



childhood immunizations

Did You Know?

Childhood vaccines (shots) are used to prevent 14 diseases. The U.S. has a vaccine safety system to make sure all vaccines are as safe as possible. Children need the most protection from vaccines before the age of two. It is very important to get your child immunized before their second birthday. This can help to protect their immune system.



Vaccination Schedule

| Immunization | # of Doses | Birth | 2 Months | 4 Months | 6 Months | 12 Months | 15-18 Months | 19-23 Months |
|----------------|---------------|-------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Hepatitis B | 3 | 1 | 1 | | 1 | | | |
| Rotavirus (RV) | 2-3 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | |
| DTaP | 4 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | 1 | |
| Hib | 3-4 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | |
| PCV | 4 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | |
| Polio | 3 | | 1 | 1 | | 1 | | |
| MMR | 1 | | | | | 1 | | |
| Varicella | 1 | | | | | 1 | | 1 |
| Hepatitis A | 2 | | | | | 1 | | 1 |
| Flu Vaccine | 2 | | | | 1 | | | 1 |

Time frames are based on national immunization schedule standards. Your child's completed shots may fall out of the exact ranges listed, but they should complete all doses before they turn two.



Ask your child's Primary Care Provider about combo vaccines!

Need help making an appointment? Call Meridian Medicaid Plan Member Services at **866-606-3700** (TTY: **711**), Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. You can get most vaccines at your local pharmacy, too.



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