

# Vaccination schedule for babies and young children

This is a typical vaccination schedule through age 6. Your child’s health care provider may use a different one. All children need vaccinations for their own health and so they don’t spread infection to others. Doses are listed by month. If a dose covers more than 1 month on the schedule, ask your baby’s provider when your baby gets that dose.

Vaccination	Birth	1 Month	2 Months	4 Months	6 Months	12 Months	15 Months	18 Months	23 Months	4 to 6 Years
<b>HepB</b> Protects against Hepatitis B	Dose 1	Dose 2			Dose 2					
<b>DTap</b> Protects against diphtheria, tetanus, and pertussis			Dose 1	Dose 2	Dose 3		Dose 4			Dose 5
<b>HiB</b> Protects against Haemophilus influenzae type b			Dose 1	Dose 2	Dose 3 or 4 See note					
<b>IPV</b> Protects against polio			Dose 1	Dose 2	Dose 3					Dose 4
<b>RV</b> Protects against rotavirus			Dose 1	Dose 2	Dose 3 See note					
<b>PCV13</b> Protects against pneumococcal disease			Dose 1	Dose 2	Dose 3	Dose 4				
<b>Flu</b> Protects against influenza					1 or 2 doses each year See note					
<b>MMR</b> Protects against measles, mumps, and rubella						Dose 1				Dose 2
<b>Varicella</b> Protects against varicella (chickenpox)						Dose 1				Dose 2
<b>Hep A</b> Protects against hepatitis A						Dose 1 and 2 (given six months apart) See note				
<b>COVID-19</b> Protects against COVID-19					At least 1 dose of the most current vaccine available See note					
<b>Respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) preventive antibody</b> Protects against severe RSV disease	Depends on mother’s RSV vaccine status and baby’s health status. Speak to your baby’s health care professional for the most up-to-date guidance.									

Notes: Speak to your baby’s health care professional about the timing of your baby’s vaccines and the number of doses they need. Visit [cdc.gov/vaccines](https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines) for the latest information on vaccines and immunizations.

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