










compares BC Vaccine Schedules

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1983		AGE	2017	
TOTAL PreSchool			TOTAL PreSchool	
22 Doses of 7 Vaccines			50 (or 53)* Doses of 14 (or 15)* Vaccines	
In 6 Injections & 4 oral doses			In 19 (or 22)* Injections & 2 oral doses	
			<i>*Aboriginal babies receive Hep A 3 times</i>	
	Ø	Prenatal 	Number of Vaccine Doses: 1	Influenza Vaccine Pregnant women may be offered many other vaccines, but this is the only vaccine in the routine schedule.
DPT 3 vaccines in 1 shot OPV oral polio live virus vaccine	Number of Vaccine Doses: 4	2 Months 	Number of Vaccine Doses: 9	DTaP-HB-IPV-Hib 6 vaccines in 1 shot Meningococcal C-C Pneumococcal C-13 Rotavirus (oral) live virus vaccine
DPT 3 vaccines in 1 shot OPV oral polio live virus vaccine	Number of Vaccine Doses: 4	4 Months 	Number of Vaccine Doses: 8	DTaP-HB-IPV-Hib 6 vaccines in 1 shot Pneumococcal C-13 Rotavirus (oral) live virus vaccine
DPT 3 vaccines in 1 shot	Number of Vaccine Doses: 3	6 Months 	Number of Vaccine Doses: 8 or 9	DTaP-HB-IPV-Hib 6 vaccines in 1 shot Influenza 2 doses 4 weeks apart Hepatitis A (Aboriginal babies only)
Ø		12 Months 	Number of Vaccine Doses: 6	MMR 3 live virus vaccines in 1 shot Meningococcal C-C Pneumococcal C-13 Varicella chickenpox live virus vaccine
MMR : 3 live virus vaccines in 1 shot at 15 months	Number of Vaccine Doses: 3	18 Months 	Number of Vaccine Doses: 6 or 7	DTaP-IPV-Hib 5 vaccines in 1 shot Influenza (1st Annual dose) Hep A (Aboriginal babies only)
DPT : 3 vaccines in 1 shot OPV : oral polio live virus vaccine	Number of Vaccine Doses: 4	3 Yr	1	Influenza (Annual dose in Fall)
Ø		4-6 Yr 	Number of Vaccine Doses: 11 or 12	Tdap-IPV 4 vaccines in 1 shot Hep A (Aboriginal babies only) MMRV 4 live virus vaccines in 1 shot Influenza (3 Annual doses each Fall)
DPT : 3 vaccines in 1 shot OPV : oral polio live virus vaccine	Number of Vaccine Doses: 4			



By the time your child graduates from high school, they will have received an additional 11 annual Influenza vaccines, 2 doses *HPV, 2 doses of HB, Chickenpox vaccine, Tdap, & Men C-ACYW-135.

* Ages 9-18 inclusive: All Girls & Boys who are gay or questioning their sexual identity, HIV positive, street involved, in the custody of Ministry of Children and Families or in youth detention centres also receive 2 doses of HPV vaccine

TOTAL Grade School & High School in 2017
most Boys: 16 doses of 7 Vaccines
Girls: 18 doses of 8 Vaccines

2017 GRAND TOTAL: Prenatal through Age 18
66 to 71 doses of 16 to 17 Vaccines

Did you know vaccination is VOLUNTARY in Canada?

As Health Canada explained years ago: "Unlike some countries, immunization is not mandatory in Canada; it cannot be made mandatory because of the Canadian Constitution...legislation and regulations must not be interpreted to imply compulsory immunization."

—Immunization in Canada, Volume: 23S4, May 1997, [Canadian National Report on Immunization](#)

LEGEND

Vaccines used in the 1983 BC schedule

Note: All 3 of these vaccines have since been withdrawn from the market due to safety concerns.

DPT: diphtheria, whole cell pertussis, tetanus vaccine
3 vaccine combination

OPV: oral, live virus polio vaccine

MMR: measles, mumps (Urabe strain), rubella vaccine
3 live virus vaccine combination

Vaccines used in the 2017 BC schedule

DTaP-HB-IPV-Hib 6 vaccine combination with diphtheria(D), tetanus(T), acellular pertussis(aP), HepatitisB (HB), inactivated polio (IPV) & Hib (Haemophilus Influenzae B)
• INFANRIX hexa®

DTaP-IPV-Hib 5 vaccine combination with diphtheria(D), tetanus(T), acellular pertussis(aP), inactivated polio (IPV) & Hib (Haemophilus Influenzae B) vaccines
• Pediacel™ or Infanrix-IPV/Hib®

Hepatitis A (HepA or HA) virus vaccine (Aboriginal only)
• AVAXIM® Pediatric, HAVRIX® 720 JUNIOR, VAQTA®

Hepatitis B (HB): genetically engineered virus vaccine
• ENGERIX®-B or RECOMBIVAX HB® pediatric

HPV Human papillomavirus vaccine,
• GARDASIL 9™ (girls), GARDASIL™ (boys)

Influenza Annual Flu shot, quadrivalent vaccine recommended
• FLULAVAL® Tetra for babies 6 –23 months
• FLUMIST® Quadrivalent or FLULAVAL® Tetra 2 –17 yrs
(If a quadrivalent product is unavailable, Fluviral® or Agriflu® used.)

