

National Immunisation Program

April 2019 South Australia Schedule[#]

† CAUTION brand name similarity

Additional vaccines

CHILDHOOD SCHEDULE

Age	Antigen	Vaccine Brand	Route	Important information
Birth	Hepatitis B	Engerix B [®] paediatric OR HB Vax II [®] paediatric	IM IM	Within 7 days of birth (ideally within 24 hours). No catch-up required
6 weeks	DTPa-hepB-IPV-Hib 13vPCV Rotavirus Meningococcal B	Infanrix [®] hexa [†] Prevenar 13 [®] Rotarix [®] Bexsero [®]	IM IM Oral IM (L leg)	Rotarix – dose 1 limited to 6-14 weeks of age Bexsero – prophylactic paracetamol required
4 months	DTPa-hepB-IPV-Hib 13vPCV Rotavirus Meningococcal B	Infanrix [®] hexa [†] Prevenar 13 [®] Rotarix [®] Bexsero [®]	IM IM Oral IM (L leg)	Rotarix – dose 2 limited to 10-24 weeks of age Bexsero – prophylactic paracetamol required
6 months	DTPa-hepB-IPV-Hib	Infanrix [®] hexa [†]	IM	
Aboriginal* children	13vPCV	Prevenar 13 [®]	IM	
MAR**	13vPCV	Prevenar 13 [®]	IM	
12 months	4vMenCV (ACWY) MMR 13vPCV Meningococcal B	Nimenrix [®] MMR II [®] OR Priorix Prevenar 13 [®] Bexsero [®]	IM Subcut/IM IM IM (L arm)	Bexsero – prophylactic paracetamol required
Aboriginal children	Hepatitis A	Vaqta [®] paediatric	IM	
MAR	Hepatitis B	Engerix B [®] paediatric OR HB Vax II [®] paediatric	IM IM	Low birth weight (<2000g) and/or preterm (<32 weeks)
18 months	Hib DTPa MMRV	Act-HIB [®] Tripacel [®] OR Infanrix [®] [†] Priorix Tetra [®] OR ProQuad [®]	IM IM Subcut/IM Subcut/IM	
Aboriginal children	Hepatitis A	Vaqta [®] paediatric	IM	
4 years	DTPa/IPV	Infanrix IPV [®] [†] OR Quadrace1 [®]	IM IM	
MAR	23vPPV	Pneumovax 23 [®]	IM	

ADOLESCENT/ADULT SCHEDULE

Year 8 students	dTpa HPV	Boostrix [®] Gardasil [®] 9	IM IM	9 to <15 years, 2 doses HPV with a 6 month interval
Year 10 students	4vMenCV (ACWY) Meningococcal B	Nimenrix [®] Bexsero [®]	IM IM (L arm)	2 doses Bexsero with a 2 month interval
Year 11 students	Meningococcal B	Bexsero [®]	IM (L arm)	2 doses Bexsero with a 2 month interval – 2019 only
50 years Aboriginal	23vPPV	Pneumovax 23 [®]	IM	A second dose is recommended 5 years after the first dose
65 years	23vPPV	Pneumovax 23 [®]	IM	Extra doses may be needed for adults who are MAR Refer to the online Australian Immunisation Handbook
70 years	VSZ (shingles)	Zostavax [®]	Subcut	Catch-up program for aged 71-79 years until 2021
Pregnant women	dTpa	Adacel [®] OR Boostrix [®]	IM	Each pregnancy from 20 weeks gestation

Refer to the Annual Funded Influenza Program South Australia for influenza vaccine information

* The term Aboriginal is inclusive of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people

** Medically at risk (MAR)