

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)
DTaP-HB-IPV-Hib (diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, hepatitis B, polio, <i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b) HealthLinkBC File # 105	✓	✓	✓			
Pneumococcal conjugate ‡ HealthLinkBC File # 62a	✓	✓		✓		
Rotavirus HealthLinkBC File # 104	✓	✓				
Meningococcal conjugate C HealthLinkBC File # 23a	✓			✓		
MMR (measles, mumps, rubella) HealthLinkBC File # 14a				✓		
Varicella ¶ (chickenpox) HealthLinkBC File # 44b				✓		
DTaP-IPV-Hib (diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio, <i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b) HealthLinkBC File # 15b					✓	
DTaP-IPV (diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio) HealthLinkBC File # 15d						✓
MMRV ¶ (measles, mumps, rubella, varicella) HealthLinkBC File # 14e						✓
Influenza HealthLinkBC File # 12d and 12e					✓*	
					(6 months-4 years)	
Hepatitis A ♦ HealthLinkBC File # 33			✓		✓	✓ □

‡ 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. Children entering school who need both a 2nd dose of MMR and varicella vaccines may be immunized with MMRV vaccine.

* 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.

□ Hepatitis A vaccine is offered to Aboriginal children starting at 6 months of age. Alternatively, 1 or 2 doses will be offered to kindergarten-age children starting at 4 years of age depending on previous immunization history.