Men C-C: Meningococcal serotype C vaccine,
• MENJUGATE® or NEISVAC-C®

Men C-ACYW-135: 4 Meningococcal serotypes,
• MENVEO® or MENACTRA®

***MMR:** measles, mumps, rubella,
3 combination **live virus** vaccine
• MMRII® or Priorex® for children < 4 years old
***MMRV:** measles, mumps, rubella, & varicella (chickenpox)
4 combination **live virus** vaccine
• Priorex Tetra® or ProQuad™ for children ≥ 4 yrs old

Pneu C-13: pneumococcal vaccine, 13 serotypes,
• PREVNAR 13®

***Rotavirus:** **live virus** oral vaccine,
• Rotarix™ (2 doses) or RotaTeq® (3 doses)

Tdap-IPV: tetanus, diphtheria, acellular pertussis, polio
4 vaccine combination, age 4-6
• ADACEL-Polio® or BOOSTRIX-Polio®

Tdap: tetanus, diphtheria, acellular pertussis, polio
4 vaccine combination, Grade 9 booster
• ADACEL® or BOOSTRIX®

***Varicella:** chickenpox **live virus** vaccine
• VARILRIX® or VARIVAX® III

***Live virus vaccines** can shed for varying amounts of time (weeks to months) in the body fluids of vaccinated people and can be transmitted to others. “Little is known about the potential of live attenuated and genetically engineered vaccine viruses to mutate and recombine with other viruses and create new viruses that will cause disease or affect the integrity of the human genome, human microbiome and healthy functioning of the immune and neurological systems.” [NVIC](http://www.nvic.org/cmstemplates/nvic/pdf/live-virus-vaccines-and-vaccine-shedding.pdf)
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What’s In those Vaccines?

In the first year of life, during critical phases of brain and immune system development, your baby will receive from 31 to 33 doses of complex biochemical vaccine ingredients. We identify some of these substances, such as adjuvants, preservatives and other ‘clinically significant’ ingredients in the following popular vaccine brands.

Example Vaccines received in the first year

3 DTaP-HB-IPV-Hib—Infanrix hexa®

2 MEN-C-C—Menjugate®

2 Rotavirus—Rotarix™

1 MMR—MMRII®

3 Pneu C-13—Prevnar 13®

2 Influenza—Flulaval® Tetra

1 Varicella—Varivax® III

Infanrix hexa:

Adjuvant: Aluminum 820mcg X 3 doses = **2460mcg**
Preservative: 2-Phenoxyethanol (PE)
Potential Allergens: Polymyxin B, Yeast protein, Neomycin, Tetanus toxoid carrier protein
Other: Bovine serum albumin Formaldehyde
Monkey kidney cell DNA Polysorbate 80

Menjugate:

Adjuvant: Aluminum 1000mcg X 1 dose = **1000mcg**
Potential Allergens: Latex, Diphtheria toxoid carrier protein
Other: Disodium phosphate heptahydrate, Mannitol, Sodium chloride, Sodium dihydrogen phosphate monohydrate

Prevnar-13:

Adjuvant: Aluminum 1250mcg X 3 doses = **3750mcg**
Potential Allergens: Diphtheria toxoid carrier protein
Other: Polysorbate 20 and 80, Formaldehyde, Lactose

Rotarix: Other: DNA fragments from porcine circovirus 1
Contaminants from cell growth medium

Flulaval Tetra:

Preservative: Thimerosal <25mcg **mercury** X 2doses = **<50mcg**
Potential Allergens: Egg protein, Thimerosal
Other: Formaldehyde

MMRII:

Potential Allergens: Neomycin, Phenol red, Porcine gelatin
Residual components of chick embryo cell cultures
Other: Fetal bovine serum, Human diploid cells (fetal cells)
Contaminants from cell growth medium,
Recombinant human albumin
Monosodium L-glutamate monohydrate

Varivax III:

Potential allergens: Porcine gelatin, fetal bovine serum, neomycin
Other: Human diploid cells (fetal cells), monosodium glutamate
Note: Due to space considerations, chemical salts, sugars and many other ingredients are not listed in the Other Ingredients category above. For complete ingredient listings and information on vaccines used in BC, see the BC Centre for Disease Control manual: [Communicable Disease Control/Immunization Program/Section VII—Biological Products](#).

Using the above vaccines in the first year of life, vaccinated babies will receive a total of 7210 micrograms (mcg) of aluminum and nearly 50 micrograms of mercury, both of which are known neurotoxins affecting brain development and function. Babies will also be exposed to various animal and human DNA, cell fragments and contaminants. The polysorbate 20 & 80 emulsifier can cross the blood brain barrier, ferrying any other ingredients into the brain.

Ask your doctor what vaccines they use and then read the eye-opening product monographs. [Product monographs](#) are available online at www.vaccines411.ca under the health professionals tab.