

# Standard Immunisation catch-up program template

## For children currently aged from 2 years up to 4 years (<4 years)

### with ***NO*** documented history of vaccination

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#### **Important information**

- There is the option of using the 'Accelerated Immunisation Catch-up Template for children aged from 2 years up to 4 years' [<4 years]
- To prevent Centrelink payment issues complete an Immunisation History Form. Fill out Part A, Part B [only need to ✓ 'on a catch-up program'] and sign Part C then fax to Australian Immunisation Register (AIR) **Fax no: 08 9254 4810.**
- If a child has a **DOB on or after 01/10/2014** to be considered up to date they will need to catch up for the Infanrix or Tripacel [DTPa] booster dose scheduled at 18 months. In a catch-up program Infanrix or Tripacel always need to be a minimum of 6 months spacing from any other diphtheria/tetanus/pertussis [DTPa] containing vaccine such as Infanrix Hexa or Infanrix-IPV.
- Sources for checking vaccination records: AIR records; VIVAS records; Personal Health Record Book; patient records; previous service provider.

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**Due now:** **Infanrix Hexa** [DTP-hepB-IPV-Hib vaccine] dose 1  
**M-M-R II or Priorix** [Measles/Mumps/Rubella vaccine] dose 2

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**Then, one month later give:** **Infanrix Hexa** [DTP-hepB-IPV-Hib vaccine] dose 2  
**Priorix Tetra or ProQuad** [Measles/Mumps/Rubella/Varicella vaccine] dose 2

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**Then, one month later give:** **Menitorix** [Meningococcal C/Hib vaccine] dose 1

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**Then, two months later give:** **Infanrix Hexa** [DTP-hepB-IPV-Hib vaccine] dose 3  
[give at least 3 months after the last dose of Infanrix Hexa]

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**Then, six months later give:** **Infanrix or Tripacel** [DTPa vaccine] dose 4  
[if is born from 01/10/2014 will need this first booster dose to be up to date on AIR] [give at least 6 months after dose 3 of Infanrix Hexa and always at least 6 months before the Infanrix-IPV].

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**Return at 4 years of age and give:** **Infanrix IPV** [DTP-IPV vaccine] dose 5  
[if *did not* receive Infanrix or Tripacel label dose 4]  
[give at 4 years of age or least 6 months after the last dose of DTP containing vaccine e.g. Infanrix – Hexa, whichever is later]

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*Refer to the electronic version of the Australian Immunisation Handbook (AIH) 10<sup>th</sup> edition Table 2.1.7: Minimum acceptable dose intervals for children <10 years.*

#### **Contact the Sunshine Coast Public Health Unit for advice on the extra vaccines recommended for:**

- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children
- Premature [<32 weeks gestation] and/or low birth weight [<2000g] children
- Children identified as being at medical risk for invasive pneumococcal disease [IPD]. Refer to the Australian Immunisation Handbook 10<sup>th</sup> ed. [AIH] pps 326-327 for a list of conditions associated with an increased risk of IPD