

ADULT VACCINATIONS

MENINGOCOCCAL CONJUGATE / MEN ACWY

- People with an absent spleen, HIV infection, persistent immune system disorders like complete complement deficiency, or complement inhibitor use.
- People who travel to or reside in countries in which meningococcal disease is hyperendemic or epidemic (e.g., the “meningitis belt” of Sub-Saharan Africa).
- Microbiologists routinely exposed to isolates of *N. meningitidis*.

MENINGOCOCCAL SEROGROUP B

- People with anatomic or functional asplenia persistent complement component deficiency, or complement inhibitor use.
- Microbiologists routinely exposed to isolates of *N. meningitidis*.
- People identified as at increased risk because of a serogroup B meningococcal disease outbreak.
- Young adults through age 23yrs may be vaccinated routinely.

Pneumococcal conjugate

- Routine vaccination is recommended for all adults age 65yrs or older
- Risk-based vaccination is recommended for adults age 19 through 64 years with
 - Immunocompromising conditions: sickle cell disease, etc.
 - Immunocompromising conditions: chronic heart disease, chronic lung disease, diabetes mellitus, chronic liver disease, cirrhosis, cigarette smoking, alcoholism, cochlear implant, cerebrospinal fluid (CSF) leak.

SOURCES

For more information:



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