

Vaccine Update: Recent Data And Recommendations

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1. The shingles (herpes zoster) vaccine is recommended for adults ages:
 - a. 60 years and older
 - b. 50 years and older
 - c. 35 years and older
 - d. 70 years and older

2. In 2009, the childhood immunization schedule was updated to expand the influenza vaccine to all children, ages:
 - a. 5 months through 15 years
 - b. 6 months through 18 years
 - c. 12 months through 12 years
 - d. 2 years through 16 years

3. Three vaccines that are recommended as part of the adolescent schedule, to be routinely given at 11 to 12 years of age are:
 - a. Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis (Tdap), Human Papillomavirus (HPV), and Meningococcal Vaccine (MCV)
 - b. Shingles, Tdap, MCV
 - c. Hepatitis B, Rotavirus, HPV
 - d. None of the above

4. Which of the following is a contraindications for patients receiving routine vaccinations?
 - a. Diarrheal illness
 - b. History of anaphylactic response to any component in the vaccine being administered
 - c. Significant immunosuppression
 - d. b and c

5. What are some of the most important barriers to timely vaccination in children?
 - a. Safety concerns/fear of side effects
 - b. Financial barriers
 - c. Need for multiple visits/scheduling
 - d. All of the above

6. It is recommended that all children receive a 2 dose sequence for varicella vaccine, according to the childhood immunization schedule.
 - a. True
 - b. False

7. The influenza vaccine is recommended for all of the following except:
 - a. Pregnant women
 - b. People who have a moderate-to-severe illness with fever
 - c. People of any age with certain chronic medical conditions
 - d. none of the above

8. A method for maximizing vaccination coverage for patients includes:
 - a. Physician's relationship with their patient
 - b. Specific tools to improve the administration aspects of health care systems (i.e. electronic health records)
 - c. Immunization registries to help track child vaccination schedules, when children are seen by different health care providers
 - d. All of the above

9. The Adult Immunization Schedule recommends what female age group receive the Human Papillomavirus (HPV) vaccine?
 - a. 13-17
 - b. 18-26
 - c. 19-23
 - d. None of the above

10. The first dose of the rotavirus vaccine is recommended to be given to babies at:
 - a. 1 month of age
 - b. 12 months of age
 - c. 2 months of age
 - d. birth

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