



# Huron County Public Health



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## CONTACT INFORMATION



### MISSION STATEMENT

To achieve and sustain healthy people and healthy communities throughout Huron County by providing public health services which promote health and prevent disease.

### VISION STATEMENT

Working in collaboration with our partnering organizations and communities, Huron County will become leaders and innovators in achieving and optimal health status for its citizens. In this quest, HCPH will apply best practices and demonstrate operational excellence while addressing chronic disease prevention, environmental safety, behavioral education, and preparedness.

### FOR PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCIES OR TO REPORT A COMMUNICABLE DISEASE:

#### DURING BUSINESS HOURS

Monday: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
Tuesday through Friday: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
Call (419) 668-1652. Dial Ext. 269 to reach a staff member.  
Explain the emergency and you will be transferred to the appropriate staff.

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### AFTER BUSINESS HOURS

To report a public health emergency after hours, please call Huron County Public Health at 800-734-4866.

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Greenwich, OH 44837

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# **COMMUNICABLE DISEASE REPORTING**

## Know Your ABCs: A Quick Guide to Reportable Infectious Diseases in Ohio

From the Ohio Administrative Code Chapter 3701-3; Effective August 1, 2019

### Class A:

Diseases of major public health concern because of the severity of disease or potential for epidemic spread – report immediately via telephone upon recognition that a case, a suspected case, or a positive laboratory result exists.

- Anthrax
- Botulism, foodborne
- Cholera
- Diphtheria
- Influenza A – novel virus infection
- Measles
- Meningococcal disease
- Middle East Respiratory Syndrome (MERS)
- Plague
- Rabies, human
- Rubella (not congenital)
- Severe acute respiratory syndrome (SARS)
- Smallpox
- Tularemia
- Viral hemorrhagic fever (VHF), including Ebola virus disease, Lassa fever, Marburg hemorrhagic fever, and Crimean-Congo hemorrhagic fever

Any unexpected pattern of cases, suspected cases, deaths or increased incidence of any other disease of major public health concern, because of the severity of disease or potential for epidemic spread, which may indicate a newly recognized infectious agent, outbreak, epidemic, related public health hazard or act of bioterrorism.

### Class B:

Disease of public health concern needing timely response because of potential for epidemic spread – report by the end of the next business day after the existence of a case, a suspected case, or a positive laboratory result is known.

- Amebiasis
- Arboviral neuroinvasive and non-neuroinvasive disease:
  - Chikungunya virus infection
  - Eastern equine encephalitis virus disease
  - LaCrosse virus disease (other California serogroup virus disease)
  - Powassan virus disease
  - St. Louis encephalitis virus disease
  - West Nile virus infection
  - Western equine encephalitis virus disease
  - Yellow fever
  - Zika virus infection
  - Other arthropod-borne diseases
- Babesiosis
- Botulism
  - infant
  - wound
- Brucellosis
- Campylobacteriosis
- *Candida auris*
- Carbapenemase-producing carbapenem-resistant Enterobacteriaceae (CP-CRE)
  - CP-CRE *Enterobacter* spp.
  - CP-CRE *Escherichia coli*
  - CP-CRE *Klebsiella* spp.
  - CP-CRE other
- Chancroid
- *Chlamydia trachomatis* infections
- Coccidioidomycosis
- Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease (CJD)
- Cryptosporidiosis
- Cyclosporiasis
- Dengue
- *E. coli* O157:H7 and Shiga toxin-producing *E. coli* (STEC)
- Ehrlichiosis/anaplasmosis
- Giardiasis
- Gonorrhea (*Neisseria gonorrhoeae*)
- *Haemophilus influenzae* (invasive disease)
- Hantavirus
- Hemolytic uremic syndrome (HUS)
- Hepatitis A
- Hepatitis B (non-perinatal)
- Hepatitis B (perinatal)
- Hepatitis C (non-perinatal)
- Hepatitis C (perinatal)
- Hepatitis D (delta hepatitis)
- Hepatitis E
- Influenza-associated hospitalization
- Influenza-associated pediatric mortality
- Legionnaires' disease
- Leprosy (Hansen disease)
- Leptospirosis
- Listeriosis
- Lyme disease
- Malaria
- Meningitis:
  - Aseptic (viral)
  - Bacterial
- Mumps
- Pertussis
- Poliomyelitis (including vaccine-associated cases)
- Psittacosis
- Q fever
- Rubella (congenital)
- *Salmonella* Paratyphi infection
- *Salmonella* Typhi infection (typhoid fever)
- Salmonellosis
- Shigellosis
- Spotted Fever Rickettsiosis, including Rocky Mountain spotted fever (RMSF)
- *Staphylococcus aureus*, with resistance or intermediate resistance to vancomycin (VRSA, VISA)
- Streptococcal disease, group A, invasive (IGAS)
- Streptococcal disease, group B, in newborn
- Streptococcal toxic shock syndrome (STSS)
- *Streptococcus pneumoniae*, invasive disease (ISP)
- Syphilis
- Tetanus
- Toxic shock syndrome (TSS)
- Trichinellosis
- Tuberculosis (TB), including multi-drug resistant tuberculosis (MDR-TB)
- Varicella
- Vibriosis
- Yersiniosis

### Class C:

Report an outbreak, unusual incident or epidemic of other diseases (e.g. histoplasmosis, pediculosis, scabies, staphylococcal infections) by the end of the next business day.

Outbreaks:

- Community
- Foodborne
- Healthcare-associated
- Institutional
- Waterborne
- Zoonotic

#### NOTE:

Cases of AIDS (acquired immune deficiency syndrome), AIDS-related conditions, HIV (human immunodeficiency virus) infection, perinatal exposure to HIV, all CD4 T-lymphocyte counts and all tests used to diagnose HIV must be reported on forms and in a manner prescribed by the Director.

**Know Your ABCs (Alphabetical Order)**

Effective August 1, 2019

Name	Class
Amebiasis	B
Anthrax	A
Arboviral neuroinvasive and non-neuroinvasive disease	B
Babesiosis	B
Botulism, foodborne	A
Botulism, infant	B
Botulism, wound	B
Brucellosis	B
Campylobacteriosis	B
<i>Candida auris</i>	B
Carbapenemase-producing carbapenem-resistant Enterobacteriaceae (CP-CRE)	B
Chancroid	B
<i>Chlamydia trachomatis</i> infections	B
Chikungunya	B
Cholera	A
Coccidioidomycosis	B
Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease (CJD)	B
Cryptosporidiosis	B
Cyclosporiasis	B
Dengue	B
Diphtheria	A
<i>E. coli</i> O157:H7 and Shiga toxin-producing <i>E. coli</i> (STEC)	B
Eastern equine encephalitis virus disease	B
Ehrlichiosis/Anaplasmosis	B
Giardiasis	B
Gonorrhea ( <i>Neisseria gonorrhoeae</i> )	B
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> (invasive disease)	B
Hantavirus	B
Hemolytic uremic syndrome (HUS)	B
Hepatitis A	B
Hepatitis B (non-perinatal)	B
Hepatitis B (perinatal)	B
Hepatitis C (non-perinatal)	B
Hepatitis C (perinatal)	B
Hepatitis D (delta hepatitis)	B
Hepatitis E	B
Influenza A – novel virus	A
Influenza-associated hospitalization	B
Influenza-associated pediatric mortality	B
LaCrosse virus disease (other California serogroup virus disease)	B
Legionnaires’ disease	B
Leprosy (Hansen disease)	B
Leptospirosis	B
Listeriosis	B
Lyme disease	B
Malaria	B

Name	Class
Measles	A
Meningitis, aseptic (viral)	B
Meningitis, bacterial	B
Meningococcal disease	A
MERS	A
Mumps	B
Other arthropod-borne diseases	B
Outbreaks: community, foodborne, healthcare-associated, institutional, waterborne, zoonotic	C
Pertussis	B
Plague	A
Poliomyelitis (including vaccine-associated cases)	B
Powassan virus disease	B
Psittacosis	B
Q fever	B
Rabies, human	A
Rubella (congenital)	B
Rubella (not congenital)	A
<i>Salmonella</i> Paratyphi infection	B
<i>Salmonella</i> Typhi infection (typhoid fever)	B
Salmonellosis	B
Severe acute respiratory syndrome (SARS)	A
Shigellosis	B
Smallpox	A
Spotted Fever Rickettsiosis, including Rocky Mountain spotted fever (RMSF)	B
St. Louis encephalitis virus disease	B
<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> , with resistance or intermediate resistance to vancomycin (VRSA, VISA)	B
Streptococcal disease, group A, invasive (IGAS)	B
Streptococcal disease, group B, in newborn	B
Streptococcal toxic shock syndrome (STSS)	B
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> , invasive disease (ISP)	B
Syphilis	B
Tetanus	B
Toxic shock syndrome	B
Trichinellosis	B
Tuberculosis (TB), including multi-drug resistant tuberculosis (MDR-TB)	B
Tularemia	A
Varicella	B
Vibriosis	B
Viral hemorrhagic fever (VHF)	A
West Nile virus infection	B
Western equine encephalitis virus disease	B
Yellow fever	B
Yersiniosis	B
Zika virus infection	B

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## ADDITIONAL COMMUNICABLE DISEASE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS:

### **COVID-19 (Class A Reportable Disease with Special Reporting Requirements)**

Per the Ohio Department of Health's Director's Journal Entry dated April 4, 2022, Confirmed and Probable cases of COVID-19 be reported within twenty-four (24) hours to the local health district in which the person resides (or the local health district wherein the person is being medically evaluated if the person's residence is unknown or not in Ohio). Additional details can be found in the Director's Journal Entry here: [2nd-Amended-Reporting-Requirements-COVID-April22.pdf \(ohio.gov\)](#).

### **Monkeypox (Class B Reportable Disease)**

Per the Ohio Department of Health's Director's Journal Entry dated July 27, 2022, health care providers, as defined in R.C. 3701.23(A), or any individual having knowledge of a person suffering from MPV, report the infection or suspected infection to the health district in which the patient resides (or the health district wherein the infection or suspected infection is being medically evaluated if the patient's residence is unknown or not in Ohio) by the end of the next business day pursuant to Ohio Adm. Code 3701-3-05(B). Such health district shall report infections or suspected infections to the Ohio Department of Health pursuant to Ohio R.C. 3701.23 and Ohio Adm. Code 3701-3-06. Additional details can be found in the Director's Journal Entry here: [Directors+Journal+07-27-22+Monkeypox+CERTIF.pdf \(ohio.gov\)](#).

## Ohio Department of Health Ohio Confidential Reportable Disease

Use this form to submit reportable infectious diseases to your local health department (**Do not** use this form to report HIV/AIDS)

<b>Disease reported</b>				<b>ODRS number</b>	
Patient's last name		First name	Middle name (or initial and/or suffix)		Medical record number
Address (number and street)				County	
City		State	ZIP	Patient expired? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
Home telephone (    )		Work telephone (    )		Alternate number (    )	
Birthdate (month/day/year) / /	Age	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Pregnant <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown		Delivery date / /
Race (check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaskan Native <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> African American <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____				Ethnicity (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Hispanic	Was patient contacted? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> No
Sensitive occupation? (Check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> Food handler <input type="checkbox"/> Direct patient-care <input type="checkbox"/> Child care attendee/staff <input type="checkbox"/> Long-term care resident/staff <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		Name of facility			
		Address of facility			

Parent, guardian, or alternate contact name		Phone
Health care provider name		Phone
Health care provider address		
Health care facility name		Phone
Health care facility address		
<b>Submitted by</b> (contact name, facility)		Phone

<b>Date of report</b> / /	Status <input type="checkbox"/> Laboratory confirmed <input type="checkbox"/> Clinically diagnosed (list symptoms) _____		Date of result / /
Date of onset / /	Laboratory name		Phone (    )
Date of diagnosis / /	Laboratory address		
Hospital admission / /	Date of specimen collection / /	Reason for test <input type="checkbox"/> Dx <input type="checkbox"/> Prenatal <input type="checkbox"/> Repeat pos	Specific type of test (e.g. smear, culture, ELISA)
Hospital discharge / /	Specimen site/type <input type="checkbox"/> Blood <input type="checkbox"/> Stool <input type="checkbox"/> CSF <input type="checkbox"/> Urine <input type="checkbox"/> Cervix <input type="checkbox"/> Urethra <input type="checkbox"/> Sputum <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		
Date of death / /	Treatment <input type="checkbox"/> Treated <input type="checkbox"/> Untreated: <input type="radio"/> Will treat <input type="radio"/> Unable to contact <input type="radio"/> Refused treatment <input type="radio"/> Referred to: _____		
	Date treatment initiated / /	Detail drugs/dose/route	

Remarks <u>Drug Allergies?</u> _____ <u>Method of Detection?</u> _____
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Please submit to: Huron County Public Health Attn:Melissa Caranfa 28 Executive Drive Norwalk, Ohio 44857	Fax to 419-668-0152	Email: mcaranfa@huroncohealth.com
Phone: 419-668-1652 ext. 269		

# Varicella (Chicken Pox) Report Form

Huron County Public Health– Epidemiology and Surveillance

## Demographic Information

Child's Name		Parent's Name	
Address			
City		County	Zip
Phone		Date of Birth / Age	
Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Race: <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Am Indian	<input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Other	Ethnicity: <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Hispanic

## Clinical Information

Rash: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown Onset Date: ___/___/___	Received Varicella Vaccine: (check appropriate box) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Location of rash _____ Fever: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown 1 <sup>st</sup> date child absent: ___/___/___ (due to chickenpox)	If yes, date(s) of vaccination: Varicella (VZV) dose 1: ___/___/___ Varicella (VZV) dose 2: ___/___/___

Severity of Varicella: (check appropriate box)

<input type="checkbox"/> < 50 lesions (Severity I)	<input type="checkbox"/> 50 – 500 lesions (Severity II)	<input type="checkbox"/> > 500 lesions (Severity III)
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Hospitalized: (check appropriate box) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Outcome: (check appropriate box) <input type="checkbox"/> Alive <input type="checkbox"/> Dead <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
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Diagnosed by: (check appropriate box)

Physician/Nurse  School  Parent  Self  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Reported date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Report Source:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Agency/Site \_\_\_\_\_

(check appropriate box)

School  Pre-school/Childcare  Physician  Lab

Phone number (should further information be needed): \_\_\_\_\_

## Reporting Information

When you have cases of chicken pox, please fax reports at the end of each week to:

419-668-0152

## Ohio Department of Health Influenza-Associated Hospitalization Confidential Case Report

**Person demographics**

ODRS ID number			
Last name		First name	Middle name
Street			County
City		State	ZIP
Date of birth / /		Age	Phone number ( )
Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Race (Check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Hawaiian Native or Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaskan Native <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown		Ethnicity <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Non Hispanic or Non Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Pregnant? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Deceased? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Date of death / /	

**Laboratory information**

Test type	Result	Specimen collection date
<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial rapid diagnostic test	<input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza B <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A/B (Not distinguished)	/ /
<input type="checkbox"/> Viral culture	<input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A (Subtyping not done) <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza B <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A (Unable to subtype) <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A Seasonal (H1) <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A (H3) <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A (2009) H1N1	/ /
<input type="checkbox"/> Direct fluorescent antibody (DFA)	<input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza B <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A/B	/ /
<input type="checkbox"/> Indirect fluorescent antibody (IFA)	<input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza B <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A/B	/ /
<input type="checkbox"/> Enzyme immunoassay (EIA)	<input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A (Subtyping not done) <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza B <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A (Unable to subtype) <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A Seasonal (H1) <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A (H3) <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A (2009) H1N1	/ /
<input type="checkbox"/> RT-PCR	<input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A (Subtyping not done) <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza B <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A (Unable to subtype) <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A Seasonal (H1) <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A (H3) <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A (2009) H1N1	/ /
<input type="checkbox"/> Rapid Molecular Assay	<input type="checkbox"/> Influenza A <input type="checkbox"/> Influenza B <input type="checkbox"/> Negative	/ /

**Public Health Desk Reference**

Date of illness onset / /	Clinician name	Clinician phone # ( )	
Was patient hospitalized? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Hospital	Date of admission / /	
Date of discharge / /	Medical record number	Does patient have neurological symptoms? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Was the patient in the ICU? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown

**Culture confirmation of *invasive* bacterial pathogens**

Was an invasive bacterial infection confirmed by culturing an organism from a specimen collected from a normally sterile site (e.g., blood, cerebrospinal fluid [CSF], tissue, or pleural fluid)?

- Yes  No
- Streptococcus pneumoniae       *Staphylococcus aureus*, methicillin sensitive
- Haemophilus influenzae* type b       *Staphylococcus aureus*, methicillin resistant (MRSA)
- Haemophilus influenzae* not-type b       *Staphylococcus aureus*, sensitivity not done
- Group A streptococcus       *Neisseria meningitidis* (serogroup, if known) \_\_\_\_\_
- Other invasive bacteria \_\_\_\_\_

**Epidemiology information**

Did patient travel out of the country during the 10 days prior to illness?       Yes       No       Unknown

If yes, then list where and when:

- is the patient a healthcare worker with direct patient contact?       Yes       No       Unknown
- Does the patient have a heart, kidney, or metabolic disorder?       Yes       No       Unknown
- Does the patient have a chronic respiratory disorder?       Yes       No       Unknown
- Is the patient immunosuppressed?       Yes       No       Unknown

**Vaccination information**

Did patient receive an influenza vaccine during the current influenza season?       Yes       No       Unknown

If yes, number of doses:	Date of vaccination: / /	Date of vaccination: / /	Date of vaccination: / /
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**VAERS** Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System  
www.vaers.hhs.gov

Adverse events are possible reactions or problems that occur during or after vaccination. Items **2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 17, 18 and 21** are **ESSENTIAL** and should be completed. Patient identity is kept confidential. Instructions are provided on the last two pages.

**INFORMATION ABOUT THE PATIENT WHO RECEIVED THE VACCINE (Use Continuation Page if needed)**

1. Patient name: (first) _____ (last) _____ Street address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ County: _____ ZIP code: _____ Phone: ( ) _____ Email: _____		9. Prescriptions, over-the-counter medications, dietary supplements, or herbal remedies being taken at the time of vaccination:
2. Date of birth: (mm/dd/yyyy) _____ 3. Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	4. Date and time of vaccination: (mm/dd/yyyy) _____ Time: hh:mm _____ <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM	10. Allergies to medications, food, or other products:
5. Date and time adverse event started: (mm/dd/yyyy) _____ Time: hh:mm _____ <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM	6. Age at vaccination: _____ Years _____ Months 7. Today's date: (mm/dd/yyyy) _____	11. Other illnesses at the time of vaccination and up to one month prior:
8. Pregnant at time of vaccination?: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown (If yes, describe the event, any pregnancy complications, and estimated due date if known in item 18)	12. Chronic or long-standing health conditions:	

**INFORMATION ABOUT THE PERSON COMPLETING THIS FORM**

**INFORMATION ABOUT THE FACILITY WHERE VACCINE WAS GIVEN**

13. Form completed by: (name) _____ Relation to patient: <input type="checkbox"/> Healthcare professional/staff <input type="checkbox"/> Patient (yourself) <input type="checkbox"/> Parent/guardian/caregiver <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ Street address: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Check if same as item 1 City: _____ State: _____ ZIP code: _____ Phone: ( ) _____ Email: _____	15. Facility/clinic name: _____ Fax: ( ) _____ Street address: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Check if same as item 13 City: _____ State: _____ ZIP code: _____ Phone: ( ) _____	16. Type of facility: (Check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Doctor's office, urgent care, or hospital <input type="checkbox"/> Pharmacy or store <input type="checkbox"/> Workplace clinic <input type="checkbox"/> Public health clinic <input type="checkbox"/> Nursing home or senior living facility <input type="checkbox"/> School or student health clinic <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
14. Best doctor/healthcare professional to contact about the adverse event: Name: _____ Phone: ( ) _____ Ext: _____		

**WHICH VACCINES WERE GIVEN? WHAT HAPPENED TO THE PATIENT?**

17. Enter all vaccines given on the date listed in item 4: (Route is HOW vaccine was given, Body site is WHERE vaccine was given) Use Continuation Page if needed						Dose number in series
Vaccine (type and brand name)	Manufacturer	Lot number	Route	Body site		
select			select	select		select
select			select	select		select
select			select	select		select
select			select	select		select
18. Describe the adverse event(s), treatment, and outcome(s), if any: (symptoms, signs, time course, etc.)						21. Result or outcome of adverse event(s): (Check all that apply)
Use Continuation Page if needed						<input type="checkbox"/> Doctor or other healthcare professional office/clinic visit
						<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency room/department or urgent care
Use Continuation Page if needed						<input type="checkbox"/> Hospitalization: Number of days (if known) _____ Hospital name: _____ City: _____ State: _____
						<input type="checkbox"/> Prolongation of existing hospitalization (vaccine received during existing hospitalization)
Use Continuation Page if needed						<input type="checkbox"/> Life threatening illness (immediate risk of death from the event)
						<input type="checkbox"/> Disability or permanent damage
19. Medical tests and laboratory results related to the adverse event(s): (include dates)						<input type="checkbox"/> Patient died – Date of death: (mm/dd/yyyy) _____
Use Continuation Page if needed						<input type="checkbox"/> Congenital anomaly or birth defect
						<input type="checkbox"/> None of the above
20. Has the patient recovered from the adverse event(s)?: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown						

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

22. Any other vaccines received within one month prior to the date listed in item 4: Use Continuation Page if needed							Dose number in series	Date Given
Vaccine (type and brand name)	Manufacturer	Lot number	Route	Body site				
select			select	select			select	
select			select	select			select	
23. Has the patient ever had an adverse event following any previous vaccine?: (If yes, describe adverse event, patient age at vaccination, vaccination dates, vaccine type, and brand name) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown								
24. Patient's race: <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander (Check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____								
25. Patient's ethnicity: <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Not Hispanic or Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown						26. Immuniz. proj. report number: (Health Dept use only) _____		

**COMPLETE ONLY FOR U.S. MILITARY/DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE (DoD) RELATED REPORTS**

27. Status at vaccination: <input type="checkbox"/> Active duty <input type="checkbox"/> Reserve <input type="checkbox"/> National Guard <input type="checkbox"/> Beneficiary <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	28. Vaccinated at Military/DoD site: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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**VAERS**

**CONTINUATION PAGE** (Use only if you need more space from the front page)

17. Enter all vaccines given on the date listed in item 4 (continued):						Dose number in series
Vaccine (type and brand name)	Manufacturer	Lot number	Route	Body site		
select			select	select		select
select			select	select		select
select			select	select		select
select			select	select		select

22. Any other vaccines received within one month prior to the date listed in item 4 (continued):						Dose number in series	Date Given
Vaccine (type and brand name)	Manufacturer	Lot number	Route	Body site			
select			select	select		select	
select			select	select		select	
select			select	select		select	
select			select	select		select	
select			select	select		select	
select			select	select		select	

Use the space below to provide any additional information (indicate item number):

## COMPLETING THE VACCINE ADVERSE EVENT REPORTING SYSTEM (VAERS) FORM

### GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

- Submit this form electronically using the Internet. For instructions, visit [www.vaers.hhs.gov/uploadfile/](http://www.vaers.hhs.gov/uploadfile/).
- If you are unable to submit this form electronically, you may fax it to VAERS at 1-877-721-0366.
- If you need additional help submitting a report you may call the VAERS toll-free information line at 1-800-822-7967, or send an email to [info@vaers.org](mailto:info@vaers.org).
- Fill out the VAERS form as completely as possible and use the **Continuation Page** if needed. Use a separate VAERS form for each individual patient.
- If you do not know exact numbers, dates, or times, please provide your best guess. You may leave these spaces blank if you are not comfortable guessing.
- You can get specific information on the vaccine and vaccine lot number by contacting the facility or clinic where the vaccine was administered.
- Please report all significant adverse events that occur after vaccination of adults and children, even if you are not sure whether the vaccine caused the adverse event.
- Healthcare professionals should refer to the VAERS Table of Reportable Events at [www.vaers.hhs.gov/reportable.html](http://www.vaers.hhs.gov/reportable.html) for the list of adverse events that must be reported by law (42 USC 300aa-25).
- Healthcare professionals treating a patient for a suspected vaccine adverse event may need to contact the person who administered the vaccine in order to exchange information and decide how best to complete and submit the VAERS form.

### SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS

**Items 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 17, 18 and 21** are **ESSENTIAL** and should be completed.

- **Items 4 and 5:** Provide dates and times as specifically as you can and enter as much information as possible (e.g., enter the month and year even if you don't know the day). If you do not know the exact time, but know it was in the morning ("AM") or afternoon or evening ("PM"), please provide that information.
- **Item 6:** If you fill in the form by hand, provide age in years. If a child is less than 1 year old, provide months of age. If a child is more than 1 year old but less than 2 years old, provide year and months (e.g., 1 year and 6 months). If a child is less than 1 month of age when vaccinated (e.g., a birth dose of hepatitis B vaccine) then answer 0 years and 0 months, but be sure to include the patient's date of birth (item 2) and date and time of vaccination (item 4).
- **Item 8:** If the patient who received the vaccine was pregnant at time of vaccination, select "Yes" and describe the event, any pregnancy complications, and estimated due date if known in item 18. Otherwise, select "No" or "Unknown."
- **Item 9:** List any prescriptions, over-the-counter medications, dietary supplements, herbal remedies, or other non-traditional/alternative medicines being taken by the patient when the vaccine(s) was given.
- **Item 10:** List any allergies the patient has to medications, foods, or other products.
- **Item 11:** List any short-term or acute illnesses the patient had on the date of vaccination AND up to one month prior to this date (e.g., cold, stomach flu, ear infection, etc.). This does **NOT** include the adverse event you are reporting.
- **Item 12:** List any chronic or long-standing health conditions the patient has (e.g., asthma, diabetes, heart disease).
- **Item 13:** List the name of the person who is completing the form. Select the "Check if same as item 1" box if you are the patient or if you live at the same address as the patient. The contact information you provided in item 1 will be automatically entered for you. Otherwise, please provide new contact information.
- **Item 14:** List the doctor or other healthcare professional who is the best person to contact to discuss the clinical details of the adverse event.
- **Item 15:** Select the "Check if same as item 13" box if the person completing the form works at the facility that administered the vaccine(s). The contact information provided in item 13 will be automatically entered for you. Otherwise, provide new contact information.
- **Item 16:** Select the option that best describes the type of facility where the vaccine(s) was given.

- **Item 17:** Include only vaccines given on the date provided in item 4. The vaccine route options include:

- |   |                      |                   |
|---|----------------------|-------------------|
| • Injection/shot (intramuscular, subcutaneous, intradermal, jet injection, and unknown) | • By mouth/oral      | • Other (specify) |
|   | • In nose/intranasal | • Unknown         |

For body site, the options include:

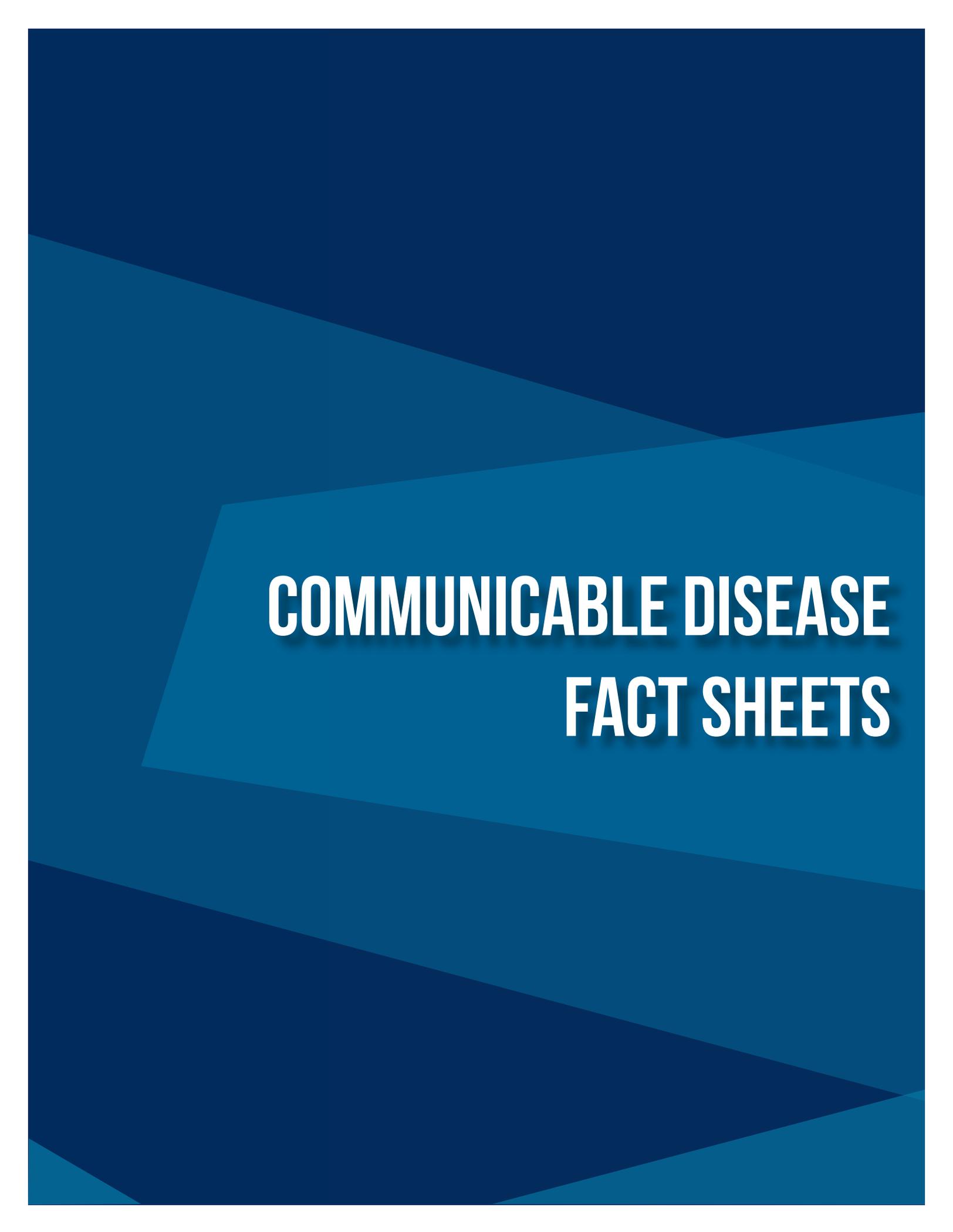
- |                      |                        |         |                   |
|----------------------|------------------------|---------|-------------------|
| • Right arm          | • Right thigh          | • Nose  | • Other (specify) |
| • Left arm           | • Left thigh           | • Mouth | • Unknown         |
| • Arm (side unknown) | • Thigh (side unknown) |         |                   |

For vaccines given as a series (i.e., 2 or more doses of the same vaccine given to complete a series), list the dose number for the vaccine in the last column named "Dose number in series."

- **Item 18:** Describe the adverse event(s), treatment, and outcome(s). Include signs and symptoms, when the symptoms occurred, diagnosis, and treatment. Provide specific information if you can (e.g., if patient had a fever, provide the temperature).
- **Item 19:** List any medical tests and laboratory results related to the adverse event(s). Include abnormal findings as well as normal or negative findings.
- **Item 20:** Select "Yes" if the patient's health is the same as it was prior to the vaccination or "No" if the patient has not returned to the same state of health prior to the vaccination, and provide details in item 18. Select "Unknown" if the patient's present condition is not known.
- **Item 21:** Select the result(s) or outcome(s) for the patient. If the patient did not have any of the outcomes listed, select "None of the above." Prolongation of existing hospitalization means the patient received a vaccine during a hospital stay and an adverse event following vaccination occurred that resulted in the patient spending extra time in the hospital. Life threatening illness means you believe this adverse event could have resulted in the death of the patient.
- **Item 22:** List any other vaccines the patient received within one month prior to the vaccination date listed in item 4.
- **Item 23:** Describe the adverse event(s) following any previous vaccine(s). Include patient age at vaccination, dates of vaccination, vaccine type, and brand name.
- **Item 24:** Check all races that apply.
- **Item 25:** Check the single best answer for ethnicity.
- **Item 26:** For health department use only.
- **Items 27 and 28:** Complete only for U.S. Military or Department of Defense related reports. In addition to active duty service members, Reserve and National Guard members, beneficiaries include: retirees, their families, survivors, certain former spouses, and others who are registered in the Defense Enrollment Eligibility Reporting System (DEERS).

## GENERAL INFORMATION

- VAERS ([www.vaers.hhs.gov](http://www.vaers.hhs.gov)) is a national vaccine safety monitoring system that collects information about adverse events (possible reactions or problems) that occur during or after administration of vaccines licensed in the United States.
- VAERS protects patient identity and keeps patient identifying information confidential.
- The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) Privacy Rule permits reporting of protected health information to public health authorities including the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) (45 CFR § 164.512(b)).
- VAERS accepts all reports without judging the importance of the adverse event or whether a vaccine caused the adverse event.
- Acceptance of a VAERS report by CDC and FDA does not constitute admission that the vaccine or healthcare personnel caused or contributed to the reported event.
- The National Vaccine Injury Compensation Program (VICP) is administered by the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA). The VICP is separate from the VAERS program and reporting an event to VAERS does not constitute filing a claim for compensation to the VICP (see [www.hrsa.gov/vaccinecompensation/index.html](http://www.hrsa.gov/vaccinecompensation/index.html)).
- Knowingly filing a false VAERS report with the intent to mislead the Department of Health and Human Services is a violation of Federal law (18 U.S. Code § 1001) punishable by fine and imprisonment.



# **COMMUNICABLE DISEASE FACT SHEETS**

# Huron County Public Health

## COMMUNICABLE DISEASE FACT SHEETS

*All communicable disease fact sheets are available online at*

*<https://www.huroncohealth.com/communicable-diseases>. For any questions regarding the fact sheets, call HCPH at 419-668-1652 ext. 269.*

### FACT SHEETS AVAILABLE

- Campylobacteriosis
- Chickenpox
- Chlamydia
- E. coli
- Giardiasis
- Gonorrhea
- Hand, Foot, and Mouth Disease
- Head Lice
- Hepatitis B
- Hepatitis C
- Lyme Disease
- Pertussis/Whooping Cough
- Salmonella
- Scabies
- Shigellosis
- Shingles
- Viral Meningitis

Visit the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's website for more information on communicable diseases:

<https://www.cdc.gov/diseasesconditions/index.html>.



# IMMUNIZATIONS

# Huron County Public Health



Huron County Public Health (HCPH) provides immunizations to all residents. Huron County Public Health participates in Vaccines for Children, a program that provides low-cost vaccines for infants and children through age 18 who do not have insurance coverage for immunizations. No child is turned away for Vaccines For Children (VFC) vaccines if their family is unable to pay for the shots.

## IMMUNIZATION CLINICS



### VACCINES AVAILABLE FOR INFANTS, CHILDREN, AND TEENS

- COVID-19
- DTap/Tdap (Tetanus, Diphtheria & Pertussis)
- Hepatitis A
- Hepatitis B
- Hib (Haemophilus b influenza)
- HPV (Gardasil)
- Influenza
- Meningitis
- Meningitis B
- MMR (Measles, Mumps, & Rubella)
- Polio
- Pneumococcal Conjugate
- Rotavirus
- Varicella (Chickenpox)

### VACCINES AVAILABLE FOR ADULTS AND TRAVEL VACCINES:

- COVID-19
- Hepatitis A
- Hepatitis B
- Influenza (including high dose & egg-free)
- Japanese Encephalitis (Special Order)
- Meningitis
- MMR (Measles, Mumps & Rubella)
- Pneumonia
- Rabies (Special Order)
- Shingles (Shingrix)
- Td (Tetanus & Diphtheria)
- Tdap (Tetanus, Diphtheria & Pertussis)
- Twinrix (Hepatitis A & B Combined)
- Typhoid
- Varicella (Chickenpox)
- Yellow Fever
- TB test (Tuberculosis)
- Polio
- HPV (Gardasil)

### Payments

We are an in-network provider for Medicaid, Medicare, & most private insurances. No child is turned away for Vaccines For Children (VFC) vaccines if their family is unable to pay for the shots. For families covered by out of network private insurance, we can give you a receipt to turn into your insurance company.

### Appointments Required

Norwalk office is located at 28 Executive Drive, Norwalk, OH 44857.

Willard office is located at 392 E Howard Street, Willard, OH 44890.

Appointments are also available in Bellevue, Greenwich, and New London.

Call Huron County Public Health to make an appointment at 419-668-1652 ext. 241.

Please bring an up-to-date record of all past immunizations.



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# Recommended Child and Adolescent Immunization Schedule for ages 18 years or younger

UNITED STATES  
2022

## Vaccines in the Child and Adolescent Immunization Schedule\*

Vaccine	Abbreviation(s)	Trade name(s)
Dengue vaccine	DEN4CYD	Dengvaxia®
Diphtheria, tetanus, and acellular pertussis vaccine	DTaP	Daptacel® Infanrix®
Diphtheria, tetanus vaccine	DT	No trade name
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b vaccine	Hib (PRP-T) Hib (PRP-OMP)	ActHIB® Hiberix® PedvaxHIB®
Hepatitis A vaccine	HepA	Havrix® Vaqta®
Hepatitis B vaccine	HepB	Engerix-B® Recombivax HB®
Human papillomavirus vaccine	HPV	Gardasil 9®
Influenza vaccine (inactivated)	IIV4	Multiple
Influenza vaccine (live, attenuated)	LAIV4	FluMist® Quadrivalent
Measles, mumps, and rubella vaccine	MMR	M-M-R II®
Meningococcal serogroups A, C, W, Y vaccine	MenACWY-D MenACWY-CRM MenACWY-TT	Menactra® Menveo® MenQuadfi®
Meningococcal serogroup B vaccine	MenB-4C MenB-FHbp	Bexsero® Trumenba®
Pneumococcal 13-valent conjugate vaccine	PCV13	Prevnar 13®
Pneumococcal 23-valent polysaccharide vaccine	PPSV23	Pneumovax 23®
Poliovirus vaccine (inactivated)	IPV	IPOl®
Rotavirus vaccine	RV1 RV5	Rotarix® RotaTeq®
Tetanus, diphtheria, and acellular pertussis vaccine	Tdap	Adacel® Boostrix®
Tetanus and diphtheria vaccine	Td	Tenivac® Tdvax™
Varicella vaccine	VAR	Varivax®
<b>Combination vaccines (use combination vaccines instead of separate injections when appropriate)</b>		
DTaP, hepatitis B, and inactivated poliovirus vaccine	DTaP-HepB-IPV	Pediarix®
DTaP, inactivated poliovirus, and <i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b vaccine	DTaP-IPV/Hib	Pentacel®
DTaP and inactivated poliovirus vaccine	DTaP-IPV	Kinrix® Quadracel®
DTaP, inactivated poliovirus, <i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b, and hepatitis B vaccine	DTaP-IPV-Hib-HepB	Vaxelis®
Measles, mumps, rubella, and varicella vaccine	MMRV	ProQuad®

\*Administer recommended vaccines if immunization history is incomplete or unknown. Do not restart or add doses to vaccine series for extended intervals between doses. When a vaccine is not administered at the recommended age, administer at a subsequent visit. The use of trade names is for identification purposes only and does not imply endorsement by the ACIP or CDC.

## How to use the child and adolescent immunization schedule

- 1** Determine recommended vaccine by age (**Table 1**)
- 2** Determine recommended interval for catch-up vaccination (**Table 2**)
- 3** Assess need for additional recommended vaccines by medical condition or other indication (**Table 3**)
- 4** Review vaccine types, frequencies, intervals, and considerations for special situations (**Notes**)
- 5** Review contraindications and precautions for vaccine types (**Appendix**)

Recommended by the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices ([www.cdc.gov/vaccines/acip](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/acip)) and approved by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ([www.cdc.gov](http://www.cdc.gov)), American Academy of Pediatrics ([www.aap.org](http://www.aap.org)), American Academy of Family Physicians ([www.aafp.org](http://www.aafp.org)), American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists ([www.acog.org](http://www.acog.org)), American College of Nurse-Midwives ([www.midwife.org](http://www.midwife.org)), American Academy of Physician Associates ([www.aapa.org](http://www.aapa.org)), and National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners ([www.napnap.org](http://www.napnap.org)).

### Report

- Suspected cases of reportable vaccine-preventable diseases or outbreaks to your state or local health department
- Clinically significant adverse events to the Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System (VAERS) at [www.vaers.hhs.gov](http://www.vaers.hhs.gov) or 800-822-7967

### Questions or comments

Contact [www.cdc.gov/cdc-info](http://www.cdc.gov/cdc-info) or 800-CDC-INFO (800-232-4636), in English or Spanish, 8 a.m.–8 p.m. ET, Monday through Friday, excluding holidays



Download the CDC Vaccine Schedules app for providers at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/hcp/schedule-app.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/hcp/schedule-app.html)

### Helpful information

- Complete Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) recommendations: [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/index.html)
- *General Best Practice Guidelines for Immunization* (including contraindications and precautions): [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/index.html)
- Vaccine information statements: [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/index.html)
- Manual for the Surveillance of Vaccine-Preventable Diseases (including case identification and outbreak response): [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/surv-manual](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/surv-manual)
- ACIP Shared Clinical Decision-Making Recommendations [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/acip/acip-scdm-faqs.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/acip/acip-scdm-faqs.html)



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**Table 1** Recommended Child and Adolescent Immunization Schedule for ages 18 years or younger, United States, 2022

These recommendations must be read with the notes that follow. For those who fall behind or start late, provide catch-up vaccination at the earliest opportunity as indicated by the green bars. To determine minimum intervals between doses, see the catch-up schedule (Table 2).

Vaccine	Birth	1 mo	2 mos	4 mos	6 mos	9 mos	12 mos	15 mos	18 mos	19–23 mos	2–3 yrs	4–6 yrs	7–10 yrs	11–12 yrs	13–15 yrs	16 yrs	17–18 yrs	
Hepatitis B (HepB)	1 <sup>st</sup> dose	← 2 <sup>nd</sup> dose →			← 3 <sup>rd</sup> dose →													
Rotavirus (RV): RV1 (2-dose series), RV5 (3-dose series)			1 <sup>st</sup> dose	2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	See Notes													
Diphtheria, tetanus, acellular pertussis (DTaP <7 yrs)			1 <sup>st</sup> dose	2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	3 <sup>rd</sup> dose			← 4 <sup>th</sup> dose →				5 <sup>th</sup> dose						
Haemophilus influenzae type b (Hib)			1 <sup>st</sup> dose	2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	See Notes		← 3 <sup>rd</sup> or 4 <sup>th</sup> dose, See Notes →											
Pneumococcal conjugate (PCV13)			1 <sup>st</sup> dose	2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	3 <sup>rd</sup> dose		← 4 <sup>th</sup> dose →											
Inactivated poliovirus (IPV <18 yrs)			1 <sup>st</sup> dose	2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	← 3 <sup>rd</sup> dose →						4 <sup>th</sup> dose							
Influenza (IIV4)					Annual vaccination 1 or 2 doses								Annual vaccination 1 dose only					
OR												Annual vaccination 1 or 2 doses		Annual vaccination 1 dose only				
Influenza (LAIV4)												Annual vaccination 1 or 2 doses		Annual vaccination 1 dose only				
Measles, mumps, rubella (MMR)					See Notes		← 1 <sup>st</sup> dose →					2 <sup>nd</sup> dose						
Varicella (VAR)							← 1 <sup>st</sup> dose →					2 <sup>nd</sup> dose						
Hepatitis A (HepA)					See Notes	2-dose series, See Notes												
Tetanus, diphtheria, acellular pertussis (Tdap ≥7 yrs)															1 dose			
Human papillomavirus (HPV)															See Notes			
Meningococcal (MenACWY-D ≥9 mos, MenACWY-CRM ≥2 mos, MenACWY-TT ≥2years)			See Notes											1 <sup>st</sup> dose		2 <sup>nd</sup> dose		
Meningococcal B (MenB-4C, MenB-FHbp)																		
Pneumococcal polysaccharide (PPSV23)															See Notes			
Dengue (DEN4CYD; 9-16 yrs)															Seropositive in endemic areas only (See Notes)			

Range of recommended ages for all children

Range of recommended ages for catch-up vaccination

Range of recommended ages for certain high-risk groups

Recommended vaccination can begin in this age group

Recommended vaccination based on shared clinical decision-making

No recommendation/ not applicable

**Table 2** Recommended Catch-up Immunization Schedule for Children and Adolescents Who Start Late or Who Are More than 1 Month Behind, United States, 2022

The table below provides catch-up schedules and minimum intervals between doses for children whose vaccinations have been delayed. A vaccine series does not need to be restarted, regardless of the time that has elapsed between doses. Use the section appropriate for the child's age. **Always use this table in conjunction with Table 1 and the Notes that follow.**

Children age 4 months through 6 years					
Vaccine	Minimum Age for Dose 1	Minimum Interval Between Doses			
		Dose 1 to Dose 2	Dose 2 to Dose 3	Dose 3 to Dose 4	Dose 4 to Dose 5
Hepatitis B	Birth	<b>4 weeks</b>	<b>8 weeks and at least 16 weeks after first dose</b> minimum age for the final dose is 24 weeks		
Rotavirus	6 weeks Maximum age for first dose is 14 weeks, 6 days.	<b>4 weeks</b>	<b>4 weeks</b> maximum age for final dose is 8 months, 0 days		
Diphtheria, tetanus, and acellular pertussis	6 weeks	<b>4 weeks</b>	<b>4 weeks</b>	<b>6 months</b>	<b>6 months</b>
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b	6 weeks	<b>No further doses needed</b> if first dose was administered at age 15 months or older. <b>4 weeks</b> if first dose was administered before the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday. <b>8 weeks (as final dose)</b> if first dose was administered at age 12 through 14 months.	<b>No further doses needed</b> if previous dose was administered at age 15 months or older <b>4 weeks</b> if current age is younger than 12 months <b>and</b> first dose was administered at younger than age 7 months <b>and</b> at least 1 previous dose was PRP-T (ActHib®, Pentacel®, Hiberix®), Vaxelis® or unknown <b>8 weeks and age 12 through 59 months (as final dose)</b> if current age is younger than 12 months <b>and</b> first dose was administered at age 7 through 11 months; OR if current age is 12 through 59 months <b>and</b> first dose was administered before the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday <b>and</b> second dose was administered at younger than 15 months; OR if both doses were PedvaxHIB® and were administered before the 1st birthday	<b>8 weeks (as final dose)</b> This dose only necessary for children age 12 through 59 months who received 3 doses before the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday.	
Pneumococcal conjugate	6 weeks	<b>No further doses needed</b> for healthy children if first dose was administered at age 24 months or older <b>4 weeks</b> if first dose was administered before the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday <b>8 weeks (as final dose for healthy children)</b> if first dose was administered at the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday or after	<b>No further doses needed</b> for healthy children if previous dose was administered at age 24 months or older <b>4 weeks</b> if current age is younger than 12 months and previous dose was administered at <7 months old <b>8 weeks (as final dose for healthy children)</b> if previous dose was administered between 7–11 months (wait until at least 12 months old); OR if current age is 12 months or older and at least 1 dose was administered before age 12 months	<b>8 weeks (as final dose)</b> This dose only necessary for children age 12 through 59 months who received 3 doses before age 12 months or for children at high risk who received 3 doses at any age.	
Inactivated poliovirus	6 weeks	<b>4 weeks</b>	<b>4 weeks</b> if current age is <4 years <b>6 months (as final dose)</b> if current age is 4 years or older	<b>6 months (minimum age 4 years for final dose)</b>	
Measles, mumps, rubella	12 months	<b>4 weeks</b>			
Varicella	12 months	<b>3 months</b>			
Hepatitis A	12 months	<b>6 months</b>			
Meningococcal ACWY	2 months MenACWY-CRM 9 months MenACWY-D 2 years MenACWY-TT	<b>8 weeks</b>	See Notes	See Notes	
Children and adolescents age 7 through 18 years					
Meningococcal ACWY	Not applicable (N/A)	<b>8 weeks</b>			
Tetanus, diphtheria; tetanus, diphtheria, and acellular pertussis	7 years	<b>4 weeks</b>	<b>4 weeks</b> if first dose of DTaP/DT was administered before the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday <b>6 months (as final dose)</b> if first dose of DTaP/DT or Tdap/Td was administered at or after the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday	<b>6 months</b> if first dose of DTaP/DT was administered before the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday	
Human papillomavirus	9 years	<b>Routine dosing intervals are recommended.</b>			
Hepatitis A	N/A	<b>6 months</b>			
Hepatitis B	N/A	<b>4 weeks</b>	<b>8 weeks and at least 16 weeks after first dose</b>		
Inactivated poliovirus	N/A	<b>4 weeks</b>	<b>6 months</b> A fourth dose is not necessary if the third dose was administered at age 4 years or older and at least 6 months after the previous dose.	A fourth dose of IPV is indicated if all previous doses were administered at <4 years or if the third dose was administered <6 months after the second dose.	
Measles, mumps, rubella	N/A	<b>4 weeks</b>			
Varicella	N/A	<b>3 months</b> if younger than age 13 years. <b>4 weeks</b> if age 13 years or older			
Dengue	9 years	<b>6 months</b>	6 months		

**Table 3**

**Recommended Child and Adolescent Immunization Schedule by Medical Indication, United States, 2022**

Always use this table in conjunction with Table 1 and the Notes that follow.

