

## VACCINATIONS GENERAL CHART OF RECOMMENDED VACCINATIONS

Engelse vertaling uit het Nederlands van: 'Vaccinatieschema'

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Vaccination against	8 wks	12 wks	16 wks	12 mths	15 mths	5-7 yrs <sup>(1)</sup>	10-13 yrs	14-16 yrs <sup>(4)</sup>
Poliomyelitis	x	x	x		x	x		
Diphtheria (croup)	x	x	x		x	x		x <sup>(5)</sup>
Tetanus (lockjaw)	x	x	x		x	x		x
Pertussis (whooping cough)	x	x	x		x	x		x <sup>(5)</sup>
Haemophilus Influenzae B	x	x	x		x			
Hepatitis B (jaundice)	x	x	x		x		xx <sup>(3)</sup>	
Pneumococcus 13-serotypes	x		x	x				
Rotavirus <sup>(6)</sup>	x	x	x <sup>(7)</sup>					
Measles				x			x <sup>(2)</sup>	
Parotitis (mumps)				x			x <sup>(2)</sup>	
German measles (rubella)				x			x <sup>(2)</sup>	
Meningococcal type C					x			
Human Papilloma virus <sup>(8)</sup>							xxx	

### Points of Special Interest:

- \* Only the polio vaccination is legally compulsory. However, Kind en Gezin (Child & Family) strongly recommends the implementation of the whole scheme proposed by the Superior Health Council of Belgium (scheme: see above).
- \* For the administration of the vaccination you have a free choice between the clinic of "Kind en Gezin", your GP or paediatrician.

- <sup>(1)</sup> First school year
- <sup>(2)</sup> Fifth school year
- <sup>(3)</sup> First year of secondary education (only for children not previously vaccinated against hepatitis B)
- <sup>(4)</sup> Third year of secondary education
- <sup>(5)</sup> Lower dose of diphtheria and whooping cough for adults
- <sup>(6)</sup> The vaccination is partly refunded and therefore costs 11 Euro per dose (for persons covered by a standard insurance). You must purchase the vaccine from the pharmacy with a doctor's prescription and store it at home in a cool place (between 2 and 8°C). The vaccine must not be frozen.
- <sup>(7)</sup> Two or 3 doses depending on the brand
- <sup>(8)</sup> The vaccination is recommended for one cohort (same age group) of girls and comprises 3 doses