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Vaccine Name	Trade Name (Distributor)	Viability	Route, Typical Dose	Intervals Between Doses (or Standard Ages)	Package(s)	Store	Primary Uses. See joint imz regulation/instruction
Anthrax vaccine adsorbed	BioThrax (Emergent)	Inactivated	SC over deltoid: 0.5 ml	6 doses. Intervals +14d +14d +5mon +6mon +6mon, + annual boosters.	10-dose vial	2-8°C	Deployment to high-threat area; biodefense role
Hepatitis A and hepatitis B vaccine	TwinRix (GSK)	Inactivated	IM: 1 ml	When both hepatitis A and hepatitis B vaccines indicated.	720 EIU/20 mcg/1 ml syringe	2-8°C	If both hep A and hep B vaccines are needed
Hepatitis A vaccine	Havrix (GSK)	Inactivated	IM: Adults--1 ml, 1-18 y/o--0.5 ml	Adults: 1 dose. Children: 2 doses 30 days apart. Boost 6-12 mon later.	Adult: 1440 u vial or syr; Ped: 720 u vial or syr	2-8°C	Travel other than developed countries, all troops
Hepatitis A vaccine	Vaqta (Merck)	Inactivated	IM: Adults--1 ml, 1-18 y/o--0.5 ml	Adults: 1 dose. Children: 2 doses 30 days apart. Boost 6-18 mon later.	Adult: 50 u vial or syr; Ped: 25 u vial or syr	2-8°C	
Hepatitis B vaccine	Engerix-B (GSK)	Inactivated	IM: Various	3 doses. Infants: Birth-2 mon, then 1-4 mon + 6-18 mon later. Others: intervals of 30 and 150 days.	20 mcg/ml: 0.5-, 1-ml syr, 0.5-, 1-, 10-ml vials	2-8°C	Medical/dental workers, military accessions, mortuary affairs, search & rescue, correctional-facility staff, designated spec-opns forces. See reg/instruction.
Hepatitis B vaccine	Recombivax-HB (Merck)	Inactivated	IM: Various	3 doses. Infants: Birth-2 mon, then 1-4 mon + 6-18 mon later. Others: intervals of 30 and 150 days.	10 or 40 mcg/ml vial or syringe	2-8°C	
Human papillomavirus vaccine 6/11/16/18	Gardasil (Merck)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml	3 doses, intervals: +2mon, +4mon	1-dose vial, 1-dose syringe	2-8°C	Females 9 to 26 y/o only
Influenza A&B vaccine (live attenuated virus)	FluMist (MedImmune)	Live	Nasal: 0.25 ml each nostril. Repeat if 5-8 y/o	1 dose. Give 2 doses 28+ d apart if 5 to 8 y/o and first vaccination.	0.5-ml sprayer. May refrigerate up to 24 h	-15°C	FluMist: 5 to 49 y/o only
Influenza A&B vaccine (split virus)	Fluarix (GSK)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml. If 6-35 mon, 0.25 ml	1 dose. Give 2 doses 28+ d apart if < 8 y/o and first vaccination.	1-dose syringe, 10-, 50-dose vials	2-8°C	Influenza vaccine generally: >=65 y/o, chronic heart or lung disease, diabetes, all troops, people who want to avoid influenza
Influenza A&B vaccine (split virus)	Fluvirin (Chiron)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml. If 6-35 mon, 0.25 ml	1 dose. Give 2 doses 28+ d apart if < 8 y/o and first vaccination.	1-dose syringe, 10-dose vial	2-8°C	
Influenza A&B vaccine (split virus)	Fluzone (SP)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml. If 6-35 mon, 0.25 ml	1 dose. Give 2 doses 28+ d apart if < 8 y/o and first vaccination.	1-dose syringe, 10-, 50-dose vials	2-8°C	
Japanese encephalitis vaccine	JE-Vax (SP)	Inactivated	SC: 1 ml. If < 3 y/o, 0.5 ml	3 doses, intervals: +7d and +23d. Then boost after 24-36 months.	1-, 10-dose vial+diluent. Discard 8 h after recon	2-8°C	Travel to rural Asia > 30d. N Okinawa. Not for Korea.
Measles vaccine; Mumps vaccine; Rubella vaccine	M-M-R II (Merck)	Live	SC: 0.5 ml	2 doses, @ 12-18 mon old and 4-6 y/o	1-, 10-dose vial+diluent. Discard 8 h after recon	2-8°C	Children. Military accessions. Civilian healthcare workers.
Meningococcal conjugate vaccine, groups A, C, Y, and W-135	Menactra (SP)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml	1 dose	1-dose vial	2-8°C	Menactra: Adolescents.
Meningococcal polysaccharide vaccine, groups A, C, Y, and W-135	Menomune (SP)	Inactivated	SC: 0.5 ml	1 dose	1-dose vial+dil (discard 24h after recon), 10-dose vial+dil (discard 10 d after)	2-8°C	Either brand: Military basic training, sub-Saharan Africa, college freshmen, asplenia
Pneumococcal 23-valent polysaccharide vaccine	Pneumovax-23 (Merck)	Inactivated	IM or SC: 0.5 ml	1 dose; give 1 extra dose to people at high risk after 5 years.	1-, 5-dose vial; 1-dose syringe	2-8°C	>=65 y/o, chronic heart or lung disease, diabetes, asplenia
Poliovirus vaccine inactivated trivalent	Ipol (SP)	Inactivated	IM or SC: 0.5 ml	4 doses, @ 2, 4, 6-18 months old and 4-6 y/o	Ten 0.5 ml syringes or 10-dose vial	2-8°C	Children. Military accessions. Civilian travel to Africa, Asia

