

Child Immunization History

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Early care and education (ECE) programs may use this form to track a child's immunization history by transferring information from the child's immunization record. This form can help early educators understand whether the child is up-to-date, respond quickly to vaccine preventable disease outbreaks, and complete the Annual Immunization Report.

Child's Full Name:	Date of Birth:
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Enter the date of each dose received (Month/Day/Year) from the child's immunization record.

Vaccine Type	Abbreviation	Trade Name	Combination Vaccines	1 date	2 date	3 date	4 date	5 date
Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis	DTaP, DT, DTP	Infanrix, Daptacel	Pediarix, Pentacel, Kinrix, Quadracel, Vaxelis					
Polio	IPV	IPOL	Pediarix, Pentacel, Kinrix, Quadracel, Vaxelis					
Haemophilus influenza type B	Hib (PRP-T) Hib (PRP-OMP)	ActHIB, Hiberix, PedvaxHIB *	Pentacel, Vaxelis					
Hepatitis B	HepB, HBV	Engerix-B, Recombivax HB	Pediarix, Vaxelis					
Measles, Mumps, Rubella	MMR	MMR II, Priorix	ProQuad					
Varicella/Chicken Pox	Var	Varivax	ProQuad					
Pneumococcal Conjugate*	PCV, PCV15, PCV20, PPSV23**	Prevnar 20, Vaxneuvance, Pneumovax23**						

*3 shots of PedvaxHIB are equivalent to 4 Hib doses. 4 doses are required if a child receives more than one brand of Hib shots.

**PPSV23 or Pneumovax is a different vaccine than Prevnar 20.

Note: Children beyond their 5th birthday are not required to receive Hib or PCV vaccines.

Gray shaded boxes indicate that the child should not have received any more doses of that vaccine.

Minimum State Vaccine Requirements for Child Care Entry

By This Age:	Children Need These Shots:						
3 months					1 Hep B		
5 months		2 Polio			2 Hep B		
7 months	3 DTaP	2 Polio		2-3 Hib*	2 Hep B	3 PCV	
12 months	3 DTaP	2 Polio		2-3 Hib*	2 Hep B	3 PCV	
16 months	3 DTaP	2 Polio	1 MMR	3-4 Hib*	2 Hep B	4 PCV	
19 months	4 DTaP	3 Polio	1 MMR	3-4 Hib*	3 Hep B	4 PCV	1 Var
4 years or older (in child care only)	4 DTaP	3 Polio	1 MMR	3-4 Hib*	3 Hep B	4 PCV	1 Var

Note: For children behind on immunizations, a catch-up schedule must meet minimal interval requirements for vaccines within a series. Consult with the child's health care provider for questions.

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Vaccines Recommended (not required) by the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP)

Vaccine Type	Abbreviation	Trade Name	Recommended Schedule	1 date	2 date	3 date	4 date	5 date
Rotavirus	RV1, RV5	Rotateq, Rotarix	Age 2 months, 4 months, 6 months.					
Hepatitis A	Hep A	Havrix, Vaqta	First dose, age 12-23 months. Second dose, within 6-18 months after first dose.					
Influenza	Flu	Fluzone, Fluarix, FluLaval, Flucelvax, FluMist, Afluria	Annually after age 6 months.					
Coronavirus disease 2019	1vCOV-mRNA, 1vCOV-aPS	Comirnaty, Spikevax, Novovax, Moderna Pfizer-Bio-Tech	As directed by CDC with guidance from the child's health care provider					
Respiratory Syncytial Virus	RSV	Nirsevimab	As directed by CDC with guidance from the child's health care provider					
Note: These vaccines are not required but early educators should encourage parents/guardians to talk to their child's health care professional about the importance of receiving these recommended vaccinations.								

Record updated by:	Date	Record updated by:	Date

ECE programs are responsible for enforcing state immunization laws for children who are attending their program. For some vaccines, requirements may vary based on the age or date of birth of the child. For vaccine timing and requirements: immunization.dph.ncdhhs.gov/schools/childcare.htm

At enrollment, the program must notify the parent(s), guardian, or person in loco parentis that they have thirty (30) calendar days from the first day of attendance to present an immunization record showing the child has had the required immunizations for their age.

If the child's immunizations are not up to date at enrollment, the child must, within the same 30 calendar days:

- obtain the required immunizations or
- be started on the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Child and Adolescent Immunization Catch-up Schedule according to age. cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/hcp/imz/child-adolescent.html

At the end of the 30-day period, any child without a Certificate of Immunization showing the child has received the required vaccines must be prohibited from attending until the above requirements are met.

More information on NC laws and rules and the responsibility of child care facilities:

immunization.dph.ncdhhs.gov/schools/ncruleslaws.htm

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