



## Kaiser Permanente Standard Immunization & Visit Schedule

These vaccines and visits are recommended for all healthy children. This schedule provides a guideline; your provider may recommend a slightly different schedule based on your child's needs.

HEALTH CARE VISIT	RECOMMENDED AGE	USUAL VACCINE(S)
Delivery at birth	Birth	Hep B
2 months	6 weeks-3 months	Pediarix, Hib, PCV20, RV
4 months	4-5 months	Pediarix, Hib, PCV20, RV
6 months	6-11 months	Pediarix, Hib, PCV20
12 months	12-17 months	DTaP, Hib, PCV20, MMR, VZV, Hep A
18 months	18-23 months	Hep A
4 years	4-6 years	Kinrix, ProQuad, TB Screening
9-11 years	9-11 years	HPV9 #1, HPV9 #2 (6 mos. after)
11 years	11-13 years	Tdap, MCV4
16 years	16 years and older	MCV4

After 6 years of age, health care visits are usually done every 1-2 years.

Influenza vaccines not shown but recommended each year for all persons 6 months of age and older.

### **VACCINE ABBREVIATIONS:**

DTaP = diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis (under 7 years old)

Hep A = hepatitis A (prevents hepatitis transmitted by ingesting hepatitis A virus)

Hep B = hepatitis B (prevents a form of hepatitis transmitted by body fluids including blood)

Hib = *Haemophilus influenzae* (prevents bacterial meningitis and pneumonia)

HPV9 = human papillomavirus (prevents cancer and some warts), after 15 y.o. needs 3 doses

IPV = inactivated poliovirus (prevents poliomyelitis due to polioviruses)

MCV4 = meningococcal conjugate (prevents bacterial meningitis and sepsis)

MMR = measles, mumps, rubella

PCV20 = 20-valent pneumococcal conjugate (prevents bacterial meningitis and sepsis)

PPD = purified protein derivative, a skin test for tuberculosis

RV = oral rotavirus vaccine (prevents vomiting and diarrhea)

Tdap = teenage/adult tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis vaccine (11 years old or more)

Td = tetanus booster for some patients with injuries or who are behind (7 years old or more)

VZV = varicella zoster virus (prevents chickenpox)

Pediarix = DTaP + IPV + Hep B (usual infant combination vaccine; fewer injections)

Kinrix = DTaP + IPV (only children 4-6 years old; not given when 7 years old or more)

ProQuad (MMRV) = MMR + VZV

\*TB screening = as needed depending on risk factors

The Centers for Disease Control provides Vaccine Information Statements with useful information for parents on their website at <http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/>