

BC Routine Immunization Schedule INFANTS & CHILDREN

Child's Age

Vaccine (Click on the vaccine name to view the vaccine HealthLinkBC file)	2 Months	4 Months	6 Months	12 Months	18 Months	Starting at 4 years (kindergarten entry)	
DTaP-HB-IPV-Hib (diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, hepatitis B, polio, Haemophilus influenzae type b)	✓	✓	✓				
Pneumococcal Conjugate [‡]	✓	✓		✓			
Rotavirus	✓	✓					
Meningococcal C Conjugate	✓			✓			
MMR (measles, mumps, rubella)				✓			
Varicella (chickenpox)				✓			
DTaP-IPV-Hib (diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio, Haemophilus influenzae type b)					✓		
Tdap-IPV (tetanus, diphtheria, pertussis, polio)						✓	
MMRV¶ (measles, mumps, rubella, varicella)						✓	
Influenza* (Inactivated and Live-Attenuated)			√	(yearly for children 6 months of age and older)			
Hepatitis A* (for Indigenous children only)			✓		✓		

COVID-19 vaccination is recommended and free for people 6 months of age and older. Get information about <u>COVID-19 vaccines</u>.

- ‡ Children with specific medical conditions that place them at high risk of disease should receive an additional dose at 6 months of age. See the HealthLinkBC File for more information on vaccine eligibility or speak to your health care provider.
- ¶ Children who had chickenpox or shingles disease, confirmed by a lab test, at 1 year of age or older do not need the chickenpox vaccine and should get the MMR vaccine at 4 years of age.
- * A second dose is needed 4 weeks after the first dose if receiving vaccine for the first time.
- ♦ Hepatitis A vaccine is offered to Indigenous children living both on-reserve and off-reserve.