VACCINE	INDICATION									
	Pregnancy	Immunocompromised status (excluding HIV infection)	HIV infection CD4+ count <sup>1</sup>		Kidney failure, end-stage renal disease, or on hemodialysis	Heart disease or chronic lung disease	CSF leak or cochlear implant	Asplenia or persistent complement deficiencies	Chronic liver disease	Diabetes
			<15% or total CD4 cell count of <200/mm <sup>3</sup>	≥15% and total CD4 cell count of ≥200/mm <sup>3</sup>						
Hepatitis B	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow
Rotavirus	Yellow	Orange SCID <sup>2</sup>	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow
Diphtheria, tetanus, and acellular pertussis (DTaP)	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b	Yellow	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots
Pneumococcal conjugate	Yellow	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots
Inactivated poliovirus	Orange	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow
Influenza (IIV4)	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow
<b>or</b> Influenza (LAIV4)	Red	Red	Red	Red	Orange	Red Asthma, wheezing: 2–4yrs <sup>3</sup>	Red	Red	Orange	Orange
Measles, mumps, rubella	Red *	Red	Red	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow
Varicella	Red *	Red	Red	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow
Hepatitis A	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow
Tetanus, diphtheria, and acellular pertussis (Tdap)	Yellow with dots	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow
Human papillomavirus	Red *	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow
Meningococcal ACWY	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow with dots	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow with dots	Yellow	Yellow
Meningococcal B	Orange	Purple	Purple	Purple	Purple	Purple	Purple	Yellow with dots	Purple	Purple
Pneumococcal polysaccharide	Purple	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots	Yellow with dots
Dengue	Orange	Red	Red	Orange	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow

Vaccination according to the routine schedule recommended
  Recommended for persons with an additional risk factor for which the vaccine would be indicated
  Vaccination is recommended, and additional doses may be necessary based on medical condition or vaccine. See Notes.
  Precaution—vaccine might be indicated if benefit of protection outweighs risk of adverse reaction
  Contraindicated or not recommended—vaccine should not be administered
  No recommendation/not applicable

\*Vaccinate after pregnancy

1 For additional information regarding HIV laboratory parameters and use of live vaccines, see the *General Best Practice Guidelines for Immunization*, “Altered Immunocompetence,” at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/immunocompetence.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/immunocompetence.html) and Table 4-1 (footnote J) at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/contraindications.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/contraindications.html).

2 Severe Combined Immunodeficiency

3 LAIV4 contraindicated for children 2–4 years of age with asthma or wheezing during the preceding 12 months

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For vaccination recommendations for persons ages 19 years or older, see the Recommended Adult Immunization Schedule, 2022.

## Additional information

## COVID-19 Vaccination

**COVID-19 vaccines are recommended for use within the scope of the Emergency Use Authorization or Biologics License Application for the particular vaccine. ACIP recommendations for the use of COVID-19 vaccines can be found at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/vacc-specific/covid-19.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/vacc-specific/covid-19.html).**

CDC's interim clinical considerations for use of COVID-19 vaccines can be found at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/clinical-considerations/covid-19-vaccines-us.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/clinical-considerations/covid-19-vaccines-us.html).

- Consult relevant ACIP statements for detailed recommendations at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/index.html).
- For calculating intervals between doses, 4 weeks = 28 days. Intervals of ≥4 months are determined by calendar months.
- Within a number range (e.g., 12–18), a dash (–) should be read as “through.”
- Vaccine doses administered ≤4 days before the minimum age or interval are considered valid. Doses of any vaccine administered ≥5 days earlier than the minimum age or minimum interval should not be counted as valid and should be repeated as age appropriate. **The repeat dose should be spaced after the invalid dose by the recommended minimum interval.** For further details, see Table 3-1, Recommended and minimum ages and intervals between vaccine doses, in *General Best Practice Guidelines for Immunization* at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/timing.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/timing.html).
- Information on travel vaccination requirements and recommendations is available at [www.cdc.gov/travel/](http://www.cdc.gov/travel/).
- For vaccination of persons with immunodeficiencies, see Table 8-1, Vaccination of persons with primary and secondary immunodeficiencies, in *General Best Practice Guidelines for Immunization* at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/immunocompetence.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/immunocompetence.html), and Immunization in Special Clinical Circumstances (In: Kimberlin DW, Brady MT, Jackson MA, Long SS, eds. *Red Book: 2018 Report of the Committee on Infectious Diseases*. 31<sup>st</sup> ed. Itasca, IL: American Academy of Pediatrics; 2018:67–111).
- For information about vaccination in the setting of a vaccine-preventable disease outbreak, contact your state or local health department.
- The National Vaccine Injury Compensation Program (VICP) is a no-fault alternative to the traditional legal system for resolving vaccine injury claims. All routine child and adolescent vaccines are covered by VICP except for pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccine (PPSV23). For more information, see [www.hrsa.gov/vaccinecompensation/index.html](http://www.hrsa.gov/vaccinecompensation/index.html).

Dengue vaccination  
(minimum age: 9 years)

## Routine vaccination

- Age 9–16 years living in dengue endemic areas **AND** have laboratory confirmation of previous dengue infection
  - 3-dose series administered at 0, 6, and 12 months
- Endemic areas include Puerto Rico, American Samoa, US Virgin Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Republic of Marshall Islands, and the Republic of Palau. For updated guidance on dengue endemic areas and pre-vaccination laboratory testing see [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/70/rr/rr7006a1.htm?\\_cid=rr7006a1\\_w](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/70/rr/rr7006a1.htm?_cid=rr7006a1_w) and [www.cdc.gov/dengue/vaccine/hcp/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/dengue/vaccine/hcp/index.html)

Diphtheria, tetanus, and pertussis (DTaP) vaccination  
(minimum age: 6 weeks [4 years for Kinrix® or Quadracel®])

## Routine vaccination

- 5-dose series at age 2, 4, 6, 15–18 months, 4–6 years
  - **Prospectively:** Dose 4 may be administered as early as age 12 months if at least 6 months have elapsed since dose 3.
  - **Retrospectively:** A 4<sup>th</sup> dose that was inadvertently administered as early as age 12 months may be counted if at least 4 months have elapsed since dose 3.

## Catch-up vaccination

- Dose 5 is not necessary if dose 4 was administered at age 4 years or older and at least 6 months after dose 3.
- For other catch-up guidance, see Table 2.

## Special situations

- Wound management in children less than age 7 years with history of 3 or more doses of tetanus-toxoid-containing vaccine: For all wounds except clean and minor wounds, administer DTaP if more than 5 years since last dose of tetanus-toxoid-containing vaccine. For detailed information, see [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/67/rr/rr6702a1.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/67/rr/rr6702a1.htm).

Haemophilus influenzae type b vaccination  
(minimum age: 6 weeks)

## Routine vaccination

- **ActHIB®, Hiberix®, Pentacel®, or Vaxelis®:** 4-dose series (3 dose primary series at age 2, 4, and 6 months, followed by a booster dose\* at age 12–15 months)
  - \*Vaxelis® is not recommended for use as a booster dose. A different Hib-containing vaccine should be used for the booster dose.
- **PedvaxHIB®:** 3-dose series (2-dose primary series at age 2 and 4 months, followed by a booster dose at age 12–15 months)

## Catch-up vaccination

- **Dose 1 at age 7–11 months:** Administer dose 2 at least 4 weeks later and dose 3 (final dose) at age 12–15 months or 8 weeks after dose 2 (whichever is later).
- **Dose 1 at age 12–14 months:** Administer dose 2 (final dose) at least 8 weeks after dose 1.

- **Dose 1 before age 12 months and dose 2 before age 15 months:** Administer dose 3 (final dose) at least 8 weeks after dose 2.
- **2 doses of PedvaxHIB® before age 12 months:** Administer dose 3 (final dose) at 12–59 months and at least 8 weeks after dose 2.
- **1 dose administered at age 15 months or older:** No further doses needed
- **Unvaccinated at age 15–59 months:** Administer 1 dose.
- **Previously unvaccinated children age 60 months or older who are not considered high risk:** Do not require catch-up vaccination

For other catch-up guidance, see Table 2. Vaxelis® can be used for catch-up vaccination in children less than age 5 years. Follow the catch-up schedule even if Vaxelis® is used for one or more doses. For detailed information on use of Vaxelis® see [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/69/wr/mm6905a5.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/69/wr/mm6905a5.htm).

## Special situations

- **Chemotherapy or radiation treatment:**
    - Age 12–59 months
      - Unvaccinated or only 1 dose before age 12 months: 2 doses, 8 weeks apart
      - 2 or more doses before age 12 months: 1 dose at least 8 weeks after previous dose

*Doses administered within 14 days of starting therapy or during therapy should be repeated at least 3 months after therapy completion.*
  - **Hematopoietic stem cell transplant (HSCT):**
    - 3-dose series 4 weeks apart starting 6 to 12 months after successful transplant, regardless of Hib vaccination history
  - **Anatomic or functional asplenia (including sickle cell disease):**
    - Age 12–59 months
      - Unvaccinated or only 1 dose before age 12 months: 2 doses, 8 weeks apart
      - 2 or more doses before age 12 months: 1 dose at least 8 weeks after previous dose
    - Unvaccinated\* persons age 5 years or older
      - 1 dose
  - **Elective splenectomy:**
    - Unvaccinated\* persons age 15 months or older
      - 1 dose (preferably at least 14 days before procedure)
  - **HIV infection:**
    - Age 12–59 months
      - Unvaccinated or only 1 dose before age 12 months: 2 doses, 8 weeks apart
      - 2 or more doses before age 12 months: 1 dose at least 8 weeks after previous dose
    - Unvaccinated\* persons age 5–18 years
      - 1 dose
  - **Immunoglobulin deficiency, early component complement deficiency:**
    - Age 12–59 months
      - Unvaccinated or only 1 dose before age 12 months: 2 doses, 8 weeks apart
      - 2 or more doses before age 12 months: 1 dose at least 8 weeks after previous dose
- \*Unvaccinated = Less than routine series (through age 14 months) OR no doses (age 15 months or older)

## Notes

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## Hepatitis A vaccination

(minimum age: 12 months for routine vaccination)

## Routine vaccination

- 2-dose series (minimum interval: 6 months) at age 12–23 months

## Catch-up vaccination

- Unvaccinated persons through age 18 years should complete a 2-dose series (minimum interval: 6 months).
- Persons who previously received 1 dose at age 12 months or older should receive dose 2 at least 6 months after dose 1.
- Adolescents age 18 years or older may receive the combined HepA and HepB vaccine, **Twinrix**<sup>®</sup>, as a 3-dose series (0, 1, and 6 months) or 4-dose series (3 doses at 0, 7, and 21–30 days, followed by a booster dose at 12 months).

## International travel

- Persons traveling to or working in countries with high or intermediate endemic hepatitis A ([www.cdc.gov/travel/](http://www.cdc.gov/travel/)):
  - **Infants age 6–11 months:** 1 dose before departure; revaccinate with 2 doses, separated by at least 6 months, between age 12–23 months.
  - **Unvaccinated age 12 months or older:** Administer dose 1 as soon as travel is considered.

## Hepatitis B vaccination

(minimum age: birth)

## Birth dose (monovalent HepB vaccine only)

- **Mother is HBsAg-negative:**
  - All medically stable infants  $\geq 2,000$  grams: 1 dose within 24 hours of birth
  - Infants  $< 2,000$  grams: Administer 1 dose at chronological age 1 month or hospital discharge (whichever is earlier and even if weight is still  $< 2,000$  grams).
- **Mother is HBsAg-positive:**
  - Administer **HepB vaccine** and **hepatitis B immune globulin (HBIG)** (in separate limbs) within 12 hours of birth, regardless of birth weight. For infants  $< 2,000$  grams, administer 3 additional doses of vaccine (total of 4 doses) beginning at age 1 month.
  - Test for HBsAg and anti-HBs at age 9–12 months. If HepB series is delayed, test 1–2 months after final dose.
- **Mother's HBsAg status is unknown:**
  - Administer **HepB vaccine** within 12 hours of birth, regardless of birth weight.
  - For infants  $< 2,000$  grams, administer **HBIG** in addition to HepB vaccine (in separate limbs) within 12 hours of birth. Administer 3 additional doses of vaccine (total of 4 doses) beginning at age 1 month.
  - Determine mother's HBsAg status as soon as possible. If mother is HBsAg-positive, administer **HBIG** to infants  $\geq 2,000$  grams as soon as possible, but no later than 7 days of age.

## Routine series

- 3-dose series at age 0, 1–2, 6–18 months (use monovalent HepB vaccine for doses administered before age 6 weeks)
- Infants who did not receive a birth dose should begin the series as soon as feasible (see Table 2).

- Administration of **4 doses** is permitted when a combination vaccine containing HepB is used after the birth dose.
- **Minimum age** for the final (3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup>) dose: 24 weeks
- **Minimum intervals:** dose 1 to dose 2: 4 weeks / dose 2 to dose 3: 8 weeks / dose 1 to dose 3: 16 weeks (when 4 doses are administered, substitute "dose 4" for "dose 3" in these calculations)

## Catch-up vaccination

- Unvaccinated persons should complete a 3-dose series at 0, 1–2, 6 months.
- Adolescents age 11–15 years may use an alternative 2-dose schedule with at least 4 months between doses (adult formulation **Recombivax HB**<sup>®</sup> only).
- Adolescents age 18 years or older may receive a 2-dose series of HepB (**HepBisav-B**<sup>®</sup>) at least 4 weeks apart.
- Adolescents age 18 years or older may receive the combined HepA and HepB vaccine, **Twinrix**<sup>®</sup>, as a 3-dose series (0, 1, and 6 months) or 4-dose series (3 doses at 0, 7, and 21–30 days, followed by a booster dose at 12 months).
- For other catch-up guidance, see Table 2.

## Special situations

- Revaccination is not generally recommended for persons with a normal immune status who were vaccinated as infants, children, adolescents, or adults.
- **Post-vaccination serology testing and revaccination** (if anti-HBs  $< 10$  mIU/mL) is recommended for certain populations, including:
  - **Infants born to HBsAg-positive mothers**
  - **Hemodialysis patients**
  - **Other immunocompromised persons**

For detailed revaccination recommendations, see [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/vacc-specific/hepb.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/vacc-specific/hepb.html).

## Human papillomavirus vaccination

(minimum age: 9 years)

## Routine and catch-up vaccination

- HPV vaccination routinely recommended at **age 11–12 years (can start at age 9 years)** and catch-up HPV vaccination recommended for all persons through age 18 years if not adequately vaccinated
- 2- or 3-dose series depending on age at initial vaccination:
  - **Age 9–14 years at initial vaccination:** 2-dose series at 0, 6–12 months (minimum interval: 5 months; repeat dose if administered too soon)
  - **Age 15 years or older at initial vaccination:** 3-dose series at 0, 1–2 months, 6 months (minimum intervals: dose 1 to dose 2: 4 weeks / dose 2 to dose 3: 12 weeks / dose 1 to dose 3: 5 months; repeat dose if administered too soon)
- **Interrupted schedules:** If vaccination schedule is interrupted, the series does not need to be restarted.
- No additional dose recommended when any HPV vaccine series has been completed using the recommended dosing intervals.

## Special situations

- **Immunocompromising conditions, including HIV infection:** 3-dose series, even for those who initiate vaccination at age 9 through 14 years.
- **History of sexual abuse or assault:** Start at age 9 years.

- **Pregnancy:** Pregnancy testing not needed before vaccination; HPV vaccination not recommended until after pregnancy; no intervention needed if vaccinated while pregnant

## Influenza vaccination

(minimum age: 6 months [IIV], 2 years [LAIV4], 18 years [recombinant influenza vaccine, RIV4])

## Routine vaccination

- Use any influenza vaccine appropriate for age and health status annually:
  - 2 doses, separated by at least 4 weeks, for **children age 6 months–8 years** who have received fewer than 2 influenza vaccine doses before July 1, 2021, or whose influenza vaccination history is unknown (administer dose 2 even if the child turns 9 between receipt of dose 1 and dose 2)
  - 1 dose for **children age 6 months–8 years** who have received at least 2 influenza vaccine doses before July 1, 2021
  - 1 dose for **all persons age 9 years or older**
- For the 2021–2022 season, see [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/70/rr/rr7005a1.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/70/rr/rr7005a1.htm).
- For the 2022–23 season, see the 2022–23 ACIP influenza vaccine recommendations.

## Special situations

- **Egg allergy, hives only:** Any influenza vaccine appropriate for age and health status annually
- **Egg allergy with symptoms other than hives** (e.g., angioedema, respiratory distress) or required epinephrine or another emergency medical intervention: see Appendix listing contraindications and precautions
- **Severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) to a vaccine component or a previous dose of any influenza vaccine:** see Appendix listing contraindications and precautions

## Measles, mumps, and rubella vaccination

(minimum age: 12 months for routine vaccination)

## Routine vaccination

- 2-dose series at age 12–15 months, age 4–6 years
- MMR or MMRV may be administered
- Note:** For dose 1 in children age 12–47 months, it is recommended to administer MMR and varicella vaccines separately. MMRV may be used if parents or caregivers express a preference.

## Catch-up vaccination

- Unvaccinated children and adolescents: 2-dose series at least 4 weeks apart
- The maximum age for use of MMRV is 12 years.
- Minimum interval between MMRV doses: 3 months

## Special situations

## International travel

- **Infants age 6–11 months:** 1 dose before departure; revaccinate with 2-dose series at age 12–15 months (12 months for children in high-risk areas) and dose 2 as early as 4 weeks later.
- **Unvaccinated children age 12 months or older:** 2-dose series at least 4 weeks apart before departure

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**Meningococcal serogroup A,C,W,Y vaccination** (minimum age: 2 months [MenACWY-CRM, Menveo], 9 months [MenACWY-D, Menactra], 2 years [MenACWY-TT, MenQuadfi])

**Routine vaccination**

- 2-dose series at age 11–12 years; 16 years

**Catch-up vaccination**

- Age 13–15 years: 1 dose now and booster at age 16–18 years (minimum interval: 8 weeks)
- Age 16–18 years: 1 dose

**Special situations**

**Anatomic or functional asplenia (including sickle cell disease), HIV infection, persistent complement component deficiency, complement inhibitor (e.g., eculizumab, ravulizumab) use:**

- **Menveo**
  - Dose 1 at age 2 months: 4-dose series (additional 3 doses at age 4, 6 and 12 months)
  - Dose 1 at age 3–6 months: 3- or 4- dose series (dose 2 [and dose 3 if applicable] at least 8 weeks after previous dose until a dose is received at age 7 months or older, followed by an additional dose at least 12 weeks later and after age 12 months)
  - Dose 1 at age 7–23 months: 2-dose series (dose 2 at least 12 weeks after dose 1 and after age 12 months)
  - Dose 1 at age 24 months or older: 2-dose series at least 8 weeks apart

• **Menactra**

- **Persistent complement component deficiency or complement inhibitor use:**

- Age 9–23 months: 2-dose series at least 12 weeks apart
- Age 24 months or older: 2-dose series at least 8 weeks apart
- **Anatomic or functional asplenia, sickle cell disease, or HIV infection:**
  - Age 9–23 months: Not recommended
  - Age 24 months or older: 2-dose series at least 8 weeks apart
  - **Menactra**<sup>®</sup> must be administered at least 4 weeks after completion of PCV13 series.

• **MenQuadfi**<sup>®</sup>

- Dose 1 at age 24 months or older: 2-dose series at least 8 weeks apart

**Travel in countries with hyperendemic or epidemic meningococcal disease, including countries in the African meningitis belt or during the Hajj** ([www.cdc.gov/travel/](http://www.cdc.gov/travel/)):

- Children less than age 24 months:
  - **Menveo**<sup>®</sup> (age 2–23 months)
    - Dose 1 at age 2 months: 4-dose series (additional 3 doses at age 4, 6 and 12 months)
    - Dose 1 at age 3–6 months: 3- or 4- dose series (dose 2 [and dose 3 if applicable] at least 8 weeks after previous dose until a dose is received at age 7 months or older, followed by an additional dose at least 12 weeks later and after age 12 months)
    - Dose 1 at age 7–23 months: 2-dose series (dose 2 at least 12 weeks after dose 1 and after age 12 months)
  - **Menactra**<sup>®</sup> (age 9–23 months)
    - 2-dose series (dose 2 at least 12 weeks after dose 1; dose 2 may be administered as early as 8 weeks after dose 1 in travelers)
- Children age 2 years or older: 1 dose Menveo<sup>®</sup>, Menactra<sup>®</sup>, or MenQuadfi<sup>®</sup>

**First-year college students who live in residential housing (if not previously vaccinated at age 16 years or older) or military recruits:**

- 1 dose Menveo<sup>®</sup>, Menactra<sup>®</sup>, or MenQuadfi<sup>®</sup>

**Adolescent vaccination of children who received MenACWY prior to age 10 years:**

- **Children for whom boosters are recommended** because of an ongoing increased risk of meningococcal disease (e.g., those with complement deficiency, HIV, or asplenia): Follow the booster schedule for persons at increased risk.
- **Children for whom boosters are not recommended** (e.g., a healthy child who received a single dose for travel to a country where meningococcal disease is endemic): Administer MenACWY according to the recommended adolescent schedule with dose 1 at age 11–12 years and dose 2 at age 16 years.

**Note:** Menactra<sup>®</sup> should be administered either before or at the same time as DTaP. MenACWY vaccines may be administered simultaneously with MenB vaccines if indicated, but at a different anatomic site, if feasible.

For MenACWY booster dose recommendations for groups listed under “Special situations” and in an outbreak setting and additional meningococcal vaccination information, see [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/69/rr/rr6909a1.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/69/rr/rr6909a1.htm).

**Meningococcal serogroup B vaccination** (minimum age: 10 years [MenB-4C, Bexsero<sup>®</sup>; MenB-FHbp, Trumenba<sup>®</sup>])

**Shared clinical decision-making**

- **Adolescents not at increased risk** age 16–23 years (preferred age 16–18 years) based on shared clinical decision-making:
  - **Bexsero**<sup>®</sup>: 2-dose series at least 1 month apart
  - **Trumenba**<sup>®</sup>: 2-dose series at least 6 months apart; if dose 2 is administered earlier than 6 months, administer a 3<sup>rd</sup> dose at least 4 months after dose 2.

**Special situations**

**Anatomic or functional asplenia (including sickle cell disease), persistent complement component deficiency, complement inhibitor (e.g., eculizumab, ravulizumab) use:**

- **Bexsero**<sup>®</sup>: 2-dose series at least 1 month apart
  - **Trumenba**<sup>®</sup>: 3-dose series at 0, 1–2, 6 months
- Note:** Bexsero<sup>®</sup> and Trumenba<sup>®</sup> are not interchangeable; the same product should be used for all doses in a series.

For MenB booster dose recommendations for groups listed under “Special situations” and in an outbreak setting and additional meningococcal vaccination information, see [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/69/rr/rr6909a1.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/69/rr/rr6909a1.htm).

**Pneumococcal vaccination** (minimum age: 6 weeks [PCV13], 2 years [PPSV23])

**Routine vaccination with PCV13**

- 4-dose series at age 2, 4, 6, 12–15 months

**Catch-up vaccination with PCV13**

- 1 dose for healthy children age 24–59 months with any incomplete\* PCV13 series
- For other catch-up guidance, see Table 2.

