

Immunizations are  
an important safeguard  
for your child's health



## Stick to the schedule!

Next to safe drinking water, immunizations have been called the most important public health intervention in history. Immunizations have saved millions of lives from diseases that used to be a serious threat to children.

Following a regular vaccination schedule to immunize your child can protect them and others from diseases including:

- Diphtheria
- Hepatitis A
- Hepatitis B
- Hib disease  
(*Haemophilus influenza* type b)
- Influenza (Flu)
- Measles
- Mumps
- Pertussis (Whooping Cough)
- Pneumococcal Disease
- Polio
- Rubella (German Measles)
- Tetanus (Lockjaw)
- Varicella (Chickenpox)

Talk with your child's doctor about recommended immunizations.



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