Pre- or Post-Splenectomy Immunisation Programme</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hib, influenza, meningococcal, pneumococcal, and Tdap vaccines 	<p>Influenza Immunisation Programme</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Influenza vaccine <p>Visit influenza.org.nz to see the current eligibility criteria and funded influenza vaccine brands.</p>
<p>Chemotherapy - following</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hib, HPV, influenza, pneumococcal, Tdap, and varicella vaccines <p>Also consider immunosuppression for longer than 28 days</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hepatitis B and meningococcal vaccines 	<p>Kidney disease</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hepatitis B, Hib, influenza, pneumococcal, Tdap, and varicella vaccines
<p>Cochlear implant</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hib, influenza, and pneumococcal vaccines 	<p>Liver disease</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hepatitis A and varicella vaccines
<p>Error of metabolism at risk of major metabolic decompensation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Influenza and varicella vaccines 	<p>Meningococcal disease case - contact with</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meningococcal vaccine
<p>Haematopoietic stem cell transplantation (HSCT) - following</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hib, HPV, influenza, meningococcal, pneumococcal, Tdap, and varicella vaccines <p>Also consider immunosuppression for longer than 28 days</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hepatitis B vaccine 	<p>Needle stick injury - following</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hepatitis B vaccine
<p>Hepatitis A case - contact with</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hepatitis A vaccine 	<p>Non-consensual sexual intercourse - following</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hepatitis B vaccine
<p>Hepatitis B case - contact with</p> <p>Infants born to mothers who are hepatitis B surface antigen (HBsAg) positive</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hepatitis B vaccine and hepatitis B immunoglobulin (HBIG) at birth <p>Household and sexual contacts of known acute hepatitis B cases or carriers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hepatitis B vaccine 	<p>Neonatal Intensive Care Unit or Specialist Care Baby Unit admission more than 3 days</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tdap for parents/primary caregivers if maternal Tdap not given at least 14 days before birth
<p>Hepatitis C positive</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hepatitis B vaccine 	<p>Pneumococcal disease - increased risk</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additional pneumococcal vaccines
<p>HIV positive</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hepatitis B, HPV, influenza, meningococcal, pneumococcal, and varicella vaccines 	<p>Pregnancy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Influenza and Tdap vaccines in every pregnancy
<p>Immunosuppression</p> <p>Household contacts of children or adults who will be/are immunosuppressed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Varicella vaccine <p>Prior to elective immunosuppression for longer than 28 days</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Varicella vaccine <p>Following immunosuppression for longer than 28 days</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hepatitis B, Hib, influenza, meningococcal, and Tdap vaccines 	<p>Solid organ transplantation</p> <p>Prior to solid organ transplantation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hepatitis A, hepatitis B, Hib, meningococcal, pneumococcal, Tdap, and varicella vaccines <p>Following solid organ transplantation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hepatitis A, hepatitis B, Hib, HPV, influenza, meningococcal, pneumococcal, and Tdap vaccines
	<p>Tuberculosis - infants and children aged under 5 years at risk of tuberculosis (TB) exposure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BCG vaccine

VACCINE KEY

BCG: tuberculosis

Hib: *Haemophilus influenzae* type b

HPV: human papillomavirus

IPV: inactivated polio vaccine

Tdap: tetanus, diphtheria, acellular pertussis

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