

## WAYNE PEDIATRIC ASSOCIATES

### Immunization Schedule

*effective January 2011*

2011 saw several changes in the recommended immunization schedule. This is the schedule we are currently using followed by brief explanations. Links to websites for more information can be found on our own website: [www.waynepediatrics.com/immun.html](http://www.waynepediatrics.com/immun.html)

IMMUNIZATIONS		Infants/Toddlers - age in months												Children/teens - age in years					
Short Name	Full Name	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	9	12	14	18	24	4	5	11	13	16
Hep B	Hepatitis B	✓	✓							✓									
Pentacel <sup>6</sup>	DTaP + HiB +IPV			✓		✓		✓				✓							
Rotavirus <sup>1</sup>	Rotavirus			✓		✓		✓											
Prevnar	Pneumococcal Conjugate			✓		✓		✓			✓								
Varivax <sup>2</sup>	Varicella (Chickenpox)										✓				✓				
MMR	Measles, Mumps, Rubella											✓			✓				
Hep A <sup>3</sup>	Hepatitis A										✓		✓						
DTaP	Diphtheria, Tetanus and Pertussis															✓			
IPV	Inert Polio Vaccine															✓			
Menactra <sup>7</sup>	Meningococcal																✓		✓
Adacel <sup>4</sup>	Tetanus, Diphtheria & Pertussis (Tdap)																✓		
Gardasil <sup>5</sup>	Human Papilloma Virus [x3]																		✓

**NOTES:**

- 1 Rotavirus – a common cause of severe vomiting and diarrhea. The new vaccine is for babies under 32 weeks of age only.
  - 2 Chickenpox (varicella) – a booster dose is now being recommended. Older patients who received only one chickenpox vaccine dose can get a booster at their next visit.
  - 3 Hepatitis A – a viral liver disease. This is an old vaccine with a new recommendation to become a routine immunization, two shots given 6 months apart during the second year.  
Catch up immunization is available for older patients.
  - 4 Tdap – replaces the old 12 year tetanus booster and contains a booster dose against whooping cough, a disease which has been increasing again.  
Parents of newborns can also consider getting this if their tetanus booster is due, to help protect their baby.
  - 5 HPV – a very exciting new vaccine against the virus known to cause cancer of the cervix and genital warts. It can be given to girls and boys between 9 and 26 years.
  - 6 Pentacel - a combination vaccine that includes DTaP, HiB (Haemophilus Influenzae Type B) and IPV, given at 2,4,6 & 14 months.
  - 7 Menactra - a booster dose is now recommended.
- Influenza** – shots are now recommended for all children over 6 months of age. Flumist, the nasal spray vaccine (live, attenuated virus), will be available for older patients.  
Please ask the doctor about exclusions.