**Special situations**

**Underlying conditions below: When both PCV13 and PPSV23 are indicated, administer PCV13 first. PCV13 and PPSV23 should not be administered during same visit.**

**Chronic heart disease (particularly cyanotic congenital heart disease and cardiac failure); chronic lung disease (including asthma treated with high-dose, oral corticosteroids); diabetes mellitus:**

**Age 2–5 years**

- Any incomplete\* series with:
  - 3 PCV13 doses: 1 dose PCV13 (at least 8 weeks after any prior PCV13 dose)
  - Less than 3 PCV13 doses: 2 doses PCV13 (8 weeks after the most recent dose and administered 8 weeks apart)
- No history of PPSV23: 1 dose PPSV23 (at least 8 weeks after completing all recommended PCV13 doses)

**Age 6–18 years**

- No history of PPSV23: 1 dose PPSV23 (at least 8 weeks after completing all recommended PCV13 doses)

**Cerebrospinal fluid leak, cochlear implant:**

**Age 2–5 years**

- Any incomplete\* series with:
  - 3 PCV13 doses: 1 dose PCV13 (at least 8 weeks after any prior PCV13 dose)
  - Less than 3 PCV13 doses: 2 doses PCV13 (8 weeks after the most recent dose and administered 8 weeks apart)
- No history of PPSV23: 1 dose PPSV23 (at least 8 weeks after any prior PCV13 dose)

**Age 6–18 years**

- No history of either PCV13 or PPSV23: 1 dose PCV13, 1 dose PPSV23 at least 8 weeks later
- Any PCV13 but no PPSV23: 1 dose PPSV23 at least 8 weeks after the most recent dose of PCV13
- PPSV23 but no PCV13: 1 dose PCV13 at least 8 weeks after the most recent dose of PPSV23

**Sickle cell disease and other hemoglobinopathies; anatomic or functional asplenia; congenital or acquired immunodeficiency; HIV infection; chronic renal failure; nephrotic syndrome; malignant neoplasms, leukemias, lymphomas, Hodgkin disease, and other diseases associated with treatment with immunosuppressive drugs or radiation therapy; solid organ transplantation; multiple myeloma:**

**Age 2–5 years**

- Any incomplete\* series with:
  - 3 PCV13 doses: 1 dose PCV13 (at least 8 weeks after any prior PCV13 dose)
  - Less than 3 PCV13 doses: 2 doses PCV13 (8 weeks after the most recent dose and administered 8 weeks apart)
- No history of PPSV23: 1 dose PPSV23 (at least 8 weeks after any prior PCV13 dose) and a dose 2 of PPSV23 5 years later

**Age 6–18 years**

- No history of either PCV13 or PPSV23: 1 dose PCV13, 2 doses PPSV23 (dose 1 of PPSV23 administered 8 weeks after PCV13 and dose 2 of PPSV23 administered at least 5 years after dose 1 of PPSV23)
- Any PCV13 but no PPSV23: 2 doses PPSV23 (dose 1 of PPSV23 administered 8 weeks after the most recent dose of PCV13 and dose 2 of PPSV23 administered at least 5 years after dose 1 of PPSV23)
- PPSV23 but no PCV13: 1 dose PCV13 at least 8 weeks after the most recent PPSV23 dose and a dose 2 of PPSV23 administered 5 years after dose 1 of PPSV23 and at least 8 weeks after a dose of PCV13

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**Chronic liver disease, alcoholism:****Age 6–18 years**

- No history of PPSV23: 1 dose PPSV23 (at least 8 weeks after any prior PCV13 dose)

\**Incomplete series* = Not having received all doses in either the recommended series or an age-appropriate catch-up series. See Tables 8, 9, and 11 in the ACIP pneumococcal vaccine recommendations ([www.cdc.gov/mmwr/pdf/rr/rr5911.pdf](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/pdf/rr/rr5911.pdf)) for complete schedule details.

**Poliovirus vaccination**  
(minimum age: 6 weeks)**Routine vaccination**

- 4-dose series at ages 2, 4, 6–18 months, 4–6 years; administer the final dose on or after age 4 years and at least 6 months after the previous dose.
- 4 or more doses of IPV can be administered before age 4 years when a combination vaccine containing IPV is used. However, a dose is still recommended on or after age 4 years and at least 6 months after the previous dose.

**Catch-up vaccination**

- In the first 6 months of life, use minimum ages and intervals only for travel to a polio-endemic region or during an outbreak.
- IPV is not routinely recommended for U.S. residents age 18 years or older.

**Series containing oral polio vaccine (OPV)**, either mixed OPV-IPV or OPV-only series:

- Total number of doses needed to complete the series is the same as that recommended for the U.S. IPV schedule. See [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/66/wr/mm6601a6.htm?s\\_cid=mm6601a6\\_w](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/66/wr/mm6601a6.htm?s_cid=mm6601a6_w).
- Only trivalent OPV (tOPV) counts toward the U.S. vaccination requirements.
  - Doses of OPV administered before April 1, 2016, should be counted (unless specifically noted as administered during a campaign).
  - Doses of OPV administered on or after April 1, 2016, should not be counted.
  - For guidance to assess doses documented as “OPV,” see [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/66/wr/mm6606a7.htm?s\\_cid=mm6606a7\\_w](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/66/wr/mm6606a7.htm?s_cid=mm6606a7_w).
- For other catch-up guidance, see Table 2.

**Rotavirus vaccination**  
(minimum age: 6 weeks)**Routine vaccination**

- **Rotarix**<sup>®</sup>: 2-dose series at age 2 and 4 months
- **RotaTeq**<sup>®</sup>: 3-dose series at age 2, 4, and 6 months
- If any dose in the series is either **RotaTeq**<sup>®</sup> or unknown, default to 3-dose series.

**Catch-up vaccination**

- Do not start the series on or after age 15 weeks, 0 days.
- The maximum age for the final dose is 8 months, 0 days.
- For other catch-up guidance, see Table 2.

**Tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis (Tdap) vaccination**

(minimum age: 11 years for routine vaccination, 7 years for catch-up vaccination)

**Routine vaccination**

- **Adolescents age 11–12 years:** 1 dose Tdap
- **Pregnancy:** 1 dose Tdap during each pregnancy, preferably in early part of gestational weeks 27–36.
- Tdap may be administered regardless of the interval since the last tetanus- and diphtheria-toxoid-containing vaccine.

**Catch-up vaccination**

- **Adolescents age 13–18 years who have not received Tdap:** 1 dose Tdap, then Td or Tdap booster every 10 years
- **Persons age 7–18 years not fully vaccinated\* with DTaP:** 1 dose Tdap as part of the catch-up series (preferably the first dose); if additional doses are needed, use Td or Tdap.
- **Tdap administered at age 7–10 years:**
  - **Children age 7–9 years** who receive Tdap should receive the routine Tdap dose at age 11–12 years.
  - **Children age 10 years** who receive Tdap do not need the routine Tdap dose at age 11–12 years.
- **DTaP inadvertently administered on or after age 7 years:**
  - **Children age 7–9 years:** DTaP may count as part of catch-up series. Administer routine Tdap dose at age 11–12 years.
  - **Children age 10–18 years:** Count dose of DTaP as the adolescent Tdap booster.
- For other catch-up guidance, see Table 2.

**Special situations**

- **Wound management** in persons age 7 years or older with history of 3 or more doses of tetanus-toxoid-containing vaccine: For clean and minor wounds, administer Tdap or Td if more than 10 years since last dose of tetanus-toxoid-containing vaccine; for all other wounds, administer Tdap or Td if more than 5 years since last dose of tetanus-toxoid-containing vaccine. Tdap is preferred for persons age 11 years or older who have not previously received Tdap or whose Tdap history is unknown. If a tetanus-toxoid-containing vaccine is indicated for a pregnant adolescent, use Tdap.
- For detailed information, see [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/69/wr/mm6903a5.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/69/wr/mm6903a5.htm).

\**Fully vaccinated* = 5 valid doses of DTaP OR 4 valid doses of DTaP if dose 4 was administered at age 4 years or older

**Varicella vaccination**

(minimum age: 12 months)

**Routine vaccination**

- 2-dose series at age 12–15 months, 4–6 years
- VAR or MMRV may be administered\*
- Dose 2 may be administered as early as 3 months after dose 1 (a dose inadvertently administered after at least 4 weeks may be counted as valid)

\***Note:** For dose 1 in children age 12–47 months, it is recommended to administer MMR and varicella vaccines separately. MMRV may be used if parents or caregivers express a preference.

**Catch-up vaccination**

- Ensure persons age 7–18 years without evidence of immunity (see *MMWR* at [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/pdf/rr/rr5604.pdf](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/pdf/rr/rr5604.pdf)) have a 2-dose series:
  - **Age 7–12 years:** routine interval: 3 months (a dose inadvertently administered after at least 4 weeks may be counted as valid)
  - **Age 13 years and older:** routine interval: 4–8 weeks (minimum interval: 4 weeks)
- The maximum age for use of MMRV is 12 years.

## Appendix

## Recommended Child and Adolescent Immunization Schedule for ages 18 years or younger, United States, 2022

## Guide to Contraindications and Precautions to Commonly Used Vaccines

Adapted from Table 4-1 in Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) General Best Practice Guidelines for Immunization: Contraindication and Precautions available at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/contraindications.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/contraindications.html) and ACIP's Recommendations for the Prevention and Control of 2021-22 seasonal influenza with Vaccines available at [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/70/rr/rr7005a1.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/70/rr/rr7005a1.htm).

**Interim clinical considerations for use of COVID-19 vaccines including contraindications and precautions can be found at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/clinical-considerations/covid-19-vaccines-us.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/clinical-considerations/covid-19-vaccines-us.html)**

Vaccine	Contraindications <sup>1</sup>	Precautions <sup>2</sup>
Influenza, egg-based, inactivated injectable (IIV4)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) after previous dose of any influenza vaccine (i.e., any egg-based IIV, cclIV, RIV, or LAIV of any valency)</li> <li>Severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) to any vaccine component<sup>3</sup> (excluding egg)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guillain-Barré syndrome (GBS) within 6 weeks after a previous dose of any type of influenza vaccine</li> <li>Persons with egg allergy with symptoms other than hives (e.g., angioedema, respiratory distress) or required epinephrine or another emergency medical intervention: Any influenza vaccine appropriate for age and health status may be administered. If using egg-based IIV4, administer in medical setting under supervision of health care provider who can recognize and manage severe allergic reactions. May consult an allergist.</li> <li>Moderate or severe acute illness with or without fever</li> </ul>
Influenza, cell culture-based inactivated injectable [(cclIV4), Flucelvax® Quadrivalent]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) to any cclIV of any valency, or to any component<sup>3</sup> of cclIV4</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guillain-Barré syndrome (GBS) within 6 weeks after a previous dose of any type of influenza vaccine</li> <li>Persons with a history of severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) after a previous dose of any egg-based IIV, RIV, or LAIV of any valency. If using cclIV4, administer in medical setting under supervision of health care provider who can recognize and manage severe allergic reactions. May consult an allergist.</li> <li>Moderate or severe acute illness with or without fever</li> </ul>
Influenza, recombinant injectable [(RIV4), Flublok® Quadrivalent]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) to any RIV of any valency, or to any component<sup>3</sup> of RIV4</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guillain-Barré syndrome (GBS) within 6 weeks after a previous dose of any type of influenza vaccine</li> <li>Persons with a history of severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) after a previous dose of any egg-based IIV, cclIV, or LAIV of any valency. If using RIV4, administer in medical setting under supervision of health care provider who can recognize and manage severe allergic reactions. May consult an allergist.</li> <li>Moderate or severe acute illness with or without fever</li> </ul>
Influenza, live attenuated [LAIV4, Flumist® Quadrivalent]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) after previous dose of any influenza vaccine (i.e., any egg-based IIV, cclIV, RIV, or LAIV of any valency)</li> <li>Severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) to any vaccine component<sup>3</sup> (excluding egg)</li> <li>Children age 2 – 4 years with a history of asthma or wheezing</li> <li>Anatomic or functional asplenia</li> <li>Immunocompromised due to any cause including, but not limited to, medications and HIV infection</li> <li>Close contacts or caregivers of severely immunosuppressed persons who require a protected environment</li> <li>Pregnancy</li> <li>Cochlear implant</li> <li>Active communication between the cerebrospinal fluid (CSF) and the oropharynx, nasopharynx, nose, ear or any other cranial CSF leak</li> <li>Children and adolescents receiving aspirin or salicylate-containing medications</li> <li>Received influenza antiviral medications oseltamivir or zanamivir within the previous 48 hours, peramivir within the previous 5 days, or baloxavir within the previous 17 days</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guillain-Barré syndrome (GBS) within 6 weeks after a previous dose of any type of influenza vaccine</li> <li>Asthma in persons aged 5 years old or older</li> <li>Persons with egg allergy with symptoms other than hives (e.g., angioedema, respiratory distress) or required epinephrine or another emergency medical intervention: Any influenza vaccine appropriate for age and health status may be administered. If using LAIV4 (which is egg based), administer in medical setting under supervision of health care provider who can recognize and manage severe allergic reactions. May consult an allergist.</li> <li>Persons with underlying medical conditions (other than those listed under contraindications) that might predispose to complications after wild-type influenza virus infection [e.g., chronic pulmonary, cardiovascular (except isolated hypertension), renal, hepatic, neurologic, hematologic, or metabolic disorders (including diabetes mellitus)]</li> <li>Moderate or severe acute illness with or without fever</li> </ul>

- When a contraindication is present, a vaccine should NOT be administered. Kroger A, Bahta L, Hunter P. ACIP General Best Practice Guidelines for Immunization. [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/contraindications.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/contraindications.html)
- When a precaution is present, vaccination should generally be deferred but might be indicated if the benefit of protection from the vaccine outweighs the risk for an adverse reaction. Kroger A, Bahta L, Hunter P. ACIP General Best Practice Guidelines for Immunization. [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/contraindications.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/contraindications.html)
- Vaccination providers should check FDA-approved prescribing information for the most complete and updated information, including contraindications, warnings, and precautions. Package inserts for U.S.-licensed vaccines available at [www.fda.gov/oc/ohrt/med-devices/med-devices-general-use-united-states](http://www.fda.gov/oc/ohrt/med-devices/med-devices-general-use-united-states)

# Recommended Adult Immunization Schedule for ages 19 years or older

UNITED STATES  
**2022**

## How to use the adult immunization schedule

- 1** Determine recommended vaccinations by age (**Table 1**)
- 2** Assess need for additional recommended vaccinations by medical condition or other indication (**Table 2**)
- 3** Review vaccine types, frequencies, intervals, and considerations for special situations (**Notes**)
- 4** Review contraindications and precautions for vaccine types (**Appendix**)

Recommended by the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices ([www.cdc.gov/vaccines/acip](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/acip)) and approved by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ([www.cdc.gov](http://www.cdc.gov)), American College of Physicians ([www.acponline.org](http://www.acponline.org)), American Academy of Family Physicians ([www.aafp.org](http://www.aafp.org)), American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists ([www.acog.org](http://www.acog.org)), American College of Nurse-Midwives ([www.midwife.org](http://www.midwife.org)), and American Academy of Physician Associates ([www.aapa.org](http://www.aapa.org)), and Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America ([www.shea-online.org](http://www.shea-online.org)).

### Report

- Suspected cases of reportable vaccine-preventable diseases or outbreaks to the local or state health department
- Clinically significant postvaccination reactions to the Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System at [www.vaers.hhs.gov](http://www.vaers.hhs.gov) or 800-822-7967

### Injury claims

All vaccines included in the adult immunization schedule except pneumococcal 23-valent polysaccharide (PPSV23) and zoster (RZV) vaccines are covered by the Vaccine Injury Compensation Program. Information on how to file a vaccine injury claim is available at [www.hrsa.gov/vaccinecompensation](http://www.hrsa.gov/vaccinecompensation).

### Questions or comments

Contact [www.cdc.gov/cdc-info](http://www.cdc.gov/cdc-info) or 800-CDC-INFO (800-232-4636), in English or Spanish, 8 a.m.–8 p.m. ET, Monday through Friday, excluding holidays.



Download the CDC Vaccine Schedules app for providers at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/hcp/schedule-app.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/hcp/schedule-app.html).

### Helpful information

- Complete Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) recommendations: [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/index.html)
- *General Best Practice Guidelines for Immunization* (including contraindications and precautions): [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/index.html)
- Vaccine information statements: [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/index.html)
- Manual for the Surveillance of Vaccine-Preventable Diseases (including case identification and outbreak response): [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/surv-manual](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/surv-manual)
- Travel vaccine recommendations: [www.cdc.gov/travel](http://www.cdc.gov/travel)
- Recommended Child and Adolescent Immunization Schedule, United States, 2022: [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/hcp/child-adolescent.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/hcp/child-adolescent.html)
- ACIP Shared Clinical Decision-Making Recommendations: [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/acip/acip-scdm-faqs.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/acip/acip-scdm-faqs.html)

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### Vaccines in the Adult Immunization Schedule\*

Vaccine	Abbreviation(s)	Trade name(s)
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b vaccine	Hib	ActHIB® Hiberix® PedvaxHIB®
Hepatitis A vaccine	HepA	Havrix® Vaqta®
Hepatitis A and hepatitis B vaccine	HepA-HepB	Twinrix®
Hepatitis B vaccine	HepB	Engerix-B® Recombivax HB® Heplisav-B®
Human papillomavirus vaccine	HPV	Gardasil 9®
Influenza vaccine (inactivated)	IIV4	Many brands
Influenza vaccine (live, attenuated)	LAIV4	FluMist® Quadrivalent
Influenza vaccine (recombinant)	RIV4	Flublok® Quadrivalent
Measles, mumps, and rubella vaccine	MMR	M-M-R II®
Meningococcal serogroups A, C, W, Y vaccine	MenACWY-D MenACWY-CRM MenACWY-TT	Menactra® Menveo® MenQuadfi®
Meningococcal serogroup B vaccine	MenB-4C MenB-FHbp	Bexsero® Trumenba®
Pneumococcal 15-valent conjugate vaccine	PCV15	Vaxneuvance™
Pneumococcal 20-valent conjugate vaccine	PCV20	Prevnar 20™
Pneumococcal 23-valent polysaccharide vaccine	PPSV23	Pneumovax 23®
Tetanus and diphtheria toxoids	Td	Tenivac® Tdvax™
Tetanus and diphtheria toxoids and acellular pertussis vaccine	Tdap	Adacel® Boostrix®
Varicella vaccine	VAR	Varivax®
Zoster vaccine, recombinant	RZV	Shingrix

\*Administer recommended vaccines if vaccination history is incomplete or unknown. Do not restart or add doses to vaccine series if there are extended intervals between doses. The use of trade names is for identification purposes only and does not imply endorsement by the ACIP or CDC.



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**Table 1** Recommended Adult Immunization Schedule by Age Group, United States, 2022

Vaccine	19–26 years	27–49 years	50–64 years	≥65 years
<b>Influenza inactivated (IIV4) or Influenza recombinant (RIV4)</b> or <b>Influenza live, attenuated (LAIV4)</b>	1 dose annually			
<b>Tetanus, diphtheria, pertussis (Tdap or Td)</b>	1 dose Tdap each pregnancy; 1 dose Td/Tdap for wound management (see notes) 1 dose Tdap, then Td or Tdap booster every 10 years			
<b>Measles, mumps, rubella (MMR)</b>	1 or 2 doses depending on indication (if born in 1957 or later)			
<b>Varicella (VAR)</b>	2 doses (if born in 1980 or later)	2 doses		
<b>Zoster recombinant (RZV)</b>	2 doses for immunocompromising conditions (see notes)		2 doses	
<b>Human papillomavirus (HPV)</b>	2 or 3 doses depending on age at initial vaccination or condition	27 through 45 years		
<b>Pneumococcal (PCV15, PCV20, PPSV23)</b>	1 dose PCV15 followed by PPSV23 OR 1 dose PCV20 (see notes)			1 dose PCV15 followed by PPSV23 OR 1 dose PCV20
<b>Hepatitis A (HepA)</b>	2 or 3 doses depending on vaccine			
<b>Hepatitis B (HepB)</b>	2, 3, or 4 doses depending on vaccine or condition			
<b>Meningococcal A, C, W, Y (MenACWY)</b>	1 or 2 doses depending on indication, see notes for booster recommendations			
<b>Meningococcal B (MenB)</b>	2 or 3 doses depending on vaccine and indication, see notes for booster recommendations			
<b>Haemophilus influenzae type b (Hib)</b>	1 or 3 doses depending on indication			

Recommended vaccination for adults who meet age requirement, lack documentation of vaccination, or lack evidence of past infection

Recommended vaccination for adults with an additional risk factor or another indication

Recommended vaccination based on shared clinical decision-making

No recommendation/Not applicable

**Table 2** Recommended Adult Immunization Schedule by Medical Condition or Other Indication, United States, 2022

Vaccine	Pregnancy	Immuno-compromised (excluding HIV infection)	HIV infection CD4 percentage and count		Asplenia, complement deficiencies	End-stage renal disease, or on hemodialysis	Heart or lung disease; alcoholism <sup>1</sup>	Chronic liver disease	Diabetes	Health care personnel <sup>2</sup>	Men who have sex with men
			<15% or <200 mm <sup>3</sup>	≥15% and ≥200 mm <sup>3</sup>							
IIV4 or RIV4 or LAIV4			1 dose annually								
			Contraindicated			Precaution			1 dose annually		
Tdap or Td	1 dose Tdap each pregnancy	1 dose Tdap, then Td or Tdap booster every 10 years									
MMR	Contraindicated*	Contraindicated	1 or 2 doses depending on indication								
VAR	Contraindicated*	Contraindicated		2 doses							
RZV		2 doses at age ≥19 years			2 doses at age ≥50 years						
HPV	Not Recommended*	3 doses through age 26 years			2 or 3 doses through age 26 years depending on age at initial vaccination or condition						
Pneumococcal (PCV15, PCV20, PPSV23)		1 dose PCV15 followed by PPSV23 OR 1 dose PCV20 (see notes)									
HepA				2 or 3 doses depending on vaccine							
HepB	3 doses (see notes)	2, 3, or 4 doses depending on vaccine or condition									
MenACWY		1 or 2 doses depending on indication, see notes for booster recommendations									
MenB	Precaution	2 or 3 doses depending on vaccine and indication, see notes for booster recommendations									
Hib		3 doses HSCT <sup>3</sup> recipients only		1 dose							

Recommended vaccination for adults who meet age requirement, lack documentation of vaccination, or lack evidence of past infection
 
 Recommended vaccination for adults with an additional risk factor or another indication
 

 Recommended vaccination based on shared clinical decision-making
 

 Precaution—vaccination might be indicated if benefit of protection outweighs risk of adverse reaction
 

 Contraindicated or not recommended—vaccine should not be administered.
 

 No recommendation/Not applicable

\*Vaccinate after pregnancy.

1. Precaution for LAIV4 does not apply to alcoholism. 2. See notes for influenza; hepatitis B; measles, mumps, and rubella; and varicella vaccinations. 3. Hematopoietic stem cell transplant.

## Notes

## Recommended Adult Immunization Schedule for ages 19 years or older, United States, 2022

For vaccine recommendations for persons 18 years of age or younger, see the Recommended Child and Adolescent Immunization Schedule.

**COVID-19 Vaccination**

COVID-19 vaccines are recommended within the scope of the Emergency Use Authorization or Biologics License Application for the particular vaccine. ACIP recommendations for the use of COVID-19 vaccines can be found at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/vacc-specific/covid-19.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/vacc-specific/covid-19.html).

CDC's interim clinical considerations for use of COVID-19 vaccines can be found at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/clinical-considerations/covid-19-vaccines-us.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/clinical-considerations/covid-19-vaccines-us.html).

