

Vaccine Eligibility for Saskatchewan Adults - May 2022

VACCINE PREVENTABLE DISEASE	ELIGIBILITY FOR FREE VACCINE ¹	NOT FREE BUT MAY BE RECOMMENDED BY HEALTHCARE PROVIDER ^{2,3}
Varicella ('chickenpox') ⁴	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Born since 1993 Non-pregnant women of childbearing age 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Those who are not immune
Haemophilus influenzae type b	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specific medical conditions ¹ 	N/A
Hepatitis A (HA) ⁴	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Born since 1982 who meet specific residency requirements Specific medical conditions or lifestyle risks ¹ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specific occupational risks Travellers to destinations where there is a risk of getting HA
Hepatitis B (HB) ⁴	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Born since 1984 Specific medical conditions or lifestyles ¹ Specific occupational risks ¹ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specific occupational risks Travellers to destinations where there is a risk of getting HB
Human papillomavirus (HPV) (2 strains)	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Females born before 1996
Human papillomavirus (HPV) (9 strains)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Females born since 1996 Females and males younger than 27 years old with specific medical conditions ¹ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Females born before 1996 All other males
Influenza ('flu')	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Everyone 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Other brands of flu vaccine may be available to purchase
Measles, Mumps, Rubella ⁴	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Born since 1970 Born before 1970 and a post-secondary student, healthcare or childcare worker/student 	N/A
Meningococcal B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specific medical conditions ¹ 	N/A
Meningococcal C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Born before October 1, 2000 and younger than 22 years old 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specific occupational risks Travellers to destinations where there is a risk of getting meningococcal type C disease
Meningococcal ACYW-135	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Born since October 1, 2000 and younger than 22 years old Specific medical conditions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specific occupational risks Travellers to destinations where there is a risk of getting a meningococcal disease Travellers required to meet proof of entry requirements for specific countries
Pertussis ('whooping cough') (combined with tetanus and diphtheria as 1 vaccine)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Those who have not received 1 dose 10 years after their adolescent pertussis or previous tetanus-diphtheria booster dose. Pregnant women in every pregnancy (ideally between 27-32 weeks) 	N/A
Polio	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Those who have not completed a vaccine series Specific occupational risks ¹ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Travellers required to meet proof of entry requirements for specific countries
Pneumococcal 13 (13 strains)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specific medical conditions ¹ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 65 years and older Other medical risk factors
Pneumococcal 15 (15 strains)	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 18 years and older.
Pneumococcal 23 (23 strains)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 65 years and older who have never received this vaccine Specific medical conditions or lifestyles ¹ Residents of extended and immediate care facilities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 65 and older who have previously received this vaccine at any age
Rabies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exposure to a suspected rabid animal 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specific occupational risks Travellers to destinations where there is a risk of getting rabies
Shingles	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 50 years and older 18 years and older if moderately to severely immune compromised
Tetanus, Diphtheria (combined as 1 vaccine)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Those who have not completed a vaccine series Routine booster dose every 10 years 	N/A
Travel vaccines	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Varies by destination

¹ For more information about specific conditions and risks, go to [Appendix 7.1 Publicly Funded Vaccine Recommendation for Specific Populations by Risk Factor Category](#) in the *Saskatchewan Immunization Manual*.

² In circumstances where adults are exposed to a particular disease, free vaccine may be offered by Public Health. For more information, contact your local [Public Health office](#).

³ Adults may be able to purchase vaccines listed in this table with a prescription.

⁴ Immunity testing may be recommended by your healthcare practitioner prior to receiving the vaccine.