

IMMUNISATIONS

protecting you and your family

Are you and your family up to date with yours?

Pregnancy

GP

- Pertussis ('whooping cough' - you can have this >16 weeks pregnant)
- Respiratory syncytial virus ('RSV' - you can have this >28 weeks pregnant)
- Flu (at any stage of your pregnancy, throughout 'flu season' which usually runs September - March).



Antenatal Clinic

Newborn (up to 4 weeks)

Community clinic*



- Hepatitis B (given to baby after birth in hospital + 4 weeks old in a community clinic*, if mum is Hep B positive)
- BCG* (given to baby at 4 weeks old if they are at higher risk of tuberculosis, BCG is currently offered to those <16 years).

Hospital

Infant (up to 12 months)

GP

- Diphtheria / Tetanus / Pertussis / Polio / Hib / Hep B (given at 8, 12 & 16 weeks)
- Meningitis B (given at 8 & 16 weeks)
- Rotavirus (given at 8 & 12 weeks)
- Pneumococcal (given at 12 weeks).



Pre-school (1 - 5 years)

GP



- Hib and Meningitis C (given at 12-13 months)
- Pneumococcal (given at 12-13 months)
- Measles / Mumps / Rubella (MMR given at 12-13 months and again at 3 years, 4 months)
- Meningitis B (given at 12-13 months)
- Flu (nasal spray - given to 2 & 3 year olds and those 'at-risk' during 'flu season')
- Diphtheria / Tetanus / Pertussis / Polio (given at 3 years, 4 months).

Primary-aged child (6 - 11 years)

- Flu (nasal spray - offered every year during 'flu season').



School*

Adolescent (12 - 17 years)



- HPV (protecting against certain types of cancers - given at 12-13 years)
- Tetanus / Diphtheria / Polio (given at 14 years)
- MenACWY (given at 14 years).

School*

Adult (18 - 64 years)

GP

- If you have certain medical conditions, you can have immunisations to better protect you, such as: flu, COVID, pneumococcal, MenB, MenACWY, Hep A or Hep B immunisations.
- Please speak with your GP to see which immunisations you are eligible for.



Older adults (65+ years)

GP



- Pneumococcal (given at 65+ years)
- Flu (given at 65+ years yearly during 'flu season')
- Shingles (given at 65 or 70-79 years, or at 50+ years if you have certain medical conditions)
- Respiratory syncytial virus (given at 75-79 years).

Please check your / your child's eligibility for COVID-19 immunisation with your GP practice.

*Community & school-aged immunisation service (CSAIS) provides community-clinic and school immunisations: 0300 555 5055 / hct.immsenquiries@nhs.net