

Funded Immunisation Schedule – Tasmania[~]

AGE	VACCINE	ROUTE GIVEN	ANTIGEN	ADDITIONAL VACCINES
NATIONAL IMMUNISATION PROGRAM*				
BIRTH	HB Vax II Paediatric within 7 days of birth	(IM)	Hep B	
6 WEEKS	Infanrix hexa Prevenar 13 Rotarix 6–14 weeks of age	(IM) (IM) (oral)	DTPa–hepB–IPV–Hib 13vPCV Rotavirus	Bexsero (Men B)(IM) [^] Aboriginal children and children with specified medical risk conditions [#]
4 MONTHS	Infanrix hexa Prevenar 13 Rotarix 10–24 weeks of age	(IM) (IM) (oral)	DTPa–hepB–IPV–Hib 13vPCV Rotavirus	Bexsero (IM) [^] Aboriginal children and children with specified medical risk conditions [#]
6 MONTHS	Infanrix hexa	(IM)	DTPa–hepB–IPV–Hib	Prevenar 13 (IM) Children with specified medical risk conditions [#] Bexsero (IM) [^] All children with specified medical risk conditions [#]
12 MONTHS	Priorix or M-M-R II Nimenrix Prevenar 13	(SC/IM) (IM) (IM)	MMR Men ACWY 13vPCV	HB Vax II Paediatric (IM) Low birthweight (<2000g) and/or preterm (<32 weeks) Bexsero (IM) [^] Aboriginal children and children with specified medical risk conditions [#]
18 MONTHS	Priorix-tetra or ProQuad Tripacel or Infanrix Act-HIB	(SC/IM) (IM) (IM)	MMRV DTPa Hib	
4 YEARS	Infanrix IPV or Quadracel	(IM)	DTPa–IPV	Pneumovax 23 (23vPPV) (IM) [#] Children with specified medical risk conditions [#] plus a second dose at least 5 years later
YEAR 7 STUDENTS	Boostrix Gardasil 9 – 2 doses 6 months apart	(IM) (IM)	dTpa 9vHPV	
YEAR 10 STUDENTS	Nimenrix (not required if previously received)	(IM)	Men ACWY	Catch up for 15 – <20 year olds
PREGNANT WOMEN	Adacel or Boostrix Recommended 20–32 weeks Influenza Vaccine [~] During any stage of pregnancy	(IM) (IM)	dTpa Influenza	
ABORIGINAL ADULTS 50 YEARS AND OVER				Prevenar 13 (IM) Aboriginal adults without a risk condition, followed by 2 doses of Pneumovax 23 (IM) [#]
70 YEARS	Zostavax – Catch up for 71–79 years (until 31 October 2023) Prevenar 13 – 70 Years and over	(SC) (IM)	VZV 13vPCV	
STATE FUNDED PROGRAMS		ELIGIBILITY		
HIGH RISK FOR HEP B	Engerix-B (IM)	See DoH Public Health Services Immunisation website for eligibility criteria www.health.tas.gov.au		
MEASLES PROGRAM	M-M-R II (SC/IM)	People born during or after 1966 without documented evidence of two measles containing vaccines or serological evidence of immunity Infants aged 6 to 12 months travelling overseas		

[^] **Bexsero** - available for people of all ages with some medical conditions[#] that increase the risk of Invasive Meningococcal Disease. Catch up is available for all Aboriginal children <2 years of age for 3 years (until June 2023). For further information see online edition of the Australian Immunisation Handbook (AIH).

[#] **Specified medical risk conditions** - refer to online edition of AIH for additional doses and eligibility.

Pneumococcal - people >12 months of age with conditions which increase their risk of pneumococcal require a dose of 13vPCV at diagnosis followed by 2 doses of 23vPPV. The NIP funds some but not all risk conditions (refer to AIH for eligibility and dose intervals).

[~] **Influenza Program** - refer to Funded Influenza Schedule-Tasmania for influenza vaccine information.

* **Catch up** - all people aged less than 20 years, adult refugees and humanitarian entrants are eligible for free catch up vaccines. For further information visit health.gov.au/immunisation