**Haemophilus influenzae type b vaccination****Special situations**

- **Anatomical or functional asplenia (including sickle cell disease):** 1 dose if previously did not receive Hib; if elective splenectomy, 1 dose, preferably at least 14 days before splenectomy
- **Hematopoietic stem cell transplant (HSCT):** 3-dose series 4 weeks apart starting 6–12 months after successful transplant, regardless of Hib vaccination history

**Hepatitis A vaccination****Routine vaccination**

- **Not at risk but want protection from hepatitis A** (identification of risk factor not required): 2-dose series HepA (Havrix 6–12 months apart or Vaqta 6–18 months apart [minimum interval: 6 months]) or 3-dose series HepA-HepB (Twinrix at 0, 1, 6 months [minimum intervals: dose 1 to dose 2: 4 weeks / dose 2 to dose 3: 5 months])

**Special situations**

- **At risk for hepatitis A virus infection:** 2-dose series HepA or 3-dose series HepA-HepB as above
  - **Chronic liver disease** (e.g., persons with hepatitis B, hepatitis C, cirrhosis, fatty liver disease, alcoholic liver disease, autoimmune hepatitis, alanine aminotransferase [ALT] or aspartate aminotransferase [AST] level greater than twice the upper limit of normal)

- **HIV infection**
- **Men who have sex with men**
- **Injection or noninjection drug use**
- **Persons experiencing homelessness**
- **Work with hepatitis A virus** in research laboratory or with nonhuman primates with hepatitis A virus infection
- **Travel in countries with high or intermediate endemic hepatitis A** (HepA-HepB [Twinrix] may be administered on an accelerated schedule of 3 doses at 0, 7, and 21–30 days, followed by a booster dose at 12 months)
- **Close, personal contact with international adoptee** (e.g., household or regular babysitting) in first 60 days after arrival from country with high or intermediate endemic hepatitis A (administer dose 1 as soon as adoption is planned, at least 2 weeks before adoptee's arrival)
- **Pregnancy** if at risk for infection or severe outcome from infection during pregnancy
- **Settings for exposure, including** health care settings targeting services to injection or noninjection drug users or group homes and nonresidential day care facilities for developmentally disabled persons (individual risk factor screening not required)

**Hepatitis B vaccination****Routine vaccination**

- **Age 19 through 59 years:** complete a 2- or 3-, or 4-dose series
  - 2-dose series only applies when 2 doses of Heplisav-B\* are used at least 4 weeks apart
  - 3-dose series Engerix-B or Recombivax HB at 0, 1, 6 months [minimum intervals: dose 1 to dose 2: 4 weeks / dose 2 to dose 3: 8 weeks / dose 1 to dose 3: 16 weeks]
  - 3-dose series HepA-HepB (Twinrix) at 0, 1, 6 months [minimum intervals: dose 1 to dose 2: 4 weeks / dose 2 to dose 3: 5 months]
  - 4-dose series HepA-HepB (Twinrix) accelerated schedule of 3 doses at 0, 7, and 21–30 days, followed by a booster dose at 12 months
  - 4-dose series Engerix-B at 0, 1, 2, and 6 months for persons on adult hemodialysis (note: each dosage is double that of normal adult dose, i.e., 2 mL instead of 1 mL)

\***Note:** Heplisav-B not recommended in pregnancy due to lack of safety data in pregnant women

**Special situations**

- **Age 60 years or older\* and at risk for hepatitis B virus infection:** 2-dose (Heplisav-B) or 3-dose (Engerix-B, Recombivax HB) series or 3-dose series HepA-HepB (Twinrix) as above
  - **Chronic liver disease** (e.g., persons with hepatitis C, cirrhosis, fatty liver disease, alcoholic liver disease, autoimmune hepatitis, alanine aminotransferase [ALT] or aspartate aminotransferase [AST] level greater than twice upper limit of normal)
  - **HIV infection**
  - **Sexual exposure risk** (e.g., sex partners of hepatitis B surface antigen [HBsAg]-positive persons; sexually active persons not in mutually monogamous relationships; persons seeking evaluation or treatment for a sexually transmitted infection; men who have sex with men)
  - **Current or recent injection drug use**
  - **Percutaneous or mucosal risk for exposure to blood** (e.g., household contacts of HBsAg-positive persons; residents and staff of facilities for developmentally disabled persons; health care and public safety personnel with reasonably anticipated risk for exposure to blood or blood-contaminated body fluids; hemodialysis, peritoneal dialysis, home dialysis, and predialysis patients; patients with diabetes)
  - **Incarcerated persons**
  - **Travel in countries with high or intermediate endemic hepatitis B**

\***Note:** Anyone age 60 years or older who does not meet risk-based recommendations may still receive Hepatitis B vaccination.

**Human papillomavirus vaccination****Routine vaccination**

- **HPV vaccination recommended for all persons through age 26 years:** 2- or 3-dose series depending on age at initial vaccination or condition:
  - **Age 15 years or older at initial vaccination:** 3-dose series at 0, 1–2 months, 6 months (minimum intervals: dose 1 to dose 2: 4 weeks / dose 2 to dose 3: 12 weeks / dose 1 to dose 3: 5 months; repeat dose if administered too soon)
  - **Age 9–14 years at initial vaccination and received 1 dose or 2 doses less than 5 months apart:** 1 additional dose
  - **Age 9–14 years at initial vaccination and received 2 doses at least 5 months apart:** HPV vaccination series complete, no additional dose needed

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- **Interrupted schedules:** If vaccination schedule is interrupted, the series does not need to be restarted
- **No additional dose recommended when any HPV vaccine series has been completed using the recommended dosing intervals.**

## Shared clinical decision-making

- **Some adults age 27–45 years: Based on shared clinical decision-making,** 2- or 3-dose series as above

## Special situations

- **Age ranges recommended above for routine and catch-up vaccination or shared clinical decision-making also apply in special situations**
  - **Immunocompromising conditions, including HIV infection:** 3-dose series, even for those who initiate vaccination at age 9 through 14 years.
  - **Pregnancy:** Pregnancy testing is not needed before vaccination; HPV vaccination is not recommended until after pregnancy; no intervention needed if inadvertently vaccinated while pregnant

## Influenza vaccination

## Routine vaccination

- **Age 19 years or older:** 1 dose any influenza vaccine appropriate for age and health status annually
- For the 2021–2022 season, see [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/70/rr/rr7005a1.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/70/rr/rr7005a1.htm)
- For the 2022–23 season, see the 2022–23 ACIP influenza vaccine recommendations.

## Special situations

- **Egg allergy, hives only:** any influenza vaccine appropriate for age and health status annually
- **Egg allergy—any symptom other than hives** (e.g., angioedema, respiratory distress) or required epinephrine or another emergency medical intervention: see Appendix listing contraindications and precautions
- **Severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) to a vaccine component or a previous dose of any influenza vaccine:** see Appendix listing contraindications and precautions
- **History of Guillain-Barré syndrome within 6 weeks after previous dose of influenza vaccine:** Generally, should not be vaccinated unless vaccination benefits outweigh risks for those at higher risk for severe complications from influenza

## Measles, mumps, and rubella vaccination

## Routine vaccination

- **No evidence of immunity to measles, mumps, or rubella:** 1 dose
  - **Evidence of immunity:** Born before 1957 (health care personnel, see below), documentation of receipt of MMR vaccine, laboratory evidence of immunity or disease (diagnosis of disease without laboratory confirmation is not evidence of immunity)

## Special situations

- **Pregnancy with no evidence of immunity to rubella:** MMR contraindicated during pregnancy; after pregnancy (before discharge from health care facility), 1 dose
- **Nonpregnant women of childbearing age with no evidence of immunity to rubella:** 1 dose
- **HIV infection with CD4 percentages  $\geq 15\%$  and CD4 count  $\geq 200$  cells/mm<sup>3</sup> for at least 6 months and no evidence of immunity to measles, mumps, or rubella:** 2-dose series at least 4 weeks apart; MMR contraindicated for HIV infection with CD4 percentage  $< 15\%$  or CD4 count  $< 200$  cells/mm<sup>3</sup>
- **Severe immunocompromising conditions:** MMR contraindicated
- **Students in postsecondary educational institutions, international travelers, and household or close, personal contacts of immunocompromised persons with no evidence of immunity to measles, mumps, or rubella:** 2-dose series at least 4 weeks apart if previously did not receive any doses of MMR or 1 dose if previously received 1 dose MMR
- **Health care personnel:**
  - **Born before 1957 with no evidence of immunity to measles, mumps, or rubella:** Consider 2-dose series at least 4 weeks apart for measles or mumps or 1 dose for rubella
  - **Born in 1957 or later with no evidence of immunity to measles, mumps, or rubella:** 2-dose series at least 4 weeks apart for measles or mumps or at least 1 dose for rubella

## Meningococcal vaccination

## Special situations for MenACWY

- **Anatomical or functional asplenia (including sickle cell disease), HIV infection, persistent complement component deficiency, complement inhibitor (e.g., eculizumab, ravulizumab) use:** 2-dose series MenACWY-D (Menactra, Menveo, or MenQuadfi) at least 8 weeks apart and revaccinate every 5 years if risk remains
- **Travel in countries with hyperendemic or epidemic meningococcal disease, or microbiologists routinely exposed to *Neisseria meningitidis*:** 1 dose MenACWY (Menactra, Menveo, or MenQuadfi) and revaccinate every 5 years if risk remains
- **First-year college students who live in residential housing (if not previously vaccinated at age 16 years or older) or military recruits:** 1 dose MenACWY (Menactra, Menveo, or MenQuadfi)
- For MenACWY **booster dose recommendations** for groups listed under “Special situations” and in an outbreak setting (e.g., in community or organizational settings and among men who have sex with men) and additional meningococcal vaccination information, see [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/69/rr/rr6909a1.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/69/rr/rr6909a1.htm)

## Shared clinical decision-making for MenB

- **Adolescents and young adults age 16–23 years (age 16–18 years preferred) not at increased risk for meningococcal disease:** Based on shared clinical decision-making, 2-dose series MenB-4C (Bexsero) at least 1 month apart or 2-dose series MenB-FHbp (Trumenba) at 0, 6 months (if dose 2 was administered less than 6 months after dose 1, administer dose 3 at least 4 months after dose 2); MenB-4C and MenB-FHbp are not interchangeable (use same product for all doses in series)

## Special situations for MenB

- **Anatomical or functional asplenia (including sickle cell disease), persistent complement component deficiency, complement inhibitor (e.g., eculizumab, ravulizumab) use, or microbiologists routinely exposed to *Neisseria meningitidis*:**
  - 2-dose primary series MenB-4C (Bexsero) at least 1 month apart or 3-dose primary series MenB-FHbp (Trumenba) at 0, 1–2, 6 months (if dose 2 was administered at least 6 months after dose 1, dose 3 not needed); MenB-4C and MenB-FHbp are not interchangeable (use same product for all doses in series); 1 dose MenB booster 1 year after primary series and revaccinate every 2–3 years if risk remains

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- **Pregnancy:** Delay MenB until after pregnancy unless at increased risk and vaccination benefits outweigh potential risks
- For MenB **booster dose recommendations** for groups listed under “Special situations” and in an outbreak setting (e.g., in community or organizational settings and among men who have sex with men) and additional meningococcal vaccination information, see [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/69/rr/rr6909a1.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/69/rr/rr6909a1.htm)

**Note:** MenB vaccines may be administered simultaneously with MenACWY vaccines if indicated, but at a different anatomic site, if feasible.

## Pneumococcal vaccination

## Routine vaccination

- **Age 65 years or older** who have not previously received a pneumococcal conjugate vaccine or whose previous vaccination history is unknown: 1 dose PCV15 or 1 dose PCV20. If PCV15 is used, this should be followed by a dose of PPSV23 given at least 1 year after the PCV15 dose. A minimum interval of 8 weeks between PCV15 and PPSV23 can be considered for adults with an immunocompromising condition,\* cochlear implant, or cerebrospinal fluid leak to minimize the risk of invasive pneumococcal disease caused by serotypes unique to PPSV23 in these vulnerable groups.
- For guidance for patients who have already received a previous dose of PCV13 and/or PPSV23, see [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/71/wr/mm7104a1.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/71/wr/mm7104a1.htm).

## Special situations

- **Age 19–64 years** with certain underlying medical conditions or other risk factors\*\* who have not previously received a pneumococcal conjugate vaccine or whose previous vaccination history is unknown: 1 dose PCV15 or 1 dose PCV20. If PCV15 is used, this should be followed by a dose of PPSV23 given at least 1 year after the PCV15 dose. A minimum interval of 8 weeks between PCV15 and PPSV23 can be considered for adults with an immunocompromising condition,\* cochlear implant, or cerebrospinal fluid leak to minimize the risk of invasive pneumococcal disease caused by serotypes unique to PPSV23 in these vulnerable groups.
- For guidance for patients who have already received a previous dose of PCV13 and/or PPSV23, see [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/71/wr/mm7104a1.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/71/wr/mm7104a1.htm).

\***Note:** Immunocompromising conditions include chronic renal failure, nephrotic syndrome, immunodeficiency, iatrogenic immunosuppression, generalized malignancy, human immunodeficiency virus, Hodgkin disease, leukemia, lymphoma, multiple myeloma, solid organ transplants, congenital or acquired asplenia, sickle cell disease, or other hemoglobinopathies.

\*\***Note:** Underlying medical conditions or other risk factors include alcoholism, chronic heart/liver/lung disease, chronic renal failure, cigarette smoking, cochlear implant, congenital or acquired asplenia, CSF leak, diabetes mellitus, generalized malignancy, HIV, Hodgkin disease, immunodeficiency, iatrogenic immunosuppression, leukemia, lymphoma, multiple myeloma, nephrotic syndrome, solid organ transplants, or sickle cell disease or other hemoglobinopathies.

## Tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis vaccination

## Routine vaccination

- **Previously did not receive Tdap at or after age 11 years:** 1 dose Tdap, then Td or Tdap every 10 years

## Special situations

- **Previously did not receive primary vaccination series for tetanus, diphtheria, or pertussis:** 1 dose Tdap followed by 1 dose Td or Tdap at least 4 weeks after Tdap and another dose Td or Tdap 6–12 months after last Td or Tdap (Tdap can be substituted for any Td dose, but preferred as first dose), Td or Tdap every 10 years thereafter
- **Pregnancy:** 1 dose Tdap during each pregnancy, preferably in early part of gestational weeks 27–36
- **Wound management:** Persons with 3 or more doses of tetanus-toxoid-containing vaccine: For clean and minor wounds, administer Tdap or Td if more than 10 years since last dose of tetanus-toxoid-containing vaccine; for all other wounds, administer Tdap or Td if more than 5 years since last dose of tetanus-toxoid-containing vaccine. Tdap is preferred for persons who have not previously received Tdap or whose Tdap history is unknown. If a tetanus-toxoid-containing vaccine is indicated for a pregnant woman, use Tdap. For detailed information, see [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/69/wr/mm6903a5.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/69/wr/mm6903a5.htm)

## Varicella vaccination

## Routine vaccination

- **No evidence of immunity to varicella:** 2-dose series 4–8 weeks apart if previously did not receive varicella-containing vaccine (VAR or MMRV [measles-mumps-rubella-varicella vaccine] for children); if previously received 1 dose varicella-containing vaccine, 1 dose at least 4 weeks after first dose

- Evidence of immunity: U.S.-born before 1980 (except for pregnant women and health care personnel [see below]), documentation of 2 doses varicella-containing vaccine at least 4 weeks apart, diagnosis or verification of history of varicella or herpes zoster by a health care provider, laboratory evidence of immunity or disease

## Special situations

- **Pregnancy with no evidence of immunity to varicella:** VAR contraindicated during pregnancy; after pregnancy (before discharge from health care facility), 1 dose if previously received 1 dose varicella-containing vaccine or dose 1 of 2-dose series (dose 2: 4–8 weeks later) if previously did not receive any varicella-containing vaccine, regardless of whether U.S.-born before 1980
- **Health care personnel with no evidence of immunity to varicella:** 1 dose if previously received 1 dose varicella-containing vaccine; 2-dose series 4–8 weeks apart if previously did not receive any varicella-containing vaccine, regardless of whether U.S.-born before 1980
- **HIV infection with CD4 percentages  $\geq 15\%$  and CD4 count  $\geq 200$  cells/mm<sup>3</sup> with no evidence of immunity:** Vaccination may be considered (2 doses 3 months apart); VAR contraindicated for HIV infection with CD4 percentage  $< 15\%$  or CD4 count  $< 200$  cells/mm<sup>3</sup>
- **Severe immunocompromising conditions:** VAR contraindicated

## Zoster vaccination

## Routine vaccination

- **Age 50 years or older:** 2-dose series RZV (Shingrix) 2–6 months apart (minimum interval: 4 weeks; repeat dose if administered too soon), regardless of previous herpes zoster or history of zoster vaccine live (ZVL, Zostavax) vaccination (administer RZV at least 2 months after ZVL)

## Special situations

- **Pregnancy:** There is currently no ACIP recommendation for RZV use in pregnancy. Consider delaying RZV until after pregnancy.
- **Immunocompromising conditions (including HIV):** RZV recommended for use in persons age 19 years or older who are or will be immunodeficient or immunosuppressed because of disease or therapy. For detailed information, see [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/71/wr/mm7103a2.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/71/wr/mm7103a2.htm).

## Appendix

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## Guide to Contraindications and Precautions to Commonly Used Vaccines

Adapted from Table 4-1 in Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) General Best Practice Guidelines for Immunization: Contraindication and Precautions available at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/contraindications.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/contraindications.html) and ACIP's Recommendations for the Prevention and Control of 2021-22 Seasonal Influenza with Vaccines available at [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/70/rr/rr7005a1.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/70/rr/rr7005a1.htm)

Interim clinical considerations for use of COVID-19 vaccines including contraindications and precautions can be found at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/clinical-considerations/covid-19-vaccines-us.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/clinical-considerations/covid-19-vaccines-us.html)

Vaccine	Contraindications <sup>1</sup>	Precautions <sup>2</sup>
Influenza, egg-based, inactivated injectable (IIV4)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) after previous dose of any influenza vaccine (i.e., any egg-based IIV, cclIV, RIV, or LAIV of any valency)</li> <li>Severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) to any vaccine component<sup>3</sup> (excluding egg)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guillain-Barré syndrome (GBS) within 6 weeks after a previous dose of any type of influenza vaccine</li> <li>Persons with egg allergy with symptoms other than hives (e.g., angioedema, respiratory distress) or required epinephrine or another emergency medical intervention: Any influenza vaccine appropriate for age and health status may be administered. If using egg-based IIV4, administer in medical setting under supervision of health care provider who can recognize and manage severe allergic reactions. May consult an allergist.</li> <li>Moderate or severe acute illness with or without fever</li> </ul>
Influenza, cell culture-based inactivated injectable [(cclIV4), Flucelvac <sup>®</sup> Quadrivalent]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) to any cclIV of any valency, or to any component<sup>3</sup> of cclIV4</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guillain-Barré syndrome (GBS) within 6 weeks after a previous dose of any type of influenza vaccine</li> <li>Persons with a history of severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) after a previous dose of any egg-based IIV, RIV, or LAIV of any valency. If using cclIV4, administer in medical setting under supervision of health care provider who can recognize and manage severe allergic reactions. May consult an allergist.</li> <li>Moderate or severe acute illness with or without fever</li> </ul>
Influenza, recombinant injectable [(RIV4), Flublok <sup>®</sup> Quadrivalent]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) to any RIV of any valency, or to any component<sup>3</sup> of RIV4</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guillain-Barré syndrome (GBS) within 6 weeks after a previous dose of any type of influenza vaccine</li> <li>Persons with a history of severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) after a previous dose of any egg-based IIV, cclIV, or LAIV of any valency. If using RIV4, administer in medical setting under supervision of health care provider who can recognize and manage severe allergic reactions. May consult an allergist.</li> <li>Moderate or severe acute illness with or without fever</li> </ul>
Influenza, live attenuated [LAIV4, Flumist <sup>®</sup> Quadrivalent]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) after previous dose of any influenza vaccine (i.e., any egg-based IIV, cclIV, RIV, or LAIV of any valency)</li> <li>Severe allergic reaction (e.g., anaphylaxis) to any vaccine component<sup>3</sup> (excluding egg)</li> <li>Adults age 50 years or older</li> <li>Anatomic or functional asplenia</li> <li>Immunocompromised due to any cause including, but not limited to, medications and HIV infection</li> <li>Close contacts or caregivers of severely immunosuppressed persons who require a protected environment</li> <li>Pregnancy</li> <li>Cochlear implant</li> <li>Active communication between the cerebrospinal fluid (CSF) and the oropharynx, nasopharynx, nose, ear, or any other cranial CSF leak</li> <li>Received influenza antiviral medications oseltamivir or zanamivir within the previous 48 hours, peramivir within the previous 5 days, or baloxavir within the previous 17 days.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guillain-Barré syndrome (GBS) within 6 weeks after a previous dose of any type of influenza vaccine</li> <li>Asthma in persons aged 5 years old or older</li> <li>Persons with egg allergy with symptoms other than hives (e.g., angioedema, respiratory distress) or required epinephrine or another emergency medical intervention: Any influenza vaccine appropriate for age and health status may be administered. If using LAIV4 (which is egg based), administer in medical setting under supervision of health care provider who can recognize and manage severe allergic reactions. May consult an allergist.</li> <li>Persons with underlying medical conditions (other than those listed under contraindications) that might predispose to complications after wild-type influenza virus infection [e.g., chronic pulmonary, cardiovascular (except isolated hypertension), renal, hepatic, neurologic, hematologic, or metabolic disorders (including diabetes mellitus)]</li> <li>Moderate or severe acute illness with or without fever</li> </ul>

- When a contraindication is present, a vaccine should NOT be administered. Kroger A, Bahta L, Hunter P. ACIP General Best Practice Guidelines for Immunization. [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/contraindications.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/contraindications.html)
- When a precaution is present, vaccination should generally be deferred but might be indicated if the benefit of protection from the vaccine outweighs the risk for an adverse reaction. Kroger A, Bahta L, Hunter P. ACIP General Best Practice Guidelines for Immunization. [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/contraindications.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/contraindications.html)
- Vaccination providers should check FDA-approved prescribing information for the most complete and updated information, including contraindications, warnings, and precautions. Package inserts for U.S.-licensed vaccines are available at [www.fda.gov/vaccines-blood-biologics/approved-products/vaccines-licensed-use-united-states](http://www.fda.gov/vaccines-blood-biologics/approved-products/vaccines-licensed-use-united-states).

# Screening Checklist for Contraindications to Vaccines for Adults

PATIENT NAME \_\_\_\_\_

 DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
month / day / year

**For patients:** The following questions will help us determine which vaccines you may be given today. If you answer “yes” to any question, it does not necessarily mean you should not be vaccinated. It just means additional questions must be asked. If a question is not clear, please ask your healthcare provider to explain it.

	yes	no	don't know
1. Are you sick today?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Do you have allergies to medications, food, a vaccine component, or latex?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Have you ever had a serious reaction after receiving a vaccination?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Do you have a long-term health problem with heart, lung, kidney, or metabolic disease (e.g., diabetes), asthma, a blood disorder, no spleen, complement component deficiency, a cochlear implant, or a spinal fluid leak? Are you on long-term aspirin therapy?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Do you have cancer, leukemia, HIV/AIDS, or any other immune system problem?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Do you have a parent, brother, or sister with an immune system problem?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. In the past 3 months, have you taken medications that affect your immune system, such as prednisone, other steroids, or anticancer drugs; drugs for the treatment of rheumatoid arthritis, Crohn's disease, or psoriasis; or have you had radiation treatments?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Have you had a seizure or a brain or other nervous system problem?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. During the past year, have you received a transfusion of blood or blood products, or been given immune (gamma) globulin or an antiviral drug?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. For women: Are you pregnant or is there a chance you could become pregnant during the next month?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Have you received any vaccinations in the past 4 weeks?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

FORM COMPLETED BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

FORM REVIEWED BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**Did you bring your immunization record card with you?**                      yes     no

It is important for you to have a personal record of your vaccinations. If you don't have a personal record, ask your healthcare provider to give you one. Keep this record in a safe place and bring it with you every time you seek medical care. Make sure your healthcare provider records all your vaccinations on it.

# Information for Healthcare Professionals about the Screening Checklist for Contraindications to Vaccines for Adults

*Are you interested in knowing why we included a certain question on the screening checklist? If so, read the information below. If you want to find out even more, consult the references in **Notes** below.*

**NOTE:** For supporting documentation on the answers given below, go to the specific ACIP vaccine recommendation found at the following website: [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/index.html)

**NOTE:** For summary information on contraindications and precautions to vaccines, go to the ACIP's General Best Practice Guidelines for Immunization at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/contraindications.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/contraindications.html)

## 1. Are you sick today? [all vaccines]

There is no evidence that acute illness reduces vaccine efficacy or increases vaccine adverse events. However, as a precaution with moderate or severe acute illness, all vaccines should be delayed until the illness has improved. Mild illnesses (e.g., upper respiratory infections, diarrhea) are NOT contraindications to vaccination. Do not withhold vaccination if a person is taking antibiotics.

