**‘IAP Immunization Timetable 2013’**

**I. IAP recommended vaccines for routine use**

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| **Age****(completed weeks/months/years)** | **Vaccines** | **Comments** |
| Birth | BCGOPV 0Hep-B 1 | Administer these vaccines to all newborns before hospital discharge |
| 6 weeks | DTwP 1IPV 1Hep-B 2Hib 1Rotavirus 1PCV 1 | **DTP:*** DTaP vaccine/combinations should preferably be avoided for the primary series
* DTaP vaccine/combinations should be preferred in certain specific circumstances/conditions only

**Polio:*** All doses of IPV may be replaced with OPV if administration of the former is unfeasible
* Additional doses of OPV on all supplementary immunization activities (SIAs)
* Two doses of IPV instead of 3 for primary series if started at 8 weeks, and 8 weeks interval between the doses
* No child should leave your facility without polio immunization (IPV or OPV), if indicated by the schedule

**Rotavirus:** * 2 doses of RV1 and 3 doses of RV5
* RV1 should be employed in 10 & 14 week schedule, instead of 6 & 10 week
* 10 & 14 week schedule of RV1 is found to be far more immunogenic than existing 6 & 10 week schedule
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| 10 weeks | DTwP 2IPV 2Hib 2\*Rotavirus 2PCV 2 | **Rotavirus:** If RV1 is chosen, the first dose should be given at 10 weeks |
| 14 weeks | DTwP 3IPV 3Hib 3\*Rotavirus 3PCV 3 | **Rotavirus:** * Only 2 doses of RV1 are recommended at present.
* If RV1 is chosen, the 2nd dose should be given at 14 weeks
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| 6 months | OPV 1Hep-B 3 | **Hepatitis-B:** The final (third or fourth) dose in the HepB vaccine series should be administered no earlier than age 24 weeks and at least 16 weeks after the first dose. |
| 9 months | OPV 2Measles | Measles vaccine ideally should not be administered before completing 270 days or 9 months of life |
| 12 months | Hep-A 1 | **Hepatitis A:** For both killed and live hepatitis-A vaccines, 2 doses are recommended as of now |
| 15 months | MMR 1Varicella 1PCV booster | **Varicella:** The risk of breakthrough varicella is lower if given 15 months onwards |
| 16 to 18 months | DTwP B1/DTaP B1IPV B1Hib B1 | The first booster (4thth dose) may be administered as early as age 12 months, provided at least 6 months have elapsed since the third dose.**DTP:*** First & second boosters should preferably be of DTwP
* Considering a higher reactogenicity of DTwP, DTaP can be considered for the boosters
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| 18 months | Hep-A 2 | **Hepatitis A:** For both killed and live hepatitis-A vaccines 2 doses are recommended as of now |
| 2 years | Typhoid 1 | **Typhoid:** Typhoid revaccination every 3 years, if Vi-polysaccharide vaccine is used. |
| 4 to 6 years | DTwP B2/DTaP B2OPV 3MMR 2Varicella 2Typhoid 2 | **MMR:** the 2nd dose can be given at anytime 4-8 weeks after the 1st dose.**Varicella:** the 2nd dose can be given at anytime 3 months after the 1st dose. |
| 10 to 12 years | Tdap/TdHPV  | **Tdap:** is preferred to Td followed by Td every 10 years.**HPV:** Only for females, 3 doses at 0, 1-2 (depending on brands) and 6 months.  |

**II. IAP recommended vaccines for High-risk\* children (Vaccines under special circumstances):**

1-Influenza Vaccine
2-Meningococcal Vaccine
3-Japanese Encephalitis Vaccine
4-Cholera Vaccine
5-Rabies Vaccine

6-Yellow Fever Vaccine
7-Pneumococcal Polysaccharide vaccine (PPSV 23)

***\* High-risk category of children:***

* Congenital or acquired immunodeficiency (including HIV infection),
* Chronic cardiac, pulmonary (including asthma if treated with prolonged high-dose oral corticosteroids), hematologic, renal (including nephrotic syndrome), liver disease and diabetes mellitus
* Children on long term steroids, salicylates, immunosuppressive or radiation therapy
* Diabetes mellitus, Cerebrospinal fluid leak, Cochlear implant, Malignancies,
* Children with functional/ anatomic asplenia/ hyposplenia
* During disease outbreaks
* Laboratory personnel and healthcare workers
* Travelers