

641—7.4(139A) Required immunizations.

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IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants enrolled or attempting to enroll shall have received the following vaccines in accordance with the doses and age requirements listed below. If, at any time, the age of the child is between the listed ages, the child must have received the number of doses in the "Total Doses Required" column.

Institution	Age	Vaccine	Total Doses Required
Licensed Child Care Center	Less than 4 months of age	This is not a recommended administration schedule, but contains the minimum requirements for participation in licensed child care. Routine vaccination begins at 2 months of age.	
	4 months through 5 months of age	Diphtheria/Tetanus/Pertussis	1 dose
		Polio ¹	1 dose
		<i>haemophilus influenzae</i> type B	1 dose
		Pneumococcal	1 dose
	6 months through 11 months of age	Diphtheria/Tetanus/Pertussis	2 doses
		Polio ¹	2 doses
		<i>haemophilus influenzae</i> type B	2 doses
		Pneumococcal	2 doses
	12 months through 18 months of age	Diphtheria/Tetanus/Pertussis	3 doses
		Polio ¹	2 doses
		<i>haemophilus influenzae</i> type B	2 doses; or 1 dose received at 15 months of age or older.
		Pneumococcal	3 doses; or 2 doses if both doses were received at 12 months of age or older.
	19 months through 23 months of age	Diphtheria/Tetanus/Pertussis	4 doses
		Polio ¹	3 doses
		<i>haemophilus influenzae</i> type B	3 doses if a dose was received on or after 12 months of age; or 2 doses if the first dose was received on or after 12 months of age; or 1 dose if the dose was received at 15 months of age or older.
		Pneumococcal	4 doses if a dose was received on or after 12 months of age; or 3 doses if 1 or more doses were received on or after 12 months of age; or 2 doses if both doses were received at 12 months of age or older.
		Measles/Rubella	1 dose; or the applicant demonstrates a positive antibody test for measles and rubella from a U.S. laboratory.
24 months of age and older	Varicella	1 dose; or the applicant has a reliable history of natural disease.	
	Diphtheria/Tetanus/Pertussis	4 doses	
	Polio ¹	3 doses	
	<i>haemophilus influenzae</i> type B	3 doses if a dose was received on or after 12 months of age; or 2 doses if the first dose was received on or after 12 months of age; or 1 dose if the dose was received at 15 months of age or older. Hib vaccine is not required for persons 60 months of age or older.	
	Pneumococcal	4 doses if a dose was received on or after 12 months of age; or 3 doses if 1 or more doses were received on or after 12 months of age; or 2 doses if the first dose was received on or after 12 months of age; or 1 dose if the dose was received on or after 24 months of age. Pneumococcal vaccine is not required for persons 60 months of age or older.	
	Measles/Rubella	1 dose; or the applicant demonstrates a positive antibody test for measles and rubella from a U.S. laboratory.	
Elementary or Secondary School (K-12)	4 years of age and older	Varicella	1 dose; or the applicant has a reliable history of natural disease.
		Diphtheria/Tetanus/Pertussis ²	5 doses with at least 1 dose received on or after 4 years of age; or 4 doses if the fourth dose was received on or after 4 years of age; and 1 dose of tetanus/diphtheria/acellular pertussis-containing vaccine (Tdap) received on or after 10 years of age for applicants in grades 7 and above, regardless of the interval since the last tetanus/diphtheria-containing vaccine.
		Polio ¹	4 doses, with at least 1 dose received on or after 4 years of age; or 3 doses if the third dose was received on or after 4 years of age.
		Measles/Rubella	2 doses; or the applicant demonstrates a positive antibody test for measles and rubella from a U.S. laboratory.
		Hepatitis B	3 doses
		Varicella	2 doses; or the applicant has a reliable history of natural disease.
		Meningococcal (A, C, W, Y)	1 dose received on or after 10 years of age for applicants in grades 7 through 11; and 2 doses with 1 dose received on or after 16 years of age for applicants in grade 12; or 1 dose for applicants in grade 12 if the dose was received on or after 16 years of age.

¹ Doses of oral polio vaccine (OPV) administered on or after April 1, 2016, are not valid doses and do not count toward the polio vaccine requirement.
² Applicants 7 through 18 years of age who received the first dose of diphtheria/tetanus/pertussis-containing vaccine at 12 months of age or older should receive a total of 3 doses, with one dose received on or after 4 years of age.

7.4(2) Vaccine doses administered less than or equal to four days before the minimum interval or age shall be counted as valid. Doses administered greater than or equal to five days earlier than the minimum interval or age shall not be counted as valid doses and shall be repeated as appropriate.

7.4(3) For vaccine administration, the minimum age and intervals recommended by the advisory committee on immunization practices shall be followed.
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