

## Multiple Vaccinations Given Simultaneously

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In 1983, the CDC directed doctors to give a child no more than 4 vaccines (DPT, Polio) simultaneously. By 2013, the CDC directed that a child can receive 8 or more vaccines at once.

The Institute of Medicine published a report in 2013 stating that "key elements of the entire (CDC recommended childhood vaccine) schedule - the number, frequency, timing, order and age of administration of vaccines - have not been systematically examined in research studies."

## Vaccinations During Pregnancy

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A new CDC policy directs doctors to give pregnant women one dose of influenza vaccine in any trimester and one dose of pertussis containing Tdap vaccine after 20 weeks during every pregnancy. The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has determined that large, well controlled long term studies have not been conducted to confirm that influenza and Tdap vaccination during pregnancy is safe.

## ABOUT US

The non-profit National Vaccine Information Center (NVIC) is an independent clearinghouse for information on diseases and vaccine science, policy, law and the ethical principle of informed consent. NVIC publishes information about vaccination and health to encourage educated decision-making. NVIC does not make vaccine use recommendations. NVIC supports the availability of all preventive health care options and the legal right for individuals to make informed, voluntary health choices for themselves and their children.

## LEARN MORE

Go to [NVIC.org](http://NVIC.org) and learn more about signs and symptoms of infectious diseases and vaccine reactions; how to report vaccine reactions; how to meet deadlines for applying for federal vaccine injury compensation and how to protect your legal right to informed consent to vaccination in America.

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**Before You Take  
A Risk, Find Out  
What It Is**

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Based on the CDC's 2023  
**RECOMMENDED**  
Childhood Vaccine Schedule



**52**

**Doses of 15 Vaccines  
Before age 6**



**72**

**Doses of 17 Vaccines  
Before age 18**

**BEFORE YOU TAKE A RISK,  
FIND OUT WHAT IT IS**

**Birth (12 Hours)**

Hepatitis B

**Two Months**

Diphtheria

Tetanus

Pertussis

Polio

Haemophilus Influenzae Type B (HIB)

Rotavirus

Hepatitis B

Pneumococcal (PCV)

**Four Months**

Diphtheria

Tetanus

Pertussis

Polio

HIB

Rotavirus

PCV

**Six Months**

Diphtheria

Tetanus

Pertussis

Polio

HIB

Rotavirus

Hepatitis B

PCV

Influenza

**Seven Months**

Influenza

**Twelve to Eighteen Months**

Diphtheria

Tetanus

Pertussis

Measles

Mumps

Rubella

HIB

PCV

Varicella

Hepatitis A (2)

**Two to Six Years**

Diphtheria

Tetanus

Pertussis

Polio

Measles

Mumps

Rubella

Varicella

Influenza (5)

COVID-19 (2)

**Seven to Eighteen Years**

Diphtheria

Tetanus

Pertussis

Influenza (12)

Human Papillomavirus (HPV) (2)

Meningococcal (2)

COVID-19

**Vaccine Ingredients:** Different vaccine contain different ingredients including lab altered live or inactivated viruses and bacteria, chemicals, metals, proteins, antibiotics and human, animal and insect DNA and RNA.