

WHY IMMUNIZE?



Protect your family: Vaccines give you the power to protect yourself and your family from getting sick.



They protect against serious illnesses such as measles, mumps, tetanus, chicken pox, meningitis and more.



Protect our society: Diseases like polio, diphtheria and rubella are becoming rare due to vaccinations. Until we eliminate disease, it's important to keep immunizing.



The CDC and FDA take many steps to make sure vaccines are very safe. Vaccines have a low risk of adverse outcomes and the benefits greatly outweigh the risk.

IMMUNIZATION CHART, AGES 7-22

Many preventive immunizations are covered 100 percent (at no charge) by most health plans. Check with your health

insurance carrier to identify what is covered with your plan.	
Every Year	Flu Shot Recommended yearly after 6 months of age. 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 16 16 17 18 19 20 21 22
11-12 years	
//	☐ Meningitis (Meningococcal: MenACWY)
//	☐ Tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis (Tdap) Tetanus booster shot every 10 years
//	☐ Human papillomavirus (HPV)* prevents cancer 2 doses before age 15
16 years	
//	☐ Meningitis (Meningococcal: MenACWY)
//	☐ Meningitis (Meningococcal B: MenB)**
22 years	
//	☐ One-time tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis booster (Tdap)
If pregnant	
//	☐ WOMEN ONLY Tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis (Tdap)
//	Recommended each pregnancy
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The list above shows the recommended age the dose of the vaccination may be given, although some may be given at different ages. Check with your provider.

Schedule immunizations today.

^{*}If given to ages 15-26: HPV vaccine is given in 3 doses. Get first shot, wait

¹⁻² months; get second shot, wait 6 months; get third shot.

^{**}Check with your provider to see if the meningitis vaccine is recommended for your child