Total Doses Required for Childcare and Pre-K Facilities

Age of Child	Total Number of Doses of Required Vaccines				
<3 months of age	Vaccines are not required for this age group.				
3 through 4 months	1 DTaP	1 Polio	1 HepB	1 Hib	1 PCV
5 through 6 months	2 DTaP	2 Polio	2 HepB	2 Hib	2 PCV
7 through 15 months	3 DTaP	2 Polio	2 HepB	2 Hib	3 PCV**
16 through 18 months	3 DTaP	2 Polio	2 HepB	3 Hib*	4 PCV** 1 MMR 1 Varicella
19 through 24 months	4 DTaP	3 Polio	3 НерВ	3 Hib*	4 PCV** 1 MMR 1 Varicella
25 through 42 months	4 DTaP	3 Polio	3 НерВ	3 Hib*	4 PCV** 1 MMR 1 Varicella 1 HepA
43 through 59 months	4 DTaP	3 Polio	3 НерВ	3 Hib*	4 PCV** 1 MMR 1 Varicella 2 HepA

- * A complete Hib series is two doses plus a booster dose on or after 12 months of age (three doses total). If a child receives the first dose of Hib vaccine at 12-14 months of age, only one additional dose is required (two doses total). Any child who has received a single dose of Hib vaccine on or after 15-59 months of age is in compliance with these specified vaccine requirements.
- **If the PCV series is started when a child is seven months of age or older or the child is delinquent in the series, then all four doses may not be required. Please reference the information below to assist with compliance:

Age (in months)	Number of Doses Required for Pneumococcal Vaccine (PCV)			
7-11	3 doses OR 2 doses if a child received the first dose between 7-11 months of age.			
12-23	4 doses are required with one dose on or after 12 months of age for children who have received 3 doses prior to 12 months of age.			
	3 doses are required with one dose on or after 12 months of age for children who have received 1 or 2 doses prior to 12 months of age.			
	2 doses required for unvaccinated children 12-23 months of age.			
24-59	1 additional dose is required for unvaccinated children or those who have not received at least 2 doses with one on or after 12 months of age.			
	0 additional doses if 2 doses were received on or after 12 months of age.			
	0 additional doses are required for children who have received their first dose at 24-59 months of age.			

- → Additional vaccines or doses may be recommended by a child's physician. This chart is only intended to cover what is *required* for childcare or pre-Kindergarten attendance in Texas.
- → Children will require additional vaccine doses to attend Kindergarten, including a dose each of MMR, varicella, polio, and DTaP on or after the 4th birthday. Children attending pre-Kindergarten or childcare facilities are not required to receive these vaccines.
- → Immunization records should be reviewed regularly to ensure each enrolled child is in compliance with State of Texas vaccine requirements.

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