

# IMMUNISATION SCHEDULE 2025

## January to June 2025

### Are immunisations free?

People under 20 years of age are eligible for free immunisations under the National Immunisation Program. All refugees and humanitarian entrants, including asylum seekers, can receive free immunisations. Some vaccines are available for purchase for those who are not eligible for free vaccine.

### Immunisation sessions

We hold regular immunisation sessions at various locations around Yarra for adults and children.

You do not need to make an appointment to attend a session. Our upcoming sessions for 2025 are listed in the table below:

LOCATION	TIME	DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
<b>FITZROY YOUTH HUB</b> 156 Napier St, Fitzroy	9.30am to 11:30am	First Tuesday of the month	7	4	4	1	6	3
<b>NORTH RICHMOND COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE</b> 23 Lennox Street, Richmond	1pm to 3pm	First Wednesday of the month	PH	5	5	2	7	4
<b>COLLINGWOOD TOWN HALL</b> 140 Hoddle Street, Abbotsford	9.30am to 11.30am	Second Wednesday of the month	8	12	12	9	14	11
<b>STUDIO ONE COMMUNITY ROOM</b> 15 Barnett Way, Richmond	9:30am to 11:30am	Third Wednesday of the month	15	19	19	16	21	18
<b>EDINBURGH GARDENS COMMUNITY ROOM</b> Alfred Crescent, Fitzroy North (under the grandstand by St Georges Rd)	1pm to 3pm	Third Thursday of the month	16	20	20	17	15	19
<b>COLLINGWOOD TOWN HALL</b> 140 Hoddle Street, Abbotsford <i>*In lieu of Public Holiday session due 27/01/25</i>	5pm to 7pm	Fourth Monday of the month	20*	24	24	28	26	23
<b>FAIRFIELD PARK MAXWELL SUTHERLAND PAVILION</b> Yarra Bend Rd, Fairfield (Melb. Polytechnic turnoff from Heidelberg Rd)	9.30am to 11.30am	Fourth Thursday of the month	23	27	27	24	22	26

Please check the website prior to attending a session for any last-minute changes.

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# VICTORIAN IMMUNISATION PROGRAM SCHEDULE

As of 1 July 2020

The Victorian Immunisation Program is a series of immunisations given at specific ages. The immunisations range from birth through to adulthood. To have the best possible protection, immunisations should be given on time, every time.

Visit [health.gov.au/immunisation](https://www.health.gov.au/immunisation) for more information about the program.

AGE	DISEASE IMMUNISED AGAINST
Birth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hepatitis B</li> </ul>
2 months (from 6 weeks) and 4 months	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diphtheria-tetanus-pertussis, poliomyelitis-hepatitis B - <i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b</li> <li>Pneumococcal</li> <li>Rotavirus</li> </ul>
Additional vaccine for Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Infants at 2 and 4 months	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Meningococcal B</li> </ul>
6 months	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diphtheria-tetanus-pertussis, poliomyelitis-hepatitis B - <i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b</li> </ul>
*6 months to < 5 years – all infants and children	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Influenza</li> <li>*Pneumococcal with a risk condition</li> </ul>
12 months	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Meningococcal ACWY</li> <li>Measles, mumps, rubella</li> <li>Pneumococcal</li> </ul>
Additional vaccine for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children at 12 months	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Meningococcal B</li> </ul>
18 months	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Measles, mumps, rubella, varicella (chickenpox)</li> <li>Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (whooping cough)</li> <li><i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (Hib)</li> </ul>
4 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diphtheria-tetanus-pertussis-poliomyelitis</li> </ul>

## How do I get an immunisation statement for childcare, kindergarten or school?

- Call Australian Immunisation Register on **1800 653 809** and request one to be mailed out.
- Visit any Medicare office to request a print-out.
- Create a profile or login to your existing profile on [www.my.gov.au](https://www.my.gov.au) or download the Express Plus Medicare mobile app.
- Or contact us at [immunisation@yarracity.vic.gov.au](mailto:immunisation@yarracity.vic.gov.au).

AGE	DISEASE IMMUNISED AGAINST
4 years with a risk condition - additional vaccines	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pneumococcal</li> </ul>
5 years of age and over for all Aboriginals & Torres Strait Islander children	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Influenza</li> </ul>
5 years of age and over with a risk condition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Influenza</li> </ul>
Year 7 Secondary School (or age equivalent)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Human papillomavirus (HPV) Catch up available &lt;26</li> <li>Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (whooping cough)</li> </ul>
Year 10 Secondary School (or age equivalent)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Meningococcal ACWY</li> </ul>
15-19 years of age	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Meningococcal ACWY</li> </ul>
People with a risk condition People aged 65yrs and over	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Influenza</li> </ul>
50 years and over Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pneumococcal</li> </ul>
70 years and over	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pneumococcal</li> </ul>
70 years or from 71 to 79 years (until end of 2023)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Shingles</li> </ul>
Pregnant women	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pertussis (whooping cough)</li> <li>Influenza</li> </ul>

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