

BC ROUTINE IMMUNIZATION SCHEDULE

ADULTS 18 YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER NOT IMMUNIZED IN CHILDHOOD

	TIMING	1st visit	2 months later	6 - 12 months later	10 years later
VACCINE					
Tdap (diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis) Vaccine HealthFile		✓			
Td (tetanus, diphtheria) Vaccine HealthFile			✓	✓	✓
MMR ‡ (measles, mumps rubella) Vaccine HealthFile		✓			
Varicella (chickenpox) <i>{for susceptible adults only}</i> Vaccine HealthFile		✓	✓		
Pneumococcal 23 <i>{those 65 years and older and others with specific high risk medical conditions}</i> Vaccine HealthFile				✓ *	
Influenza <i>{those 65 years and older and others with specific high risk medical conditions}</i> Vaccine HealthFile				✓ *	

‡ A second dose given 1 month after the first is recommended for health care workers, child care workers, students of post-secondary educational institutions, and the military. A second dose is recommended but not provided free of charge to travellers.

* See the web link for more information on “specific high risk medical conditions” or speak to your doctor or public health nurse.