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Fact Sheets on Immunization

NATIONAL IMMUNIZATION SCHEDULE IN NAMIBIA

AGE	TYPE OF IMMUNIZATION
After Birth	OPV0 BCG Hepatitis B within 24 hours after birth
At Six (6) Weeks	Polio (OPV1); Pentavalent 1: Diphtheria, Pertussis, Tetanus, Hepatitis B (Hep B) and Haemophilus (Hib), Rotavirus Vaccine, Pneumococcal vaccine
At Ten (10) Weeks	Polio (OPV2); Pentavalent 2 (Diphtheria, Pertussis Tetanus, Hep B and Hib), Rotavirus vaccine and Pneumococcal vaccine
At Fourteen (14) Weeks	Polio (OPV3) (+IPV); Pentavalent 3 (Diphtheria, Pertussis, Tetanus, Hep B and Hib), Pneumococcal vaccine
Nine (9) Months	Measles Vaccine
15 Months	Measles Rubella Vaccine
At Five (5) Years	Polio (OPV), Diphtheria and Tetanus (DT) (Booster Dose)
At Ten (10) years	Polio (OPV), Diphtheria and Tetanus (DT) (Booster Dose)

REMEMBER: Vaccination saves lives. Make sure your child is fully immunized against all vaccine preventable diseases. Always take your child's health passport when visiting the health facilities for vaccination.