## 2. Do you have allergies to medications, food, a vaccine component, or latex? [all vaccines]

An anaphylactic reaction to latex is a contraindication to vaccines that contain latex as a component or as part of the packaging (e.g., vial stoppers, prefilled syringe plungers, prefilled syringe caps). If a person has anaphylaxis after eating gelatin, do not administer vaccines containing gelatin. A local reaction to a prior vaccine dose or vaccine component, including latex, is not a contraindication to a subsequent dose or vaccine containing that component. For information on vaccines supplied in vials or syringes containing latex, see [www.cdc.gov/vaccines-pubs/pinkbook/downloads/appendices/B/latex-table.pdf](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines-pubs/pinkbook/downloads/appendices/B/latex-table.pdf); for an extensive list of vaccine components, see [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/pinkbook/downloads/appendices/B/excipient-table-2.pdf](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/pinkbook/downloads/appendices/B/excipient-table-2.pdf).

People with egg allergy of any severity can receive any IIV, RIV, or LAIV that is otherwise appropriate for the patient's age and health status. With the exception of cclIV and RIV (which do not contain egg antigen), people with a history of severe allergic reaction to egg involving any symptom other than hives (e.g., angioedema, respiratory distress), or who required epinephrine or another emergency medical intervention, the vaccine should be administered in a medical setting, such as a clinic, health department, or physician office; vaccine administration should be supervised by a healthcare provider who is able to recognize and manage severe allergic conditions.

## 3. Have you ever had a serious reaction after receiving a vaccination? [all vaccines]

History of anaphylactic reaction (see question 2) to a previous dose of vaccine or vaccine component is a contraindication for subsequent doses. Under normal circumstances, vaccines are deferred when a precaution is present. However, situations may arise when the benefit outweighs the risk (e.g., during a community pertussis outbreak).

## 4. Do you have a long-term health problem with heart, lung, kidney, or metabolic disease (e.g., diabetes), asthma, a blood disorder, no spleen, complement component deficiency, a cochlear implant, or a spinal fluid leak? Are you on long term aspirin therapy? [MMR, VAR, LAIV]

A history of thrombocytopenia or thrombocytopenic purpura is a precaution to MMR vaccine. LAIV is not recommended for people with anatomic or functional asplenia, complement component deficiency, a cochlear implant, or CSF leak. Underlying health conditions of the heart, lung, kidney, or metabolic disease (e.g., diabetes) and asthma are considered precautions for the use of LAIV. Aspirin use is a precaution to VAR.

## 5. Do you have cancer, leukemia, HIV/AIDS, or any other immune system problem? [LAIV, MMR, VAR]

Live virus vaccines (e.g., LAIV, MMR, VAR) are usually contraindicated in immunocompromised people. However, there are exceptions. For example, MMR vaccine is recommended and VAR vaccine may be considered for adults with CD4+ T-lymphocyte counts of greater than or equal to 200 cells/ $\mu$ L. Immunosuppressed people should not receive LAIV.

## 6. Do you have a parent, brother, or sister with an immune system problem? [MMR, VAR]

MMR or VAR vaccines should not be administered to persons who have a family history of congenital or hereditary immunodeficiency in first-degree relatives (i.e., parents and siblings), unless the immune competence of the potential vaccine recipient has been substantiated clinically or verified by a laboratory.

## 7. In the past 3 months, have you taken medications that affect your immune system, such as cortisone, prednisone, other steroids, or anticancer drugs; drugs for the treatment of rheumatoid arthritis, Crohn's disease, or psoriasis; or have you had radiation treatments? [LAIV, MMR, VAR]

Live virus vaccines (e.g., LAIV, MMR, VAR) should be postponed until after chemotherapy or long-term high-dose steroid therapy has ended. For details and length of time to postpone, see references in **Notes** above. Some immune modulator and immune modulator drugs (especially the anti-tumor necrosis factor agents adalimumab, infliximab, etanercept, golimumab, and certolizumab pegol) may be immunosuppressive. A comprehensive list of immunosuppressive immune modulators is available in CDC Health Information for International Travel (the "Yellow Book") available at [wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/yellowbook/2020/travelers-with-additional-considerations/immunocompromised-travelers](http://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/yellowbook/2020/travelers-with-additional-considerations/immunocompromised-travelers). The use of live virus vaccines should be avoided in persons taking these drugs. To find specific vaccination schedules for stem cell transplant (bone marrow transplant) patients, see references in **Notes** above.

## 8. Have you had a seizure or a brain or other nervous system problem? [influenza, Td/Tdap]

Tdap is contraindicated in people who have a history of encephalopathy within 7 days following DTP/DTaP. An unstable progressive neurologic problem is a precaution to the use of Tdap. For people with stable neurologic disorders (including seizures) unrelated to vaccination, or for people with a family history of seizure, vaccinate as usual. A history of Guillain-Barré syndrome (GBS) is a consideration with the following: 1) Td/Tdap: if GBS has occurred within 6 weeks of a tetanus-toxoid vaccine and decision is made to continue vaccination, give Tdap instead of Td if no history of prior Tdap; 2) Influenza vaccine (IIV/LAIV): if GBS has occurred within 6 weeks of a prior influenza vaccine, vaccination should generally be avoided unless the benefits outweigh the risks (for those at higher risk for complications from influenza).

## 9. During the past year, have you received a transfusion of blood or blood products, or been given immune (gamma) globulin or an antiviral drug? [MMR, LAIV, VAR]

Certain live virus vaccines (e.g., MMR, LAIV, VAR) may need to be deferred, depending on several variables. Consult General Best Practice Guidelines for Immunization (referenced in **Notes** above) for current information on intervals between antiviral drugs, immune globulin or blood product administration and live virus vaccines.

## 10. For women: Are you pregnant or is there a chance you could become pregnant during the next month? [HPV, IPV, MenB, MMR, LAIV, VAR]

Live virus vaccines (e.g., MMR, VAR, LAIV) are contraindicated one month before and during pregnancy because of the theoretical risk of virus transmission to the fetus. Sexually active women in their childbearing years who receive live virus vaccines should be instructed to avoid pregnancy for one month following receipt of the vaccine. On theoretical grounds, IPV and MenB should not be given during pregnancy; however, it may be given if there is a risk of exposure. IIV and Tdap are both recommended during pregnancy. HPV vaccine is not recommended during pregnancy.

## 11. Have you received any vaccinations in the past 4 weeks? [LAIV, MMR, VAR, yellow fever]

People who were given either LAIV or an injectable live virus vaccine (e.g., MMR, VAR, yellow fever) should wait 28 days before receiving another vaccination of this type (30 days for yellow fever). Inactivated vaccines may be given at any spacing interval if they are not administered simultaneously.

### VACCINE ABBREVIATIONS

LAIV = Live attenuated influenza vaccine	MMR = Measles, mumps, and rubella vaccine
HPV = Human papillomavirus vaccine	RIV = Recombinant influenza vaccine
IIV = Inactivated influenza vaccine	Td/Tdap = Tetanus, diphtheria, (acellular pertussis) vaccine
cclIV = Cell culture inactivated influenza vaccine	VAR = Varicella vaccine
IPV = Inactivated poliovirus vaccine	

# You Must Provide Patients with Vaccine Information Statements (VISs) – It's Federal Law!

## What are Vaccine Information Statements (VISs)?

Vaccine Information Statements (VISs) are documents produced by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), in consultation with panels of experts and parents, to properly inform vaccinees (or their parents/legal representatives) about the risks and benefits of each vaccine. VISs are not meant to replace interactions with healthcare providers, who should address any questions or concerns that the vaccinee (or parent/legal representative) may have.

## Using VISs is legally required!

Federal law (under the National Childhood Vaccine Injury Act) requires a healthcare professional to provide a copy of the current VIS to an adult patient or to a child's parent/legal representative before vaccinating an adult or child with a dose of the following vaccines: diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, measles, mumps, rubella, polio, hepatitis A, hepatitis B, *Haemophilus influenzae* type b (Hib), influenza, pneumococcal conjugate, meningococcal, rotavirus, human papillomavirus (HPV), or varicella (chickenpox).

## Where to get VISs

All available VISs can be downloaded from the websites of Immunize.org at [www.immunize.org/vis](http://www.immunize.org/vis) or CDC at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/index.html). Ready-to-copy versions may also be available from your state or local health department.

**Translations:** You can find VISs in more than 40 languages on the Immunize.org website at [www.immunize.org/vis](http://www.immunize.org/vis).

To obtain translations of VIS in languages other than English, go to [www.immunize.org/vis](http://www.immunize.org/vis).

### According to CDC, the appropriate VIS must be given:

- Prior to the vaccination (and prior to each dose of a multi-dose series);
- Regardless of the age of the vaccinee;
- Regardless of whether the vaccine is given in a public or private healthcare setting.

## Top 10 Facts About VISs

**FACT 1** It's federal law! You must provide current\* VISs to all your patients before vaccinating them.

Federal law requires that VISs must be used for patients of **ALL** ages when administering these vaccines:

- DTaP (includes DT)
- Td and Tdap
- hepatitis A
- hepatitis B
- Hib
- HPV
- influenza (inactivated and live, intranasal)
- MMR and MMRV
- meningococcal (MenACWY, MenB)
- pneumococcal conjugate
- polio
- rotavirus
- varicella (chickenpox)

For the vaccines not covered under the National Childhood Vaccine Injury Act (i.e., adenovirus, anthrax, dengue, Japanese encephalitis, pneumococcal polysaccharide, rabies, smallpox/monkeypox, typhoid, yellow fever, and zoster), providers are not required by federal law to use VISs unless they have been purchased under CDC contract. However, CDC recommends that VISs be used whenever these vaccines are given.

\*Federal law allows up to 6 months for a new VIS to be used.

**FACT 2** VISs can be given to patients in a variety of ways.

In most medical settings, VISs are provided to patients (or their parents/legal representatives) in paper form. However, VISs also may be provided using electronic media. Regardless of the format used, the goal is to provide a current VIS just prior to vaccination.

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## Most current versions of VISs (table)

As of June 2, 2022, the most recent versions of the VISs are as follows:

Adenovirus .....	1/8/20	MMRV .....	8/6/21
Anthrax .....	1/8/20	Multi-vaccine .....	10/15/21
Cholera .....	10/30/19	PCV .....	2/4/22
Dengue .....	12/17/21	PPSV23 .....	10/30/19
DTaP .....	8/6/21	Polio .....	8/6/21
Hepatitis A .....	10/15/21	Rabies .....	6/2/22
Hepatitis B .....	10/15/21	Rotavirus .....	10/15/21
Hib .....	8/6/21	Smallpox/monkeypox .....	6/1/22
HPV .....	8/6/21	Td .....	8/6/21
Influenza .....	8/6/21	Tdap .....	8/6/21
Japanese enceph.....	8/15/19	Typhoid .....	10/30/19
MenACWY .....	8/6/21	Varicella .....	8/6/21
MenB .....	8/6/21	Yellow fever .....	4/1/20
MMR .....	8/6/21	Zoster .....	2/4/22

A handy list of current VIS dates is also available at [www.immunize.org/catg.d/p2029.pdf](http://www.immunize.org/catg.d/p2029.pdf).

(For information on special circumstances involving vaccination of a child when a parent/legal representative is not available at the time of vaccination, see CDC's *VIS Frequently Asked Questions* at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/about/vis-faqs.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/about/vis-faqs.html).)

Prior to vaccination, VIS may be:

- Provided as a paper copy
- Offered on a permanent, laminated office copy
- Downloaded by the vaccinee (parent/legal representative) to a smartphone or other electronic device (VISs have been specially formatted for this purpose)
- Made available to be read before the office visit, e.g., by giving the patient or parent a copy to take home during a prior visit, or telling them how to download or view a copy from the Internet. These patients must still be offered a copy in one of the formats described previously to read during the immunization visit, as a reminder.

Regardless of the way the patient is given the VIS to read, providers must still offer a copy (which can be an electronic copy) of each appropriate VIS to take home following the vaccination. However, the vaccinee may decline.

**FACT 3** VISs are required in both public and private sector healthcare settings.

Federal law requires the use of VISs in both public and private sector settings, regardless of the source of payment for the vaccine.

**FACT 4** You must provide a current VIS *before* a vaccine is administered to the patient.

A VIS provides information about the disease and the vaccine and must be given to the patient **before** a vaccine is administered. It is also acceptable to hand out the VIS well before administering vaccines (e.g., at a prenatal visit or at birth for vaccines an infant will receive during infancy), as long as you still provide a current VIS right before administering vaccines.

**FACT 5** You must provide a current VIS for *each* dose of vaccine you administer.

The most current VIS must be provided before **each dose** of vaccine is given, including vaccines given as a series of doses. For example, if 5 doses of a single vaccine are required (e.g., DTaP), the patient (parent/legal representative) must have the opportunity to read the information on the VIS before each dose is given.

**FACT 6** You must provide VISs whenever you administer combination vaccines.

If you administer a combination vaccine that does not have a stand-alone VIS (e.g., Kinrix, Quadracel, Pediarix, Pentacel, Twinrix) you should provide the patient with individual VISs for the component vaccines, or use the Multi-Vaccine VIS.

The Multi-Vaccine VIS may be used in place of the individual VISs for DTaP, Hib, hepatitis B, polio, and pneumococcal when two or more of these vaccines are administered during the same visit. It may be used for infants as well as children through 6 years of age. The Multi-Vaccine VIS should not be used for adolescents or adults.

**FACT 7** VISs should be given in a language/format that the recipient can understand, whenever possible.

For patients who don't read or speak English, the law requires that providers ensure all patients (parent/legal representatives) receive a VIS, regardless of their ability to read English. To obtain VISs in more than 40 languages, visit the Immunize.org website at [www.immunize.org/vis](http://www.immunize.org/vis). Providers can supplement VISs with visual presentations or oral explanations as needed.

**FACT 8** Federal law does not require signed consent in order for a person to be vaccinated.

Signed consent is not required by federal law for vaccination (although some states may require it).

**FACT 9** To verify that a VIS was given, providers must record in the patient's medical record (or permanent office log or file) the following information:

- The edition date of the VIS (found on the back at the right bottom corner)
- The date the VIS is provided (i.e., the date of the visit when the vaccine is administered)

In addition, providers must record:

- The office address and name and title of the person who administers the vaccine
- The date the vaccine is administered
- The vaccine manufacturer and lot number

**FACT 10** VISs should not be altered before giving them to patients, but you can add some information.

Providers should not change a VIS or write their own VISs. However, it is permissible to add a practice's name, address, and contact information to an existing VIS.

**Additional resources on VISs and their use are available from the following organizations:**

**Immunization Action Coalition**

- *VIS general information and translations in more than 40 languages:* [www.immunize.org/vis](http://www.immunize.org/vis)
- *Current Dates of Vaccine Information Statements:* [www.immunize.org/catg.d/p2029.pdf](http://www.immunize.org/catg.d/p2029.pdf)

**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**

- *VIS website:* [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis)
- *VIS Facts:* [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/about/facts-vis.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/about/facts-vis.html)
- *VIS FAQs:* [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/about/vis-faqs.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/about/vis-faqs.html)

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

# Vaccine Information Statements

## Required Use

### 1. Provide a Vaccine Information Statement (VIS) when a vaccination is given.

As required under the National Childhood Vaccine Injury Act (42 U.S.C. §300aa-26), all health care providers in the United States who administer, to any child or adult, any of the following vaccines — diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, measles, mumps, rubella, polio, hepatitis A, hepatitis B, *Haemophilus influenzae* type b (Hib), influenza, pneumococcal conjugate, meningococcal, rotavirus, human papillomavirus (HPV), or varicella (chickenpox) — shall, prior to administration of each dose of the vaccine, provide a copy to keep of the relevant current edition vaccine information materials that have been produced by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC):

- to the parent or legal representative<sup>1</sup> of any child to whom the provider intends to administer such vaccine,
- OR
- to any adult<sup>2</sup> to whom the provider intends to administer such vaccine.

If there is not a single VIS for a combination vaccine, use the VISs for all component vaccines.

VISs should be supplemented with visual presentations or oral explanations as appropriate.

### 2. Record information for each VIS provided.

Health care providers shall make a notation in each patient's permanent medical record at the time vaccine information materials are provided, indicating:

- (1) the edition date of the Vaccine Information Statement distributed, and
- (2) the date the VIS was provided.

This recordkeeping requirement supplements the requirement of 42 U.S.C. §300aa-25 that all health care providers administering these vaccines must record in the patient's permanent medical record (or in a permanent office log):

- (3) the name, address and title of the individual who administers the vaccine,
- (4) the date of administration, and
- (5) the vaccine manufacturer and lot number of the vaccine used.

<sup>1</sup> "Legal representative" is defined as a parent or other individual who is qualified under State law to consent to the immunization of a minor child or incompetent adult.

<sup>2</sup> In the case of an incompetent adult, relevant VISs shall be provided to the individual's legal representative. If the incompetent adult is living in a long-term care facility, all relevant VISs may be provided at the time of admission, or at the time of consent if later than admission, rather than prior to each vaccination.

## Applicability of State Law

Health care providers should consult their legal counsel to determine additional State requirements pertaining to immunization. The Federal requirement to provide the vaccine information materials supplements any applicable State laws.

## Availability of Copies

Copies are available in English and many other languages from CDC's website at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/vis](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/vis). Single camera-ready copies may also be available from State health departments.

## Current VIS Editions

DTaP: 8/6/21	Meningococcal ACWY: 8/6/21
Hib: 8/6/21	Meningococcal B: 8/6/21
Hepatitis A: 10/15/21	Pneumococcal (PCV) <sup>†</sup> : 2/4/22
Hepatitis B: 10/15/21	Polio: 8/6/21
HPV (Gardasil-9): 8/6/21	Rotavirus: 10/15/21
Influenza (inactivated): 8/6/21	Td: 8/6/21
Influenza (live): 8/6/21	Tdap: 8/6/21
MMR: 8/6/21	Varicella: 8/6/21
MMRV: 8/6/21	Multi-Vaccine*: 10/15/21

\*An optional alternative when two or more routine childhood vaccines (i.e., DTaP, hepatitis B, Hib, pneumococcal, or polio) are administered at the same visit.

<sup>†</sup>Interim





# **MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH**



# Health Center of HURON COUNTY

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## Information for New Parents

### Services Offered by the Health Center of Huron County & Huron County Public Health

#### Birth Certificates

HCPH issues birth certificates for anyone born in the State of Ohio from December 1908 to the present. The cost of a certified copy is \$25.00 (cash, check, or money order). Debit cards or credit cards are accepted with an additional fee. Individuals have the option to order birth certificates online at <https://huronoh.permitium.com/rod>.

#### Reproductive Health

Reproductive health services including birth control, pregnancy tests, STD testing/treatment, and education are available. Long-acting, reversible contraceptives available. For more information, visit [www.huroncohealth.com/reproductive-health](http://www.huroncohealth.com/reproductive-health) or call 419-668-1652 ext. 241.

#### Baby Sleep Safe

The Health Center of Huron County offers education to families about the ABC's of safe sleep. WIC-eligible families lacking a safe sleep environment, or expectant mothers who are at least 32 weeks pregnant should contact the Health Center to participate in the program at 419-668-1652 ext. 241.

#### Immunizations

The Health Center of Huron County offers immunizations for all ages, beginning at 6 weeks. No child is turned away for Vaccines for Children (VFC) vaccines if their family is unable to pay for the shots. Medicare, Medicaid, and most private insurances are accepted. For more information, visit [www.huroncohealth.com/immunizations](http://www.huroncohealth.com/immunizations) or call 419-668-1652 ext. 241.

#### Car Seat Safety

HCPH has certified Child Passenger Safety Technicians to help you with any questions you have about car seat safety. HCPH offers child restraint safety checks by appointment and distributes infant and child car seats and booster seats to eligible Huron County families through the Ohio Buckles Buckeyes program. For more information call 419-668-1652 ext.241.



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## Baby Sleep Safe

The Health Center of Huron County's Baby Sleep Safe program is currently funded through donations and grant funding awarded by the Ohio Department of Health.

### WHO QUALIFIES

Huron County and Bellevue City families who benefit from or are eligible for the WIC program, lack a safe sleep environment for their child, and have a child under the age of one or are at least 32 weeks pregnant qualify for the Baby Sleep Safe program.

### SAFE SLEEP KITS

Those entered into the program will receive a free safe sleep kit, which, in addition to a portable crib, may include a fitted sheet, a sleep sack, and a pacifier, as well as safe sleep education.

### MAKE AN APPOINTMENT

This program is by appointment only. Please call 419-668-1652 Ext. 241 to schedule an appointment. Normal business hours are Monday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. & Tuesday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Please bring your insurance card to your appointment.

### MORE INFORMATION

For more information about the Baby Sleep Safe Program and safe sleep education please visit [www.HuronCoHealth.com/baby-sleep-safe](http://www.HuronCoHealth.com/baby-sleep-safe).

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Huron County



Public Health

HCPH has certified car seat technicians that can provide car seat checks for Huron County residents. HCPH also distributes car seats to eligible families.

# Car Seat Safety



## CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY PROGRAM

Huron County Public Health distributes infant and child car seats to eligible Huron County families through generous donations. Designed for low-income families in need of safety seats for their children, the car seat instruction, distribution, and education service can help families who qualify by providing child passenger safety seats for children from birth to 100 pounds.

### How Do I Make An Appointment?

Call 419-668-1652

### Office Hours

#### Monday

9:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

#### Tuesday

8:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

#### Wednesday

8:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

#### Thursday

8:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

#### Friday

8:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

### WHO QUALIFIES

Huron County families who benefit from or are eligible for the WIC program or Medicaid

### WHAT HCPH PROVIDES

- Certified child passenger safety technicians
- Car Seat (if eligible), provided through Ohio Buckles Buckeyes
- Instructions on how to install your new car seat
- Inspection to make sure car seat is safe and proper fit

### WHAT TO BRING

- Your child
- Car seat (if we aren't providing)
- Car seat manual
- Your vehicle
- Vehicle manual
- Health Insurance Card

### Enroll in HCPH Mailing List

Receive updates, newsletters, and alerts!



<http://eepurl.com/ckF5Ds>





## CHILDREN WITH MEDICAL HANDICAPS (CMH)

### WHAT IS CMH?

CMH is a financial assistance program funded by a state and county partnership, for families with children with special health care needs. CMH provides financial services to rule out a handicapping condition, determine a diagnosis, or establish a plan of treatment for a child already diagnosed with a medical condition. There is no financial eligibility for the diagnostic program. For those diagnosed with an eligible condition, the program offers the potential for a treatment program.

### HOW THE HEALTH CENTER OF HURON COUNTY CAN HELP

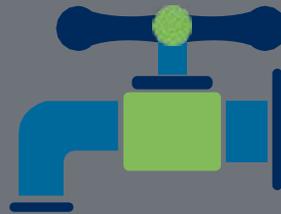
Health Center of Huron County nurses facilitate the program, assisting the family with an application; information on CMH approved providers and case management for those approved for the program. Public Health Nurses can be an important resource for families who may be working with many agencies and providers.

**For more information about the program or to schedule an appointment  
contact the Health Center of Huron County at 419-668-1652 Ext. 241.**

# Huron County Public Health

“Lead is a toxic material whose widespread use has caused environmental contamination and health problems in many parts of the world.”  
-World Health Organization

## Lead Services



### HCPH SERVICES

Huron County Public Health (HCPH) offers blood lead level testing and water testing services to the public.

### How Do I Make An Appointment?

Call 419-668-1652

#### Blood Lead Level Testing

Lead poisoning is caused by breathing or **swallowing** lead. There are many sources of lead in our everyday environments, including paint in homes built before 1978, water pumped through leaded pipes, and various other sources. Lead poisoning can cause serious health issues, especially in children. A lead test is the only way to know if you or your child has lead poisoning. To make an appointment for a blood lead test with HCPH, call 419-668-1652 Ext. 241. For more information and safety tips for your home, visit [www.HuronCoHealth.com/Lead](http://www.HuronCoHealth.com/Lead)

#### Water Testing

HCPH offers water testing. If you are concerned that your homes drinking water may have high levels of lead, complete and return a Water Sample Request Form, available online at [www.HuronCoHealth.com](http://www.HuronCoHealth.com) under forms. For more information about water testing call 419-668-1652 Ext, 239. For more information about lead in drinking water, visit [http://bit.ly/DrinkingWater\\_Lead](http://bit.ly/DrinkingWater_Lead)

#### Office Hours

##### Monday

9:00 am - 4:00 pm

##### Tuesday

8:00 am - 4:00 pm

##### Wednesday

8:00 am - 4:00 pm

##### Thursday

8:00 am - 4:00 pm

##### Friday

8:00 am - 4:00 pm

# Huron County Public Health

## Reporting High Blood Lead Levels

For blood lead levels  $\geq 3.5$   $\mu\text{g}/\text{dL}$  in children, contact Huron County Public Health's Nursing Division:

Fax: 419-663-1809

Phone: 419-668-1652 ext. 241

Refer to "Blood Testing Requirements" and "Medical Management Recommendations" in this desk reference for additional actions, including follow-up testing and additional referrals.

