

# BC ROUTINE IMMUNIZATION SCHEDULE

## INFANTS & CHILDREN

| VACCINE   | CHILD'S AGE |          |          |  |           |  |
|---|-------------|----------|----------|--|-----------|--|
|   | 2 months    | 4 months | 6 months | 12 months  | 18 months | Starting at 4 years (kindergarten entry) |
| <b>DTaP-HB-IPV-Hib</b><br>(diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, hepatitis B, polio, <i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b)<br>HealthLinkBC File # <a href="#">105</a> | ✓           | ✓        | ✓        |  |           |  |
| <b>Pneumococcal conjugate ‡</b><br>HealthLinkBC File # <a href="#">62a</a>  | ✓           | ✓        |          | ✓  |           |  |
| <b>Rotavirus</b><br>HealthLinkBC File # <a href="#">104</a>   | ✓           | ✓        |          |  |           |  |
| <b>Meningococcal C conjugate</b><br>HealthLinkBC File # <a href="#">23a</a>   | ✓           |          |          | ✓  |           |  |
| <b>MMR</b><br>(measles, mumps, rubella)<br>HealthLinkBC File # <a href="#">14a</a>  |             |          |          | ✓  |           |  |
| <b>Varicella ¶</b><br>(chickenpox)<br>HealthLinkBC File # <a href="#">44b</a>   |             |          |          | ✓  |           |  |
| <b>DTaP-IPV-Hib</b><br>(diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio, <i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b)<br>HealthLinkBC File # <a href="#">15b</a>                 |             |          |          |  | ✓         |  |
| <b>Tdap-IPV</b><br>(tetanus, diphtheria, pertussis, polio)<br>HealthLinkBC File # <a href="#">15a</a>   |             |          |          |  |           | ✓  |
| <b>MMRV ¶</b><br>(measles, mumps, rubella, varicella)<br>HealthLinkBC File # <a href="#">14e</a>  |             |          |          |  |           | ✓  |
| <b>Influenza</b><br>HealthLinkBC File # <a href="#">12d</a> and <a href="#">12e</a>   |             |          |          |  | ✓*        |  |
|   |             |          |          | (annually for children 6 months to 4 years of age) |           |  |
| <b>Hepatitis A ♦</b><br>(for Aboriginal children only)<br>HealthLinkBC File # <a href="#">33</a>  |             |          | ✓        |  | ✓         |  |

‡ Children with specific medical conditions that place them at high risk of disease should receive an additional dose at 6 months of age. See HealthLinkBC File # [62a](#) 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.