### MEXICO

#### ESQUEMA BÁSICO DE VACUNACIÓN

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#### ESQUEMA COMPLEMENTARIO DE VACUNACIÓN

| Sabin (OPV)      | Poliomielitis        | Additional (Additional) | Twice a year (up to 5th yr) | ≡          | Polio               | IPV | 4-6 yrs |
| DPT (DTP)        | Difteria             | Refuerzo 1 (Booster)   | 2 yr |            | Diphtheria Pertussis + Tetanus | Dtap (Acellular Pertussis) | 12-18 m |
|                  | Tos Ferina Tétanos  | Refuerzo 2             | 4 yr |            |                     |                    | 4-6 yr |
| Triple Viral     | Sarampión Rubéola Parotiditis | Segunda (2) | 6 yr | ≡          | Measles Rubella Mumps | MMR | 4-6 yr |
| SRP (MMR)        |                      | Refuerzo (Booster)     | Booster after 12 yrs | ≡          | Tetanus Dipheria    | Td or Tdap | 11-12 yr |
| Td               | Tétanos Difteria     | Refuerzo (Booster)     | Booster after 12 yrs | ≡          |                     | Td or Tdap | 11-12 yr |

**Antihepatitis B (Hep B)**

| Hepatitis B (HB) | Primer (1) | 12th b-day | + | Hepatitis B | Hep B* | 11-12 yr (2 or 3 doses) |
|                 | Segunda (2) | 1 mo. after 1st | + |                     |        |                   |

**SR** (MR)

| Sarampión Rubéola | Adicionales (Additional) | Booster | ≠ | Measles Rubella | Not Used in California |

#### COMPLEMENTARY IMMUNIZATION SCHEDULE (Boosters and Catch-up Schedule)

- No booster doses administered for Hib vaccine.
- An additional dose needed for children > 1 year of age.

#### Notes

- ≠ Not Used in US
- ≡ Equivalent Schedule
- + Additional Doses Needed
- ≠ Different Schedule, but Valid Doses
- * These vaccines are part of a catch-up schedule for older children and adolescents.
- ^ Dose may be skipped if Pedvax Hib is exclusively used
- ◊ Number of doses depend on brand of vaccine used and age of patient. Adolescents between the ages of 11-15 years may receive only two doses.

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**Binational Immunization Guide:** Interpreting Immunization Schedules

This Guide provides information on Mexico’s Immunization Schedule, including number of doses and recommended ages. Mexico’s schedule is compared side-by-side to the “Recommended Childhood and Adolescent Immunization Schedule” followed by healthcare providers in CA. The Guide also includes information on vaccines available in Mexico in the public sector (this side) and private sector (back).

The Guide facilitates the interpretation of Mexico’s Immunization Record and assists healthcare providers, school staff, and childcare providers in assessing immunization records of binational children.

This document follows the format of the “Cartilla Nacional de Vacunación” or National Immunization Record, one of four National Health Records (see below) used throughout Mexico.

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**Mexico → California**

**Children & Adolescents**

- Women 20-59 yrs
- Men
- Seniors

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**Men**

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- 60+ yrs

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### Tips on Interpreting Mexico's National Immunization Record (Cartilla Nacional de Vacunación)

The Mexican Immunization Record is the official document used nationally to record immunizations provided to children and adolescents in Mexico (birth to 19 years of age) in the public and private sector. This document also helps parents and family members to know their children's basic immunizations and the recommended ages for each vaccine.

### Demographic Information

- **Name Section** includes "primer y segundo apellido (first and second last name)" or paternal and maternal last names, respectively.
- **Dates** in Mexico are written in the format Day/Month/Year. For instance, 20/1/2003 = Jan 20, 2003

### Basic Immunization Schedule

The second part of the document contains information on the basic childhood immunization schedule, outlined in 5 columns:

- **VACUNA (Vaccine)**
- **ENFERMEDAD QUE PREVIENE (Preventable Disease)**
- **DOSIS (Dose)**
- **EDAD (Age)**
- **FECHA DE VACUNACIÓN (Date of Vaccine Administration)**

Dates of vaccine administration are recorded in pen. Next due date is always recorded in pencil. Clinic stamp or signature of person administering vaccine & title, are recorded next to the date of vaccination.

### Private Sector Vaccines

Vaccines administered in the private sector are recorded in the gray section: OTRAS (other)

### About Vaccines Available in Mexico in Private Practice

Although the majority of vaccines included in the Mexican Immunization Record are administered in the public sector, some patients may opt to receive additional shots recommended by their pediatricians (private sector). These vaccines are also recorded in the National Immunization Record in the gray section named "OTRAS (other vaccines)" of the Vaccine column.

Listed in the table to the left are some of the vaccines available in private practice. Combination vaccines available in CA and Mexico are also included in the table (different vaccine components in Pentavalente and Pediarix vaccines are highlighted in color). *Twinrix (Hep A/B) schedule is 3 doses after 1 year of age. Other products may be administered as early as one year of age, although some providers may administer this vaccine at 2 yrs of age, following the US Recommended Schedule.*

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- **2m, 4m, 6m**
  - Pentavalente
  - DPT + HB + Hib
  - Pediarix is not available in Mexico

- **Hep B + Hib Vaccine Not used in Mexico**
  - Hepatitis B
  - H influenzae b

- **12-18 months**
  - Varicella
  - Varicella

- **2m, 4m, 6m, and 12-15m**
  - Antineumocócica Conjugada (7 serotipos)
  - Pneumococcal Disease
  - Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine (7-valent)

- **2 yrs, and 6m after dose #1**
  - Hepatitis A
  - Hepatitis A
  - Hepatitis A

- **Single antigen not used. Only available as part of "Pentavalente" given at 2, 4, and 6 months of age**
  - H influenzae b
  - Hib

- **Yearly, after 6 months of age**
  - Influenza

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