

Conditional Status Catch-Up Schedule

For Age 4 Years and Older



Children can enter and stay in school or child care in conditional status if they are catching up on the vaccines required to document immunity. Conditional status allows a child to attend school or child care while waiting for their next vaccine dose according to the national immunization catch-up schedule. When the child's next vaccine dose comes due, they have 30 calendar days to turn in documentation showing their vaccination. If a child is catching up on multiple vaccines, conditional status continues in a similar manner until all of the vaccines needed to document full immunity are completed.

Before attending in conditional status, a child must have at least the first dose of the vaccine series. Additionally, the child can't be currently due for any additional doses. Conditional attendance is contingent upon documentation of the remaining required immunizations as shown in the timelines below.

DOSE	EARLIEST A DOSE MAY BE GIVEN	EXCLUDE IF PROOF NOT PROVIDED BY ¹
Polio Dose 2	4 weeks after dose 1	4 weeks + 30 days after dose 1
Polio Dose 3 ²	6 months after dose 2	6 months + 30 days after dose 2
Hep B Dose 2	4 weeks after dose 1	4 weeks + 30 days after dose 1
Hep B Dose 3	8 weeks after dose 2 and at least 4 months after dose 1	8 weeks after dose 2, and at least 4 months after dose 1 + 30 days
MMR Dose 2	4 weeks after dose 1	4 weeks + 30 days after dose 1
Varicella Dose 2	For ages under 13: 3 months after dose 1	3 months + 30 days after dose 1
	For ages 13 and older: 4 weeks after dose 1	4 weeks + 30 days after dose 1
DTaP³ Dose 2 at age 4-6 years	4 weeks after dose 1	4 weeks + 30 days after dose 1
DTaP Dose 3 at age 4-6 years	4 weeks after dose 2	4 weeks + 30 days after dose 2
DTaP Dose 4 ⁴ at age 4-6 years	6 months after dose 3	6 months + 30 days after dose 3
Tdap/Td³ Dose 2 at age 7 or older	4 weeks after dose 1	4 weeks + 30 days after dose 1
Tdap/Td Dose 3 at age 7 or older	If dose 1 ³ was given before 12 months of age: 4 weeks after dose 1	4 weeks + 30 days after dose 2
	If dose 1 ³ was given at 12 months of age or after: 6 months after dose 2 (final dose ⁵)	6 months + 30 days after dose 2
Tdap/Td Dose 4 at age 7 or older	If dose 1 ³ was given before 12 months of age: 6 months after dose 3	6 months + 30 days after dose 3

- Valid documentation includes medical records showing vaccination, evidence of immunity to the disease the vaccine prevents, or a completed Certificate of Exemption (COE) form.
- Three doses of polio vaccine complete the series if dose 3 was given on or after the 4th birthday AND at least 6 months after dose 2.
- DTaP is used through 6 years of age. At age 7 and older Tdap or Td is used, at least one Tdap must be included.
- Four doses of DTaP vaccine complete the series if dose 4 was given on or after the 4th birthday AND at least 6 months after dose 3.
- At age 7 and older the series can be completed with three doses IF dose 1 was given on or after 12 months of age AND dose 3 is at least 6 months after dose 2. One of the three doses must be a Tdap.