

# Immunization Schedule for Family/Group and Licensed Child Care Facilities\*

Birth - 2 months



**Hep B**

Under 2 months old, no vaccinations required.  
However, Hepatitis B birth dose is recommended.

By 3 months



**1 dose of DTaP**      **1 dose of Polio**      **1 dose of Hib**

By 5 months



**2 doses of DTaP**      **2 doses of Polio**      **2 doses of Hib**

By 7 months



**3 doses of DTaP**      **2 doses of Polio**      **\*\*2 or 3 doses of Hib**

By 16 months



**3 doses of DTaP**      **2 doses of Polio**      **\*\*\*1 dose of Hib given after 12 and up to 15 months of age**      **\*\*\*\* 1 dose of MMR**

By 19 months



**4 doses of DTaP**      **3 doses of Polio**      **\*\*\*1 dose of Hib given after 12 and up to 15 months of age**      **\*\*\*\*1 dose of MMR**      **\*\*\*\*1 dose of Varicella**

Please see reverse side for description of immunizations and additional contact information.

## **Vaccine Descriptions:**

**Hep B:** protects against Hepatitis B

**DTaP:** a combined vaccine that protects against diphtheria, tetanus, and pertussis (whooping cough)

**Hib:** protects against *Haemophilus influenzae* type b

**PCV:** protects against pneumococcal disease

**Polio:** protects against polio, the vaccine is also known as IPV

**RV:** protects against infections caused by the Rotavirus

**Influenza:** protects against influenza (flu)

**MMR:** protects against measles, mumps, and rubella (German measles)

**Varicella:** protects against varicella, also known as chickenpox

**Hep A:** protects against Hepatitis A

\*Schedule is in accordance with: Administrative Rules of Montana (ARM) 37.95.140

\*\* 2 or 3 doses of Hib vaccine varies depending on the vaccine type that has been used.

\*\*\* If the child is at least 12 months but less than 60 months of age and has not received any Hib vaccine, the child must receive 1 dose of Hib vaccine prior to entry of daycare.

\*\*\*\* 1 dose of MMR and Varicella vaccine may not be administered earlier than 12 months of age. If MMR and Varicella vaccine are given prior to 12 months of age that dose is invalid and another dose will need to be given.

If you have questions or need additional information about immunizations, please contact your local County Health Department or the Montana Immunization Program at (406) 444-5580 or visit our website at [www.immunization.mt.gov](http://www.immunization.mt.gov).

