

Routine childhood immunisations from November 2010

When to immunise	Diseases protected against	Vaccine given	Immunisation site**
Two months old	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio and <i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (Hib)	DTaP/IPV/Hib (Pediacel)	Thigh
	Pneumococcal disease	PCV (Prevenar 13)	Thigh
Three months old	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio and Hib	DTaP/IPV/Hib (Pediacel)	Thigh
	Meningococcal group C disease (MenC)	MenC (Menjugate or Neisvac C)	Thigh
Four months old	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio and Hib	DTaP/IPV/Hib (Pediacel)	Thigh
	MenC	MenC (Menjugate or Neisvac C)	Thigh
	Pneumococcal disease	PCV (Prevenar 13)	Thigh
Between 12 and 13 months old – within a month of the first birthday	Hib/MenC	Hib/MenC (Menitorix)	Upper arm/thigh
	Pneumococcal disease	PCV (Prevenar 13)	Upper arm/thigh
	Measles, mumps and rubella (German measles)	MMR (Priorix or MMR VaxPRO)	Upper arm/thigh
Three years four months old or soon after	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis and polio	dTaP/IPV (Repevax) or DTaP/IPV (Infanrix-IPV)	Upper arm
	Measles, mumps and rubella	MMR (Priorix or MMR VaxPRO) (check first dose has been given)	Upper arm
Girls aged 12 to 13 years old	Cervical cancer caused by human papillomavirus types 16 and 18	Cervarix	Upper arm
Thirteen to 18 years old	Tetanus, diphtheria and polio	Td/IPV (Revaxis), and check MMR status	Upper arm

** Where two or more injections are required at once, these should ideally be given in different limbs. Where this is not possible, injections in the same limb should be given 2.5cm apart. For more details see Chapters 4 and 11 in the Green Book.

Non-routine immunisations for at-risk babies

At birth, 1 month old, 2 months old and 12 months old	Hepatitis B	Нер В	Thigh
At birth	Tuberculosis	BCG	Upper arm (intradermal)













*NB Where a vaccine is manufactured by more than one supplier. It may, on occasion, be necessary to substitute an alternative brand. All vaccines for use in the routine childhood programme can be ordered free of charge at www.immform.dh.gov.uk



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