

# Provincial and Territorial Routine Vaccination Programs for Healthy, Previously Immunized Adults (as of June 2023)

This table summarizes the routine (publicly-funded) vaccination schedule for healthy, previously immunized adults in all provinces and territories (P/T) across Canada. Provincial and territorial immunization programs for publicly-funded programs can change. Schedules for each province or territory can be found on their [website](#) and individuals are encouraged to talk to their health care providers about recommended immunizations for them. This table does not include adults who were previously unimmunized, adults with underlying medical conditions (at-risk), travellers, health care workers, etc. Please refer to the [NACI recommendations](#) or specific P/T schedules for more details on these groups.

The [Canadian Immunization Guide](#) is an online resource for health care professionals and includes more information about vaccines, vaccine safety and the nationally [recommended immunization schedules](#). Additional information on vaccine safety, epidemiology, and guidance on immunization and vaccines is available on [Canada.ca](#).

## Provincial & Territorial Vaccination Schedules for Healthy Adults

Abbreviations	Description	BC	AB	SK	MB <sup>6</sup>	ON	QC	NB	NS	PE	NL	YT	NT	NU
Tdap <sup>1</sup>	<a href="#">Tetanus, diphtheria</a> (reduced toxoid), acellular <a href="#">pertussis</a> (reduced toxoid) vaccine	With each pregnancy	Every 10 years and each pregnancy	One booster dose per adult lifetime and each pregnancy	One booster dose per adult lifetime and each pregnancy	One booster dose per adult lifetime and each pregnancy	With each pregnancy	One booster dose per adult lifetime and each pregnancy	One booster dose per adult lifetime and each pregnancy	Every 10 years and each pregnancy	Every 10 years and each pregnancy	One booster dose per adult lifetime and each pregnancy	Every 10 years and each pregnancy	One booster dose per adult lifetime and each pregnancy
Td	<a href="#">Tetanus</a> and <a href="#">diphtheria</a> (reduced toxoid) vaccine	Every 10 years	N/A	Every 10 years	Every 10 years	Every 10 years	One dose at 50 years of age	Every 10 years	Every 10 years	N/A	N/A	Every 10 years	N/A	Every 10 years
Inf	<a href="#">Influenza</a> vaccine	Annually for all adults	Annually for all adults	Annually for all adults	Annually for all adults	Annually for all adults	Annually for adults aged 75+ years <sup>2</sup>	Annually for all adults	Annually for all adults	Annually for all adults	Annually for all adults	Annually for all adults	Annually for all adults	Annually for all adults
Pneu-P-23	<a href="#">Pneumococcal</a> polysaccharide 23-valent vaccine	65 years and older One dose	65 years and older One dose	65 years and older One dose	65 years and older One dose	65 years and older One dose	65 years and older One dose	65 years and older One dose	65 years and older One dose	65 years and older One dose	65 years and older One dose	65 years and all residents of extended or intermediate care facilities, and high-risk individuals One dose	65 years and older One dose	65 years and older One dose
Zos	<a href="#">Herpes Zoster (Shingles)</a> vaccine	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	65 to 70 years of age Two doses	80+ years Two doses	N/A	N/A	60+ years Two doses	N/A	65 to 79 years of age Two doses	N/A	N/A
HPV	<a href="#">HPV</a> vaccine	Less than 19 years and some adults less than 27 years <sup>5</sup>	Less than 27 years <sup>4</sup>	Females less than 27 years	Healthy females born on or after January 1, 1997, and healthy males born on or after January 1, 2002 <sup>7</sup> , and some high-risk individuals <sup>8</sup>	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	All adults <sup>3</sup>	N/A	18 to 26 years and high-risk individuals up to 45 years	N/A	Less than 27 years <sup>4</sup>

1	<a href="#">NACI recommends</a> that all adults should receive one dose of Tdap vaccine if they have not previously received pertussis-containing vaccines in adulthood and with every pregnancy.
2	The influenza vaccine is no longer recommended for healthy adults aged 60 to 74 years. For the 2023-2024 season, even if the recommendations remain unchanged, the vaccine is offered free of charge for people aged 6 months and over.
3	The HPV vaccine is publicly funded for the adult program. The HPV vaccine is recommended for adult males with the following risk factors: having unprotected sex with multiple partners (male and female) or with a partner who has multiple partners; history of genital warts; individuals who missed the HPV immunization in Grade 6 since 2012; HPV vaccine is recommended for all men who have sex with men (MSM); and for immunocompetent males and females who have HIV regardless of age. The HPV vaccine is recommended for adult females with the following risk factors: having unprotected sex with multiple partners (male and female) or with a partner who has multiple partners; history of genital warts; an abnormal PAP test; and individuals who missed the HPV immunization in Grade 6 since 2007.
4	Anyone under the age of 27 is eligible to receive an HPV vaccine.
5	HIV+ individuals, cis-gender males who are MSM (or questioning), street involved, two-spirit, transgender or non-binary.
6	MB applies the following policy to any publicly-funded vaccines: "Once eligible always eligible", so individuals who do not receive a publicly-funded vaccine when it is first recommended are eligible to receive the vaccine anytime later (unless otherwise stated).
7	If they missed it as part of the school immunization program.
8	Individuals with at least one of the following high-risk criteria are eligible to receive up to 3 doses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Immunocompetent HIV-infected males 9-26 years of age and females 9-45 years of age.</li> <li>• Males 9-26 years of age and females 9-45 years of age who have congenital immune deficiencies (B cell deficient, T cell mixed defects, phagocytic and neutrophil disorders, complement deficiency) or acquired immune deficiencies (pre-solid organ transplant or post-solid organ transplants, hematopoietic stem cell transplant recipients, as per CancerCare Manitoba Blood and Marrow Transplant (BMT) Immunization Schedule).</li> <li>• Males ≤ 18 years of age who are, or who have ever been, incarcerated.</li> <li>• Individuals who are currently, or who have previously been, diagnosed with recurrent respiratory papillomatosis.</li> <li>• Males 9-26 years of age who identify as gay or bisexual</li> <li>• Transgender males and transgender females 9-26 years of age.</li> <li>• Females 9-45 years of age who have a newly diagnosed high-grade cervical histopathology result.</li> <li>• Males 9-26 years of age and females 9-45 years of age who are victims of sexual assault.</li> <li>• Patients currently under the care of a haematologist or oncologist from CancerCare Manitoba (CCMB) who have the following conditions and have been provided a CCMB directed Immunization Schedule: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Malignant neoplasms (solid tissue and haematological) including leukemia and lymphoma, or clonal blood disorder, and who will receive or have completed immunosuppressive therapy including chemotherapy or radiation therapy, or</li> <li>2. Hypo- or asplenic (Sickle Cell Disease, etc.)</li> </ol> </li> </ul>
N/A	Vaccine is not publicly funded for adults in this province/territory