



Vaccination for people who care for others

Vaccinating people who care for those at increased risk of disease protects themself and the people they are working with.



People working in health care or handling human tissue, blood or bodily fluids



Carers

- Hepatitis A (if providing health care in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities, and in some jurisdictions)
- Hepatitis B
- Influenza
- ► MMR (if non-immune)
- Pertussis (as dTpa)
- Varicella (if non-immune)
- ► BCG (if working with drug-resistant cases of tuberculosis)

- Hepatitis A (if caring for people with developmental disabilities)
- Hepatitis B (if caring for people with developmental disabilities)
- Influenza
- Pertussis (as dTpa, if caring for infants <6 months of age)



People working with children



People working in nursing homes or long-term residential facilities

- Hepatitis A (if working in early childhood education and care)
- Influenza
- MMR (if non-immune)
- Pertussis (as dTpa)
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Check the immunisation history of anyone caring for people at increased risk of disease, and give them any missed vaccines.