**Health Center of Huron County:** 419-668-1652 ext. 241

**Huron County WIC:** 419-668-6855

**Ohio Department of Health Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program:** 1-877-LEADSAFE (532-3723)



## Blood Lead Testing Requirements For Ohio Children less than 6 Years of Age



Ohio Department of Health

Ohio Healthy Homes and Lead Poisoning Prevention Program • [www.odh.ohio.gov](http://www.odh.ohio.gov)

### There is no safe level of lead in the blood.

- All capillary (finger/heel stick) test results  $\geq 5$   $\mu\text{g/dL}$  must be confirmed by venous draw. Point of care instruments such as the LeadCare® II cannot be used to confirm an elevated blood lead level, even if the sample is collected by venipuncture.
- Any confirmed level of lead in the blood is a reliable indicator that the child has been exposed to lead. All blood lead test results, by law, are required to be reported to ODH by the analyzing laboratory.
- The Ohio Healthy Homes and Lead Poisoning Prevention Program will respond accordingly to all blood lead levels of 5  $\mu\text{g/dL}$  or greater.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If the family answers “Yes” or “Do not know” to ANY of the questions below then <b>TEST – IT’S OHIO LAW!</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>TEST!</b> at ages 1 and 2 years.</li> <li><b>TEST!</b> between ages 3 and 6 years if the child has no test history.</li> </ul> </li> <li>If the family answers “No” to all questions, provide prevention guidance and follow up at the next visit.</li> </ul>	Yes	Do not know	No
1. Is the child on Medicaid?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Does the child live in a high zip code? (See list on back of this form.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Does the child live in or regularly visit a home, child care facility or school built before 1950?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Does the child live in or regularly visit a home, child care facility or school built before 1978 that has deteriorated paint?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Does the child live in or regularly visit a home built before 1978 with recent ongoing or planned renovation/remodeling?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Does the child have a sibling or playmate that has or did have lead poisoning?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Does the child frequently come in contact with an adult who has a hobby or works with lead? Examples are construction, welding, pottery, painting and casting ammunition.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Does the child live near an active or former lead smelter, battery recycling plant or other industry known to generate airborne lead dust?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

# Ohio High Risk Zip Codes Requiring Blood Lead Testing For Ohio Children less than 6 Years of Age

Ohio Healthy Homes and Lead Poisoning Prevention Program

## There is no safe level of lead in the blood.

Adams (None)	45011	44107	43210	45217	43550	44851	45371	43779	45356	44485
	45012	44108	43211	45218	Highland (None)	44889	45373	Ottawa	45365	44486
	45013	44109	43212	45219		Lucas	Monroe	43408	Stark	44488
Allen	45014	44110	43213	45220	Hocking	43601	43716	Paulding	44601	44504
45801	45015	44111	43214	45221		43603	43747	(None)	44640	44505
45802	45042	44112	43215	45222		43604	43754	Perry	44646	Tuscarawas
45804	45044	44113	43216	45223		43605	43793		44647	43840
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45854		44117	43221	45227	Huron	43608		45732	44704	44683
45887	Carroll	44118	43222	45229		43609	45325	Pickaway	44705	Union
	43903	44119	43223	45230		44851	45342		44706	(None)
Ashland	43908	44120	43224	45231		44865	45401	43113	44707	Van Wert
44805	43988	44121	43226	45232		44889	45402	Pike	44708	
44842	44675	44122	43227	45233	Jackson (None)		45403	(None)	44709	45874
44851	Champaign	44123	43228	45234		Jackson (None)	45404	Portage	44710	45882
Ashtabula	43078	44124	43229	45235	Jefferson	43613	45405		44711	45887
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44082		44131	43235	45241		43625	45414		44730	
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Athens		44135	Gallia	45244		43140	45417	45320	44203	45249
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45711		44144		45247			45420	45325	44222	
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45764				45252			45429	43516	44304	Wayne
45766	Clinton		Darke	45253			45431	Richland	44305	44230
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	Columbiana			45259			45439	44833	44308	44691
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Auglaize	43920	45382		Hancock			45449	44875	44310	Williams
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45887				44802			44501	44901	44312	Wood
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				45839			44503	44903	44314	44830
Belmont				45840			44504	44904	44315	Wyandot
43716		Delaware		45841			44505	44905	44316	44802
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							44620	45020	44436	



## Medical Management Recommendations for Ohio Children Receiving Blood Lead Tests

Ohio Healthy Homes and Lead Poisoning Prevention Program



### There is no safe level of lead in the blood.

- All capillary (finger/heel stick) test results  $\geq 5\mu\text{g}/\text{dL}$  must be confirmed by venous draw by the schedule below. Point of care instruments such as the LeadCare® II cannot be used to confirm an elevated blood lead level, even if the sample is collected by venipuncture.
- Any confirmed level of lead in the blood is a reliable indicator that the child has been exposed to lead.
- All blood lead test results, by law, are required to be reported to ODH by the analyzing laboratory.
- The Ohio Healthy Homes and Lead Poisoning Prevention Program will respond accordingly to all blood lead levels of  $5\mu\text{g}/\text{dL}$  or greater.

Blood Lead Level (BLL)	Confirm Using Venous Blood Within:	Medical Management Recommendations for BLL:	Venous Retest Intervals after Recommended Actions:
$<5\mu\text{g}/\text{dL}$	Not required	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Explain that there is no safe level of lead in the blood, what the child's BLL means, and how the family can reduce exposure. For reference, the geometric mean blood lead level for children 1-5 years is <math>1.3\mu\text{g}/\text{dL}</math>.</li> <li>• Monitor the child's neurological, psychosocial, and language development.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Test again at age 2 if first test is at age 1</li> <li>• Lead testing should be considered if the child moves to a different home, daycare, school, etc. that was built before 1978</li> </ul>
$5-9\mu\text{g}/\text{dL}$	1-3 months	<p><b>In addition to medical management actions listed above:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide lead education: potential environmental sources, effect of diet on exposure, potential health effects, and hazards associated with renovating pre-1978 homes.</li> <li>• Monitor subsequent increases/decreases in blood lead levels until the BLL remains <math>&lt;5\mu\text{g}/\text{dL}</math> for at least six months and lead exposures are controlled.</li> <li>• Complete child history and physical exam.</li> <li>• Assess iron status. Also consider status of hemoglobin or hematocrit. Children with low iron levels are more likely to have high blood lead levels. Follow AAP guidelines for prevention of iron deficiency.</li> <li>• Obtain an abdominal X-ray if particulate lead ingestion is suspected. Bowel decontamination should be performed if particulate lead ingestion is indicated.</li> <li>• Refer to the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC) for other nutritional counseling.</li> <li>• Refer to Help Me Grow program within 7 days if a potential delay in development has been identified.</li> <li>• Refer to the Children with Medical Handicaps program (CMH).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Every 3 months for first 2-4 tests</li> <li>• After 4 tests, every 6-9 months until BLLs drop to below <math>5\mu\text{g}/\text{dL}</math></li> </ul>
$10-44\mu\text{g}/\text{dL}$	Within 1 month	<p><b>In addition to medical management actions listed above:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Confirm results by venous blood sample immediately. A venous specimen will ensure therapy is based on current and reliable information.</li> <li>• Lab work for hemoglobin or hematocrit and free erythrocyte protoporphyrin are indicated.</li> <li>• Immediately remove child from exposure source (chelation could have negative effects if not moved to lead safe environment).</li> <li>• Hospitalization and chelation therapy should be considered with consultation from a medical toxicologist or pediatric environmental health specialist.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Within 1 month</li> </ul>
$\geq 45\mu\text{g}/\text{dL}$	As soon as possible	<p><b>In addition to medical management actions listed above:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Confirm results by venous blood sample immediately. A venous specimen will ensure therapy is based on current and reliable information.</li> <li>• Lab work for hemoglobin or hematocrit and free erythrocyte protoporphyrin are indicated.</li> <li>• Immediately remove child from exposure source (chelation could have negative effects if not moved to lead safe environment).</li> <li>• Hospitalization and chelation therapy should be considered with consultation from a medical toxicologist or pediatric environmental health specialist.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As soon as possible</li> <li>• Consult with expert</li> </ul>

•Ohio Healthy Homes and Lead Poisoning Prevention Program: 1-877-LEAD-SAFE

•Help Me Grow Hotline (Home Visiting and Early Intervention): 1-800-755-GROW (4769)

•Medicaid Provider Hotline: 1-800-686-1516 •Children with Medical Handicaps (CMH): 614-466-1700

•Poison Control: 1-800-222-1222 •Women, Infants and Children (WIC): 614-644-8571



# **ANIMAL BITE REPORTING FORMS**

# Huron County Public Health

## Reporting Animal Bites and Rabies

By law, all animal bites must be reported to the Environmental Health Division of the health department. Please complete and fax the Rabies Possible Exposure Report to:

Fax: 567-224-3201

Phone: 419-668-1652 ext. 239

**Human Rabies:** are Class A Reportable Diseases. By law, confirmed cases, suspect cases, and positive laboratory tests for rabies in humans must be reported immediately by telephone.

**Business Hours Phone:** 419-668-1652 ext. 269

**After Hours:** 1-800-734-4866.

For more information on communicable disease reporting requirements, see the first section of this Desk Reference: Communicable Disease Reporting.

# Huron County



# Public Health

28 Executive Drive, Norwalk, OH 44857 | P: 419-668-1652 | [environmental@huroncohealth.com](mailto:environmental@huroncohealth.com) | F: 567-244-3201

## **Rabies Possible Exposure Report**

Ohio laws and rules require mandatory reporting of possible human rabies exposure to the local health department in the jurisdiction in which the exposure occurred. If you are aware of a possible exposure within our county, please complete the form with *as much information as possible* and fax, email or call the Environmental Division with the following information.

### **Incident Information:**

Date of Incident: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Report: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address of Incident: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_  
Details of Incident: \_\_\_\_\_  
Reported by (Name): \_\_\_\_\_ Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Did victim see a physician:  Yes  No  Unknown    Did victim receive post exposure vaccine?  Yes  No  
Details of Injury:  Bite exposure  Scratch exposure  Multiple exposures  Other

### **Additional Information:**

Animal Species:  Dog  Cat  Raccoon  Bat  Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
Animal Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Color: \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex:  Male  Female  
Animal Species:  Owned  Stray  Wild  Unknown

### **Animal Owner Information:**

Owner Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Owner SS#/DOB \_\_\_\_\_  
Owner Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Owner City: \_\_\_\_\_ Owner State: \_\_\_\_\_ Owner Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Victim Information: (Required Information)**

Victim Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Victim Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Is Victim a Minor?  No  Yes *If Yes, Complete the following:*  
Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
*If different than victim information above:*  
Parent Address: \_\_\_\_\_



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# **BIRTH & DEATH CERTIFICATES**

# Huron County Public Health

## Vital Statistics Birth & Death Certificates

419-668-1652 ext. 248



Huron County Public Health has birth certificates for anyone who was born in the State of Ohio from December 1908 to present. Death Certificates can only be obtained from the local health department in the county where the individual passed away. The fee for a certified birth or death certificate is \$25.00 per copy.

### Obtaining Birth & Death Records in Huron County

The cost of a certified copy is \$25.00 (Cash, Check or Money Order). Debit cards or credit cards are accepted with an additional fee. Copies can be obtained via online ordering, walk-in/same day service, or mail-in request.

#### Online Ordering

Visit <https://huronoh.permitium.com/rod> or scan the QR codes below to access certified copies of birth or death certificates.



birth certificates



death certificates

#### Walk-In

Visit Huron County Public Health's Vital Statistics Division at  
Huron County Public Health  
28 Executive Drive  
Norwalk, OH 44857

#### Mail-In Request

For requests by mail: Mail in a completed request form and appropriate fee amount (listed on forms found in link above).

Huron County Public Health currently maintains death certificates for individuals deceased in Huron County and the City of Bellevue.

Birth Certificates can be obtained for anyone born in the state of Ohio.

Visit [www.HuronCoHealth.com/vital-records](http://www.HuronCoHealth.com/vital-records) for more information and to download a request form.

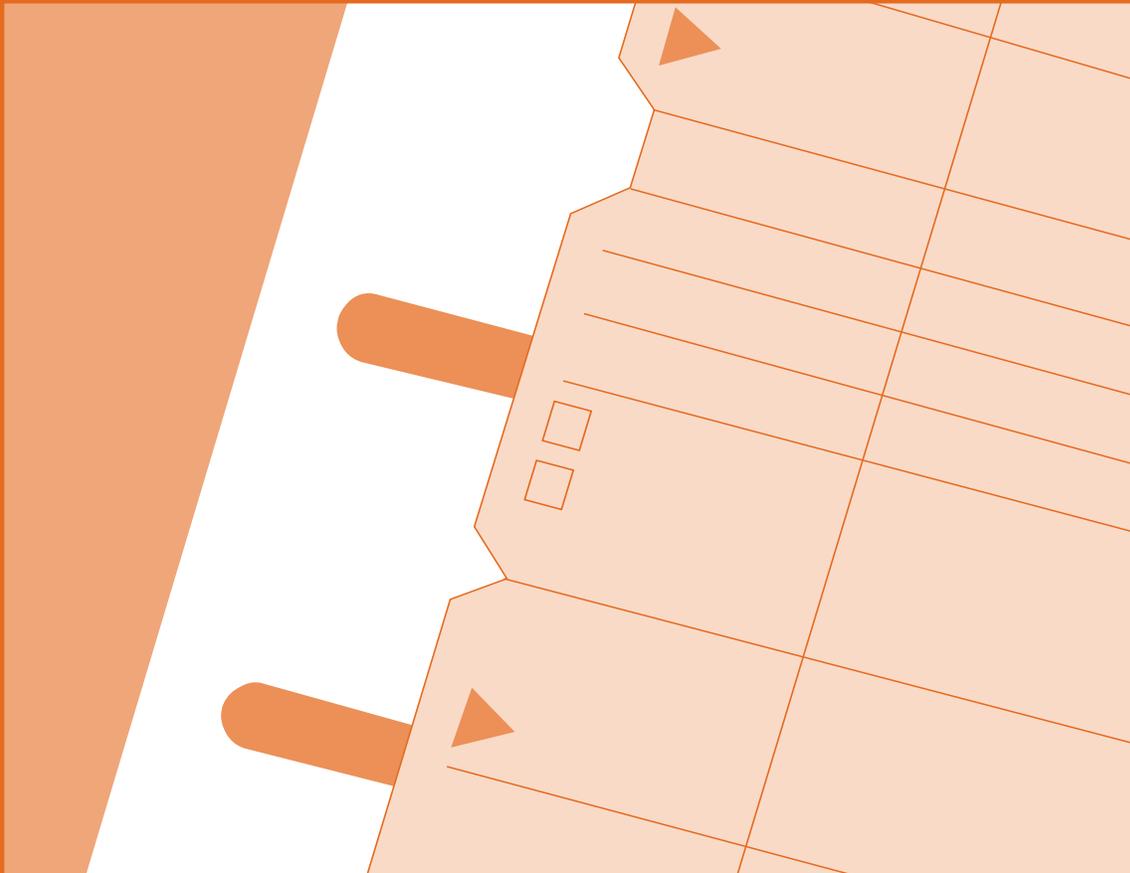




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# Physicians' Handbook on Medical Certification of Death

2003 Revision



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
National Center for Health Statistics



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**STATE MEDICAL BOARD OF OHIO – POLICY STATEMENT**  
**Regarding the Signing of Death Certificates by the Attending Physician**

June 10, 2020

*This statement should not be construed as new policy; rather it is an attempt to clarify existing law. Such clarification is intended for the benefit of practitioners and the public as a way to promote better understanding of the laws governing the practice of medicine and regulating the signing of death certificates.*

The State Medical Board of Ohio has received numerous inquiries concerning the signing of death certificates by attending physicians. This document clarifies the meaning of “attending physician” for purposes of determining who must sign a death certificate for a person who died under natural circumstances.<sup>1</sup>

Pursuant to Section 3705.16(C), Ohio Revised Code (see <http://codes.ohio.gov/orc/3705.16v1> ), when an individual dies under natural causes the attending physician is to sign the death certificate within forty-eight hours after the death. The language of Section 3705.16(C), Ohio Revised Code, is as follows:

*The funeral director or other person in charge of the final disposition of the remains shall present the death or fetal death certificate to the **attending physician of the decedent**, the coroner, or the medical examiner, as appropriate for certification of the cause of death. .... **A physician other than the coroner in the county in which a death or fetal death occurs, or a deputy coroner, medical examiner, or deputy medical examiner serving in an equivalent capacity, may certify only those deaths that occur under natural circumstances.***

*The medical certificate of death shall be completed and signed by the physician who attended the decedent or by the coroner or medical examiner, as appropriate, within forty-eight hours after the death or fetal death. ...*

(Emphasis added to facilitate understanding)

Both “physician” and “attending physician” are defined in Section 3705.01, Ohio Revised Code (see <http://codes.ohio.gov/orc/3705.01v1>) as follows:

(D) “Physician” means a person licensed pursuant to Chapter 4731. of the Revised Code to practice medicine and surgery or osteopathic medicine and surgery.

(E) “Attending physician” means the physician in charge of the patient’s care for the illness or condition that resulted in death.

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**By signing a death certificate, the physician is giving a medical opinion as to the cause of death, which is the final act of caring for the patient.**<sup>2</sup> While the attending physician is the physician who was in charge of the patient's care for the illness or condition that resulted in death, there is no requirement that the attending physician be present at the death. The attending physician is expected to use medical training, knowledge of medicine, available medical history, symptoms, diagnostic tests, and/or autopsy results to render an opinion on the cause of death.<sup>3</sup> "Physicians' Handbook on Medical Certification of Death," U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics, 2003 Revision, is available at [https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/misc/hb\\_cod.pdf](https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/misc/hb_cod.pdf)

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### **1. May a physician in a graduate medical education program sign a death certificate?**

- a. No, if the physician holds a training certificate.
- b. Yes, if the physician is a fully licensed Ohio physician.

The physician who holds a training certificate is only authorized to render care under the supervision of an attending physician as part of a training program.<sup>4</sup> In contrast, the attending physician is a fully licensed physician. Although the training certificate holder renders medical care directly to a patient, the attending physician is responsible for the patient and in charge of the patient's care. In name and practice, the physician supervising the training certificate holder is the attending physician. Accordingly, upon the death of the patient, the training certificate holder is not the physician in charge of the patient's care for the illness or condition that resulted in death and is not the appropriate physician to sign the death certificate.

### **2. Who is the attending physician for a patient in a long-term care facility?**

The attending physician for a patient in a long-term care facility may vary according to arrangements. The physician who provided medical care to the patient before admission to the facility may continue as the patient's physician of record. In contrast, the patient's care may have been transferred to the facility's medical director. Whatever the wishes of the patient or guardian and physician, the records maintained by the facility should clearly indicate the name and contact information of the patient's attending physician.

A physician who has been serving as the attending physician for a patient in a long-term care facility who wishes to terminate the physician/patient relationship must comply with Rule 4731-27-01(A), Ohio Administrative Code. The requirements include written notice sent by certified mail to the patient or guardian stating that the relationship is terminated, although emergency treatment and access to services will be provided for up to 30 days. The facility should also be notified of the termination of the physician/patient relationship so that accurate information will be on file.

### **3. What happens in the event the attending physician has not recently seen the decedent?**

By signing a death certificate, the physician is giving a medical opinion as to the cause of death, which is the final act of caring for the patient. An attending physician who has not seen the patient for a period of time should apply medical training, knowledge of medicine, available medical history, symptoms, diagnostic tests and/or autopsy results to render a medical opinion on the cause of death; qualify the etiology by use of words such as "probable" or "presumed" or,

as a last resort, state the cause of death as “unknown,” “undetermined,” or “unspecified.”<sup>5</sup> Information on completing the cause of death portion of the death certificate for Covid19 may be obtained from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention at:

<https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/covid19/coding-and-reporting.htm>

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**Endnotes:**

<sup>1</sup> The county coroner must be called when any person dies as a result of criminal or other violent means, by casualty, by suicide, or in any suspicious or unusual manner, when any person, including a child under two years of age, dies suddenly when in apparent good health, or when any mentally retarded person or developmentally disabled person dies regardless of the circumstances. See Section 313.12, Ohio Revised Code.

<sup>2</sup> “Physicians’ Handbook on Medical Certification of Death”, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics, 2003 Revision, pages 4-5.

<sup>3</sup> Ibid, page 7.

<sup>4</sup> Section 4731.291(C), ORC, provides: The holder of a valid training certificate shall be entitled to perform such acts as may be prescribed by or incidental to the holder's internship, residency, or clinical fellowship program, but the holder shall not be entitled otherwise to engage in the practice of medicine and surgery or osteopathic medicine and surgery in this state. The holder shall limit activities under the certificate to the programs of the hospitals or facilities for which the training certificate is issued. The holder shall train only under the supervision of the physicians responsible for supervision as part of the internship, residency, or clinical fellowship program. A training certificate may be revoked by the board upon proof, satisfactory to the board, that the holder thereof has engaged in practice in this state outside the scope of the internship, residency, or clinical fellowship program for which the training certificate has been issued, or upon proof, satisfactory to the board, that the holder thereof has engaged in unethical conduct or that there are grounds for action against the holder under section 4731.22 of the Revised Code...

<sup>5</sup> “Physicians’ Handbook on Medical Certification of Death”, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics, 2003 Revision, page 33.

