

BC Routine Immunization Schedule

INFANTS & CHILDREN

Child's Age

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

‡ Children with specific medical conditions that place them at high risk of disease should receive an additional dose at 6 months of age. See the HealthLinkBC File for more information or speak to your health care provider.

¶ Children who had chickenpox or shingles disease, diagnosed by a health care provider, at 1 year of age or older do not need the chickenpox vaccine and should get the MMR vaccine at 4 years of age.

* A second dose is needed 4 weeks after the first dose if receiving vaccine for the first time.

◆ Hepatitis A vaccine is offered to Aboriginal children living both on-reserve and off-reserve.

