

IMMUNISATION SCHEDULE 2020

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Are immunisations free?

People under 20 years of age are eligible for free immunisations under the National Immunisation Program. All refugees and humanitarian entrants, including asylum seekers, can receive free immunisations.

Immunisation sessions

We hold regular immunisation sessions at various locations around Yarra for adults and children.

You do not need to make an appointment to attend a session. Our upcoming sessions for 2020 are listed in the table below:



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FAMILY, YOUTH &
CHILDREN'S SERVICES

LOCATION	TIME	DAY	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
FITZROY TOWN HALL 201 Napier Street, Fitzroy	1pm to 3pm	First Tuesday of the month	-	7	5	2
NORTH RICHMOND COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE 23 Lennox Street, Richmond	1pm to 2pm	First Wednesday of the month	-	1	6	3
COLLINGWOOD TOWN HALL 140 Hoddle Street, Abbotsford	9.30am to 11.30am	Second Wednesday of the month	-	8	13	10
EDINBURGH GARDENS COMMUNITY ROOM Alfred Crescent, Fitzroy North (under the grandstand by St Georges Rd)	1pm to 3pm	Third Tuesday of the month	-	21	19	16
STUDIO ONE 15 Barnet Way, Richmond	9.30am to 11.30am	Third Wednesday of the month	-	15	20	17
COLLINGWOOD TOWN HALL 140 Hoddle Street, Abbotsford	5pm to 7pm	Fourth Monday of the month	23	27	25	22

Please check the website prior to attending a session for any last minute changes.

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NATIONAL IMMUNISATION PROGRAM SCHEDULE

The National Immunisation Program (NIP) Schedule is a series of immunisations given at specific ages. The immunisations range from birth through to adulthood. To have the best possible protection, immunisations should be given on time, every time.

Visit health.gov.au/immunisation for more information about the program.

AGE	DISEASE IMMUNISED AGAINST
Birth	Hepatitis B
2 months	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (whooping cough), hepatitis B, polio, Haemophilus influenzae type b (Hib) Pneumococcal Rotavirus
4 months	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (whooping cough), hepatitis B, polio, Haemophilus influenzae type b (Hib) Pneumococcal Rotavirus
6 months (recommended from 24 weeks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (whooping cough), hepatitis B, polio, Haemophilus influenzae type b (Hib)
Additional vaccines for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children (QLD, NT, WA and SA) and medically at-risk children	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pneumococcal
12 months (must have turned 1 year)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meningococcal ACWY Measles, mumps, rubella Pneumococcal
Additional vaccines for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children (QLD, NT, WA and SA)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hepatitis A

How do I get an immunisation statement for childcare, kindergarten or school?

- Call Australian Immunisation Register on **1800 653 809** and request one to be mailed out.
- Visit any Medicare office to request a print out.
- Create a profile or login to your existing profile on www.my.gov.au or download the Express Plus Medicare mobile app.
- Or contact us at immunisation@yarracity.vic.gov.au.

AGE	DISEASE IMMUNISED AGAINST
18 months	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Haemophilus influenzae type b (Hib) Measles, mumps, rubella, varicella (chickenpox) Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (whooping cough)
Additional vaccines for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children (QLD, NT, WA and SA)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hepatitis A
4 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (whooping cough), polio
Additional vaccines for medically at risk children	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pneumococcal
12 to 13 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Human papillomavirus (HPV) Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (whooping cough)
14 to 16 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meningococcal ACWY
15 to 49 years Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people with medical risk factors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pneumococcal
50 years and over Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pneumococcal
65 years and over	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pneumococcal
70-79 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Shingles
Pregnant women	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pertussis (whooping cough) Influenza

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