*Approved June 10, 2020*

**APPENDIX E****ABBREVIATIONS**

If this **TERM** is on a certificate ..... key this **ABBREVIATION**

Abdominal aortic aneurysm .....	AAA
Above Knee Amputation .....	AKA
Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome. ....	AIDS
Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome	
Acquired Immunity Deficiency Syndrome	
Acute Myocardial Infarction.....	AMI
Acute Renal Failure.....	ARENFA
Adenocarcinoma .....	ACA
Adult Onset Diabetes Mellitus.....	AODM
Adult Respiratory Distress Syndrome .....	ARDS
Alcohol .....	ETOH
Alcoholism.....	ALC
Alzheimer's type senile dementia.....	SDAT
Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis.....	ALS
Arteriosclerosis .....	AS
Arteriosclerosis Obliterans .....	ASO
Arteriosclerotic Cardiovascular Disease .....	ASCVD
Arteriosclerotic Cardiovascular Renal Disease.....	ASCVRD
Arteriosclerotic Coronary Artery Disease. ....	ASCAD
Arteriosclerotic Coronary Disease .....	ASCD
Arteriosclerotic Coronary Heart Disease. ....	ASCHD
Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease .....	ASHD
Arteriosclerotic Hypertensive Cardiovascular Disease. ....	ASHCVD
Arteriosclerotic Hypertensive Heart Disease.....	ASHD
Arteriosclerotic Hypertensive Vascular Disease .....	AHVD
Arteriosclerotic Peripheral Vascular Disease.....	ASPVD
Arteriosclerotic Vascular Disease .....	ASVD
Arteriosclerotic Vascular Heart Disease.....	ASVHD
Asphyxiation.....	ASPH
Aspiration .....	ASPIR
Atherosclerosis ..	AT
Atherosclerotic Cardiovascular Disease .....	ATCVD
Atherosclerotic Coronary Artery Disease. ....	ATCAD
Atherosclerotic Heart Disease .....	ATHD
Atherosclerotic Vascular Disease .....	ATVD

**APPENDIX E****ABBREVIATIONS**

If this **TERM** is on a certificate .....key this **ABBREVIATION**

Atrial Fibrillation.....	AF
Below Knee Amputation.....	BKA
Benign Prostatic Hypertrophy .....	BPH
Breast Adenocarcinoma.....	BADENO
Breast Carcinoma .....	BCAR
Bronchogenic Carcinoma.....	BGCAR
Bronchopneumonia .....	BPN
Bundle Branch Block.....	BBB
Cancer .....	CA
Carcinomatosis .....	CSS
Cardiac Arrest (this can never be Carcinoma) .....	CAR
Cardiac Arrhythmia .....	CARRY
Cardiac Failure.....	CFA
Cardiomyopathy .....	CMY
Cardiopulmonary Arrest .....	CPAR
Cardiopulmonary Failure .....	CPFA
Cardiorespiratory Arrest.....	CRAR
Cardiorespiratory Failure.....	CRFA
Central Nervous System .....	CNS
Cerebral Hemorrhage .....	CERHEM
Cerebral Infarction. . . . .	CERI
Cerebral Thrombosis.....	CERT
Cerebrovascular.....	CERV
Cerebrovascular Disease.....	CERVD
Chronic Brain Syndrome .....	CBS
Chronic Obstructive Airway Disease.....	COAD
Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease.....	COLD
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease .....	COPD
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Emphysema .....	COPE
Chronic Organic Brain Syndrome .....	COBS
Chronic Renal Failure .....	CRENFA
Coal Worker's Pneumoconiosis .....	CWP
Colon or Colonic Adenocarcinoma .....	CADENO
Colon Carcinoma.....	COLCAR
Congestive Heart Failure .. . . . .	CHF
Coronary Arteriosclerosis .. . . . .	CORAS

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Coronary Artery Bypass Graft .....	CABG
Coronary Artery Bypass Surgery .....	CABS
Coronary Artery Disease.....	CAD
Coronary Heart Disease .....	CORHD
Cytomegalovirus .....	CMV
Decubitus Ulcer.....	DU
Deep Vein Thrombosis.....	DVT
Dehydration .....	DEH
Delirium Tremens.....	DT
Diabetes .....	DI
Diabetes Mellitus.....	DM
Disseminated Intravascular Coagulation.....	DIC
Disease .....	DZ
Edema .....	ED
Electromechanical Dissociation .....	EMD
Emphysema .....	EMP
End Stage Renal Disease.....	ESRD
Fever Unknown Origin .....	FUO
Fracture .....	FX
Gastric Hemorrhage .....	GHEM
Gastrointestinal .....	GI
Gastrointestinal Hemorrhage.....	GIHEM
Gastroesophageal.....	GE
Generalized .....	GEN
Gunshot Wound ...	GSW
Heart Failure .....	HFA
Hemorrhage (Never for Hemorrhagic!) .....	HEM
High Blood Pressure .....	HBP
Human Immunodeficiency Virus .....	HIV
Hyaline Membrane Disease.....	HMD
Hypertension.....	HTN
Hypertensive Arteriosclerotic Cardiovascular Disease. ....	HASCVD
Hypertensive Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease. ....	HASHD
Hypertensive Arteriosclerotic Vascular Disease. ....	HASVD
Hypertensive Heart Disease.....	HHD
Hypertensive Vascular Disease .....	HVD

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Influenza .....	FLU
Insufficiency .....	INSUF
Insulin Dependent Diabetes .....	IDDI
Insulin Dependent Diabetes Mellitus.....	IDDM
Intraventricular Hemorrhage .....	IVH
Ischemic Heart Disease .....	IHD
Left .....	LT
Left Bundle Branch Block. ....	LBBB
Left Lower Lobe .....	LLL
Left Middle Lobe .....	LML
Left Upper lobe .....	LUL
Liver Cancer .....	LIVCA
Liver Carcinoma .....	LIVCAR
Liver Cirrhosis .....	LIVCIR
Lower Lobe .....	LL
Lung Adenocarcinoma .....	LADRNO
Lung Cancer .....	LCA
Lung Carcinoma .....	LCAR
Lupus Erythematosus .....	LE
Malignant .....	MAL
Malignant Hypertension .....	MALIHTN
Malnutrition .....	MALN
Metastatic (this is the <u>only</u> acceptable abbreviation for this).....	M
Metastases (this is the <u>only</u> acceptable abbreviation for this) .....	MES
Metastasis (this is the <u>only</u> acceptable abbreviation for this) .....	MIS
Metastatic Adenocarcinoma.....	MADENO
Metastatic Breast Carcinoma .....	MBCAR
Metastatic Bronchogenic Carcinoma .....	MBGCAR
Metastatic Cancer .....	MCA
Metastatic Carcinoma .....	MCAR
Metastatic Lung Cancer .....	MLCA
Metastatic Lung Carcinoma .....	MLCAR
Metastatic Prostate (or Prostatic) Carcinoma .....	MPCAR
Mycobacterium Avium Intracellulare .....	MAI
Myocardial Infarction .....	MI
Negative .....	NEG

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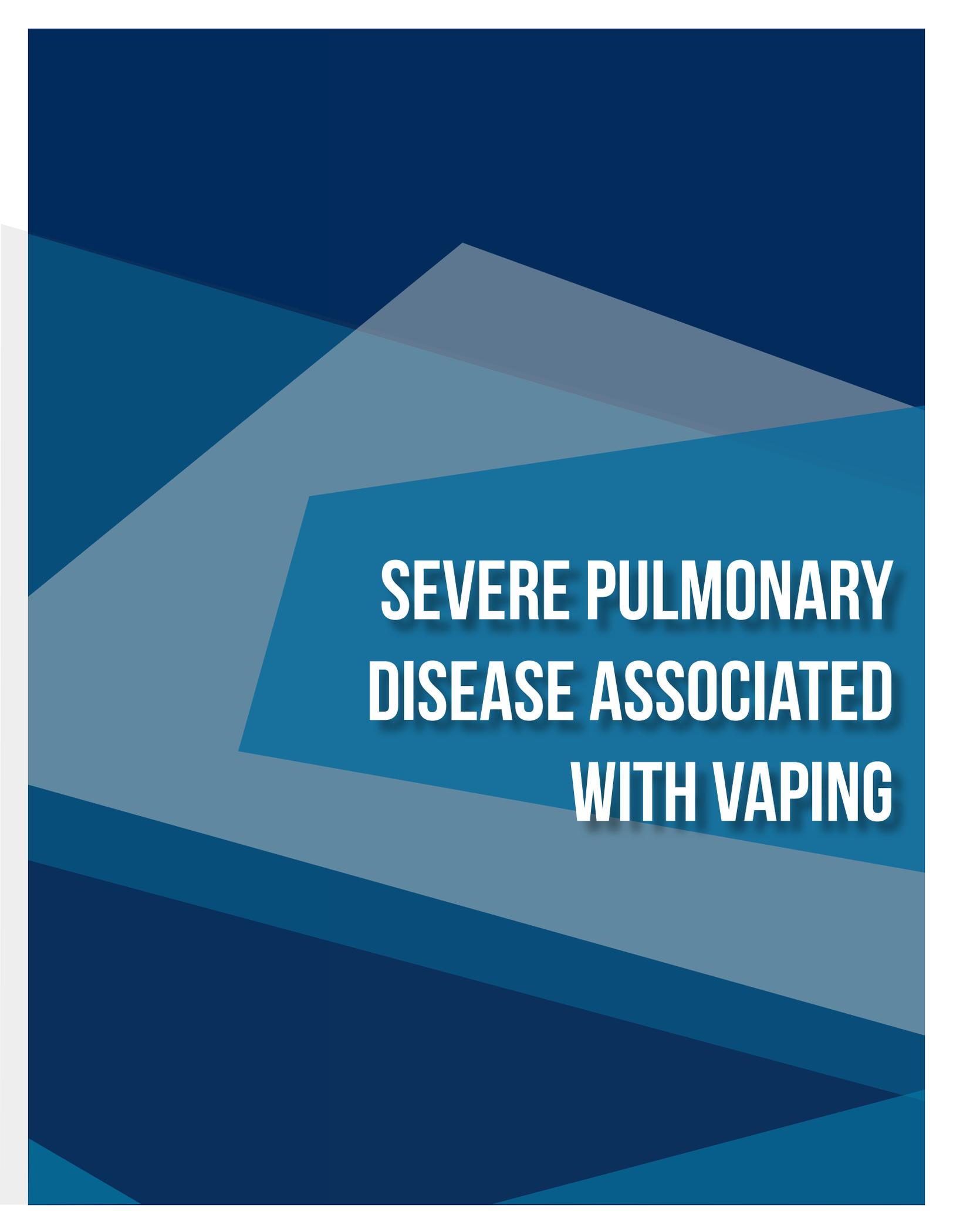
If this **TERM** is on a certificate .....key this **ABBREVIATION**

Non Insulin Dependent Diabetes (Also- NIDD).....	NIDDI
Non Insulin Dependent Diabetes Mellitus .....	NIDDM
Open Reduction Internal Fixation.....	ORIF
Organic Brain Syndrome .....	OBS
Ovarian Carcinoma .....	OCAR
Pancreatic Carcinoma.....	PANCAR
Patent Ductus Arteriosus .....	PDA
Peripheral Vascular Disease .....	PVD
Pneumonia .....	PN
Post Operative .....	PO
Prematurity .....	PREM
Prolonged Prothrombin Time .....	PPT
Prostatic Cancer.....	PRCA
Prostatic Carcinoma .....	PRCAR
Pulmonary .....	PUL
Pulmonary Embolism .....	PULEM
Renal Failure.....	RENFA
Respiratory .....	RESP
Respiratory Arrest .....	RAR
Respiratory Distress Syndrome .....	RDS
Respiratory Failure.....	RFA
Rheumatic Heart Disease .....	RHD
Right ..	RT
Right Bundle Branch Block ..	RBBB
Right Lower Lobe .....	RLL
Right Middle Lobe .....	RML
Right Upper Lobe .....	RUL
Ruptured Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm .....	RAAA
Septicemia .....	SEPT
Sick Sinus Syndrome .....	SSS
Small Bowel Obstruction.....	SBO
Stab Wound ..	SW
Staphylococcal, Staphylococcus .....	STAPH
Status Post.....	SP
Stomach Carcinoma.....	STCAR
Streptococcal, Streptococcus.....	STREP

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Sudden Infant Death .....	SID
Sudden Infant Death Syndrome.....	SIDS
Syndrome of Inappropriate Diuretic Hormone.....	SIADH
Systemic Lupus Erythematosus.....	SLE
Transient Ischemic Attack .....	TIA
Transitional Cell Carcinoma .....	TCC
Transurethral Resection .....	TUR
Transurethral Resection Prostate .....	TURP
Tuberculosis (Note- also TBC) .....	TB
Unknown .....	UNK
Upper Gastrointestinal .....	UGI
Upper Lobe .....	UL
Urinary Tract Infection .....	UTI
Venereal Disease .....	VD
Ventricular Fibrillation.....	VF
Week or Weeks.....	WK



**SEVERE PULMONARY  
DISEASE ASSOCIATED  
WITH VAPING**



### Clinician Report Form - Severe Pulmonary Disease Associated with Vaping

Report Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Reporter Information:**

Name and Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Facility/Hospital Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Can medical records be sent to the local health department?  Yes  No

**Patient Information:**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth (month/day/year): \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Sex:  Male  Female  Unknown

Patient Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Race:  White  Black/African American  Asian  Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander  
 American Indian/Alaskan Native  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Ethnicity:  Hispanic  Non-Hispanic  Unknown

Pregnancy status:  Pregnant  Not pregnant  Unknown  Not applicable

Patient evaluated at:  ED  Outpatient  Inpatient  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Admission: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Patient current disposition:  Still inpatient  Treated and discharged  Died  Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Discharge: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
Date of Death: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Working diagnosis (if still inpatient): \_\_\_\_\_

Discharge diagnosis (if discharged): \_\_\_\_\_

**Patient Inhalation Use in the Past 90 Days (please ask patient or proxy, if patient is unable to answer):**

Any combustible cigarette smoking (nicotine)?  Yes  No  Unknown

Any combustible marijuana use?  Yes  No  Unknown

Any vaping or e-cigarette use reported?  Yes  No  Unknown

Any **THC** e-cigarette use reported?  Yes  No  Unknown

Please list product brands: \_\_\_\_\_

Devices used for THC: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of last e-cigarette THC use: \_\_\_\_\_

Frequency of e-cigarette THC use: \_\_\_\_\_

Where were products obtained: \_\_\_\_\_

**Public Health Desk Reference**

Any **nicotine** e-cigarette use reported?

Yes  No  Unknown

Please list product brands: \_\_\_\_\_

Devices used for nicotine: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of last e-cigarette nicotine use: \_\_\_\_\_

Frequency of e-cigarette nicotine use: \_\_\_\_\_

Where were products obtained: \_\_\_\_\_

Any **kratom** e-cigarette use reported?

Yes  No  Unknown

Please list product brands: \_\_\_\_\_

Devices used for kratom: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of last e-cigarette kratom use: \_\_\_\_\_

Frequency of e-cigarette kratom use: \_\_\_\_\_

Where were products obtained: \_\_\_\_\_

Was any product retained and is available for testing?

Yes  No  Unknown

**Health and Medical Information:**

Date of Illness Onset: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_ : \_\_\_\_

GI symptoms?  Yes  No If yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

Respiratory symptoms?  Yes  No If yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

Constitutional symptoms?  Yes  No If yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

Does that patient have any pre-existing conditions?

Asthma  Yes  No  Unknown

Emphysema/bronchitis (COPD)  Yes  No  Unknown

Bronchiectasis  Yes  No  Unknown

Hypersensitivity pneumonitis  Yes  No  Unknown

Cystic fibrosis  Yes  No  Unknown

Other respiratory? \_\_\_\_\_

Heart failure  Yes  No  Unknown

History of myocardial infarction  Yes  No  Unknown

Other cardiac? \_\_\_\_\_

Any rheumatological illness  Yes  No  Unknown

HIV/AIDS  Yes  No  Unknown

Cancer  Yes  No  Unknown

Which type of cancer? \_\_\_\_\_

Injection drug use  Yes  No  Unknown

Depression  Yes  No  Unknown

Anxiety  Yes  No  Unknown

Other  Yes  No  Unknown

Please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Part of Ohio Medical Marijuana program  Yes  No  Unknown

Date of most recent dispense (per OARRS): \_\_\_\_\_

Which product was dispensed? \_\_\_\_\_

**Testing Information:**

Test	Collection Date	Result (pos/neg/pending)	Result Date
Rapid influenza test/PCR			
Respiratory viral panel			
<i>Mycoplasma</i>			
<i>Legionella</i> , urine			
<i>Legionella</i> , PCR			
<i>S. pneumoniae</i> , urine			
Blood culture			
Sputum culture			
Urine culture			
BAL culture			
Other:			

**Imaging and Procedures:**

Imaging performed:	<input type="checkbox"/> Chest X-Ray	<input type="checkbox"/> CT	<input type="checkbox"/> Both
Infiltrates/opacities present:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Location of findings:	<input type="checkbox"/> Bilateral	<input type="checkbox"/> Left	<input type="checkbox"/> Right
Impression: <i>(please copy the Summary/Impression from the CT/CXR radiologist's report or attach a copy of the report)</i>			

Did the patient have a bronchoscopy?  Yes  No  Unknown  Not applicable

Results of bronchoscopy: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Did the patient have a lung biopsy?  Yes  No  Unknown  Not applicable

Results of lung biopsy: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**Treatment:**

Was the patient treated with antibiotics?  Yes  No  Unknown  Not applicable

Antimicrobial name	Route	Dose	Frequency	Date started

Response to antibiotics:  Improvement  No change  Worsening clinical status

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Was the patient treated with steroids?

Yes       No       Unknown       Not applicable

Steroid medication name	Route	Dose	Frequency	Date started

Response to steroids:

Improvement       No change       Worsening clinical status

ICU admission required?

Yes       No       Unknown       Not applicable

Intubation required?

Yes       No       Unknown       Not applicable

Ventilatory support (CPAP/BiPAP) required?

Yes       No       Unknown       Not applicable

Placed on ECMO?

Yes       No       Unknown       Not applicable

Notes:

*If you are a provider filling out this form, please contact the local health department in the jurisdiction in which the patient resides to report the suspected case. If patient residence is unknown, report to the local health department in which the provider is located. To locate a local health department please visit: <https://odhgateway.odh.ohio.gov/lhdinformationsystem/Directory/GetMyLHD>*

*If you have additional questions, please contact your local health department or Kirtana Ramadugu, ODH epidemiologist, at 614-644-0743 or Courtney Dewart, CDC EIS Officer assigned to ODH, at 614-644-8784.*

*Local Health Departments – please contact ODH using above contact information for case ID number and link to REDCap data entry form.*



# OPIOID PRESCRIPTIONS

# GUIDELINE FOR PRESCRIBING OPIOIDS FOR CHRONIC PAIN

## IMPROVING PRACTICE THROUGH RECOMMENDATIONS

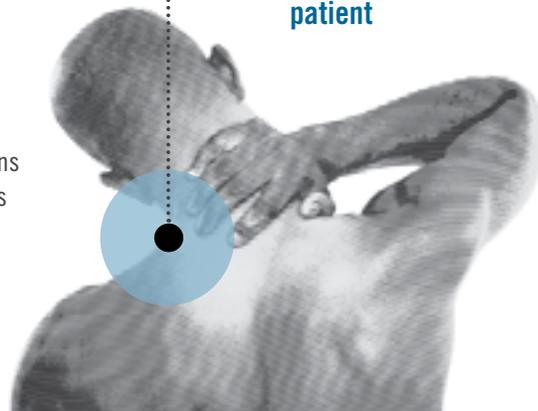
CDC's *Guideline for Prescribing Opioids for Chronic Pain* is intended to improve communication between providers and patients about the risks and benefits of opioid therapy for chronic pain, improve the safety and effectiveness of pain treatment, and reduce the risks associated with long-term opioid therapy, including opioid use disorder and overdose. The Guideline is not intended for patients who are in active cancer treatment, palliative care, or end-of-life care.

## DETERMINING WHEN TO INITIATE OR CONTINUE OPIOIDS FOR CHRONIC PAIN

- 1 Nonpharmacologic therapy and nonopioid pharmacologic therapy are preferred for chronic pain. Clinicians should consider opioid therapy only if expected benefits for both pain and function are anticipated to outweigh risks to the patient. If opioids are used, they should be combined with nonpharmacologic therapy and nonopioid pharmacologic therapy, as appropriate.
- 2 Before starting opioid therapy for chronic pain, clinicians should establish treatment goals with all patients, including realistic goals for pain and function, and should consider how opioid therapy will be discontinued if benefits do not outweigh risks. Clinicians should continue opioid therapy only if there is clinically meaningful improvement in pain and function that outweighs risks to patient safety.
- 3 Before starting and periodically during opioid therapy, clinicians should discuss with patients known risks and realistic benefits of opioid therapy and patient and clinician responsibilities for managing therapy.

### CLINICAL REMINDERS

- Opioids are not first-line or routine therapy for chronic pain
- Establish and measure goals for pain and function
- Discuss benefits and risks and availability of nonopioid therapies with patient



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## OPIOID SELECTION, DOSAGE, DURATION, FOLLOW-UP, AND DISCONTINUATION

## CLINICAL REMINDERS

- Use immediate-release opioids when starting
- Start low and go slow
- When opioids are needed for acute pain, prescribe no more than needed
- Do not prescribe ER/LA opioids for acute pain
- Follow-up and re-evaluate risk of harm; reduce dose or taper and discontinue if needed

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When starting opioid therapy for chronic pain, clinicians should prescribe immediate-release opioids instead of extended-release/long-acting (ER/LA) opioids.

5

When opioids are started, clinicians should prescribe the lowest effective dosage. Clinicians should use caution when prescribing opioids at any dosage, should carefully reassess evidence of individual benefits and risks when considering increasing dosage to  $\geq 50$  morphine milligram equivalents (MME)/day, and should avoid increasing dosage to  $\geq 90$  MME/day or carefully justify a decision to titrate dosage to  $\geq 90$  MME/day.

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Long-term opioid use often begins with treatment of acute pain. When opioids are used for acute pain, clinicians should prescribe the lowest effective dose of immediate-release opioids and should prescribe no greater quantity than needed for the expected duration of pain severe enough to require opioids. Three days or less will often be sufficient; more than seven days will rarely be needed.

7

Clinicians should evaluate benefits and harms with patients within 1 to 4 weeks of starting opioid therapy for chronic pain or of dose escalation. Clinicians should evaluate benefits and harms of continued therapy with patients every 3 months or more frequently. If benefits do not outweigh harms of continued opioid therapy, clinicians should optimize other therapies and work with patients to taper opioids to lower dosages or to taper and discontinue opioids.



## ASSESSING RISK AND ADDRESSING HARMS OF OPIOID USE

8

Before starting and periodically during continuation of opioid therapy, clinicians should evaluate risk factors for opioid-related harms. Clinicians should incorporate into the management plan strategies to mitigate risk, including considering offering naloxone when factors that increase risk for opioid overdose, such as history of overdose, history of substance use disorder, higher opioid dosages ( $\geq 50$  MME/day), or concurrent benzodiazepine use, are present.

9

Clinicians should review the patient's history of controlled substance prescriptions using state prescription drug monitoring program (PDMP) data to determine whether the patient is receiving opioid dosages or dangerous combinations that put him or her at high risk for overdose. Clinicians should review PDMP data when starting opioid therapy for chronic pain and periodically during opioid therapy for chronic pain, ranging from every prescription to every 3 months.

10

When prescribing opioids for chronic pain, clinicians should use urine drug testing before starting opioid therapy and consider urine drug testing at least annually to assess for prescribed medications as well as other controlled prescription drugs and illicit drugs.

11

Clinicians should avoid prescribing opioid pain medication and benzodiazepines concurrently whenever possible.

12

Clinicians should offer or arrange evidence-based treatment (usually medication-assisted treatment with buprenorphine or methadone in combination with behavioral therapies) for patients with opioid use disorder.

## CLINICAL REMINDERS

- Evaluate risk factors for opioid-related harms
- Check PDMP for high dosages and prescriptions from other providers
- Use urine drug testing to identify prescribed substances and undisclosed use
- Avoid concurrent benzodiazepine and opioid prescribing
- Arrange treatment for opioid use disorder if needed



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# WHY GUIDELINES FOR PRIMARY CARE PROVIDERS?

Primary care providers account for approximately

## 50%

of prescription opioids dispensed

Nearly  
**2 million**

Americans, aged 12 or older, either abused or were dependent on prescription opioids in 2014

- An estimated 11% of adults experience daily pain
- Millions of Americans are treated with prescription opioids for chronic pain
- Primary care providers are concerned about patient addiction and report insufficient training in prescribing opioids

## MYTH

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## TRUTH

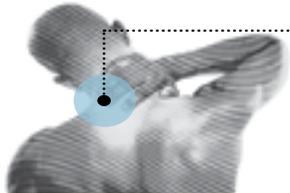
- 1 Opioids are effective long-term treatments for chronic pain
- 2 There is no unsafe dose of opioids as long as opioids are titrated slowly
- 3 The risk of addiction is minimal

While evidence supports short-term effectiveness of opioids, there is insufficient evidence that opioids control chronic pain effectively over the long term, and there is evidence that other treatments can be effective with less harm.

Daily opioid dosages close to or greater than 90 MME/day are associated with significant risks, and lower dosages are safer.

Up to one quarter of patients receiving prescription opioids long term in a primary care setting struggles with addiction. Certain risk factors increase susceptibility to opioid-associated harms: history of overdose, history of substance use disorder, higher opioid dosages, or concurrent benzodiazepine use.

# WHAT CAN PROVIDERS DO?



First, **do no harm**. Long-term opioid use has uncertain benefits but known, serious risks. CDC's **Guideline for Prescribing Opioids for Chronic Pain** will support informed clinical decision making, improved communication between patients and providers, and appropriate prescribing.

## PRACTICES AND ACTIONS



### USE NONOPIOID TREATMENT

Opioids are not first-line or routine therapy for chronic pain (*Recommendation #1*)

In a systematic review, opioids did not differ from nonopioid medication in pain reduction, and nonopioid medications were better tolerated, with greater improvements in physical function.



### START LOW AND GO SLOW

When opioids are started, prescribe them at the lowest effective dose (*Recommendation #5*)

Studies show that high dosages ( $\geq 100$  MME/day) are associated with 2 to 9 times the risk of overdose compared to  $< 20$  MME/day.



### REVIEW PDMP

Check prescription drug monitoring program data for high dosages and prescriptions from other providers (*Recommendation #9*)

A study showed patients with one or more risk factors (4 or more prescribers, 4 or more pharmacies, or dosage  $> 100$  MME/day) accounted for 55% of all overdose deaths.



### AVOID CONCURRENT PRESCRIBING

Avoid prescribing opioids and benzodiazepines concurrently whenever possible (*Recommendation #11*)

One study found concurrent prescribing to be associated with a near quadrupling of risk for overdose death compared with opioid prescription alone.



### OFFER TREATMENT FOR OPIOID USE DISORDER

Offer or arrange evidence-based treatment (e.g. medication-assisted treatment and behavioral therapies) for patients with opioid use disorder (*Recommendation #12*)

A study showed patients prescribed high dosages of opioids long-term ( $> 90$  days) had 122 times the risk of opioid use disorder compared to patients not prescribed opioids.



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