Childhood Immunization Schedule

Vaccine Age➔ ➓	Birth	1 mo	2 mo	4 mo	6 mo	12 mo	15 mo	18 mo	19-23 mo	2-3 yrs	4-6 yrs
Hepatitis B	**X**	**---------X--------**		§	**----------X----------**						
Rotavirus			**X**	**X#**	**X**						
Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis			**X**	**X**	**X**	†	**----------X---------**				**X**
Haemophilus influenzae type b			**X**	**X**	**X***	**----------X---------**					
Pneumococcal			**X**	**X**	**X**	**----------X----------**				**--------X**------**	
Inactivated Poliovirus			**X**	**X**	**----------X----------**						**X**
Influenza					**----------Yearly±----------**						
Measles, Mumps, Rubella						**----------X----------**		¶			**X**
Varicella						**----------X----------**		¶			X
Hepatitis A						**----------2 doses----------**				**---Series**----**	
Meningococcal										**--------X**------**	

The timing of immunization doses may vary. Timing and number of doses depends on when immunizations are begun and the brands used.

§ 3rd dose of Hepatitis B may be given at 4 months if part of a combination immunization. However, a 4th dose of Hepatitis B vaccine should then be administered at 6 mos (Pediarix) or 12-15 mos (Comvax).
# 4 month dose of Rotavirus may not be needed – depends on which brand is used.
† 4th dose of Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis may be given as early as 12 months - if 6 months or more after 3rd dose.
* 6 month dose of Haemophilus Influenza type b may not be needed - depends on which brand had been given.
** Doses given to high risk groups or in special situations.
± Children between the ages of 6 months and 8 years who are to receive their very first annual dose of seasonal influenza vaccine should receive a second dose one month later to assure a higher likelihood of protection. Thereafter, only a single annual dose is recommended.
¶ 2nd dose may be given before age 4, provided enough time has elapsed after 1st dose.

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