Rabies vaccine (Human diploid cell)	Imovax Rabies (SP)	Inactivated	IM: 1 ml	Postexp: days 0, 3, 7, 14, 28. Preexp: days 0, 7, 21-28.	1 ml IM package. Use promptly after recon	2-8°C	Veterinary, animal handlers. Post-exposure
Rabies vaccine (Purified chick embryo cell)	RabAvert (Chiron)	Inactivated	IM: 1 ml	Postexp: days 0, 3, 7, 14, 28. Preexp: days 0, 7, 21-28.	1 ml IM package. Use promptly after recon	2-8°C	
Smallpox (vaccinia) vaccine	Dryvax (Wyeth)	Live	3 jabs primary, 15 jabs revax	1 dose, boost after 10 years	100-dose vials. Discard 90 d after recon	2-8°C	Deployment to high-threat area; biodefense role
Tetanus toxoid; Diphtheria toxoid (Td)	Decavac (SP)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml	After basic series, 11-16 y/o, and every 10 years.	10-dose vial	2-8°C	All adults, although Tdap preferred
Tetanus toxoid; Diphtheria toxoid; acellular Pertussis vaccine (Tdap)	Adacel (SP)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml	1 dose	1-dose vial	2-8°C	Adolescents, all adults. Follow CDC wound-management guidelines.
Tetanus toxoid; Diphtheria toxoid; acellular Pertussis vaccine (Tdap)	Boostrix (GSK)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml	1 dose	1-dose vial; 1-dose syringe	2-8°C	

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Typhoid vaccine (live oral)	Vivotif (Berna)	Live	Oral: 1 capsule x 4	1 capsule every other day, four total; then boost every 5 years.	Foil blister package of four capsules	2-8°C	Travel other than developed countries
Typhoid Vi vaccine	Typhim Vi (SP)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml	1 dose, then boost every 2 years.	1-dose syringe, 20-dose vial	2-8°C	
Varicella vaccine	Varivax (Merck)	Live	SC: 0.5 ml	1 dose at 1-12 y/o; > 12 y/o, give 2 doses 4-8 wks apart	1-dose vial+diluent. Discard 30 min after recon	-15°C	Children, adults who never contracted chickenpox
Yellow fever vaccine	YF-Vax (SP)	Live	SC: 0.5 ml	1 dose, boost every 10 years	1-, 5-dose vial+diluent. Discard 1 h after recon	2-8°C	Travel to endemic areas
Zoster vaccine	Zostavax (Merck)	Live	SC: 0.65 ml	1 dose	1-dose vial+diluent. Discard 30 min after recon	-15°C	>= 60 y/o
<i>The following products are used primarily for pediatric patients...</i>							
Diphtheria toxoid; Tetanus toxoid; Acellular pertussis vaccine (DTaP)	Daptacel (SP)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml	5 doses, @ 2, 4, 6, 12-18 mon old, and 4-6 yrs	1-dose vial	2-8°C	Children
Diphtheria toxoid; Tetanus toxoid; Acellular pertussis vaccine (DTaP)	Infanrix (GSK)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml	5 doses, @ 2, 4, 6, 12-18 mon old, and 4-6 yrs	1-dose vial	2-8°C	
Diphtheria toxoid; Tetanus toxoid; Acellular pertussis vaccine (DTaP)	Tripedia (SP)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml	5 doses, @ 2, 4, 6, 12-18 mon old, and 4-6 yrs	1-dose vial	2-8°C	
Diphtheria toxoid; Tetanus toxoid; Acellular pertussis vaccine; Haemophilus influenzae type b conjugate vaccine (DTaP-Hib)	TriHIBiT (SP)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml	When both DTP and Hib vaccines indicated.	7.5 ml vial of DTaP + 10 ActHib vials. Discard 30 min after recon	2-8°C	Children who need DTaP and Hib vaccines

Diphtheria toxoid; Tetanus toxoid; Acellular pertussis, hepatitis B, inactivated poliovirus vaccine	Pediarix (GSK)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml	2, 4, 6 mon old	1-dose vial or syringe	2-8°C	Children who need DTaP, hep B, and IPV vaccines
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b conjugate vaccine (Hib)	ActHib (SP)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml	2, 4, 6, 15-18 mon old; adults: single dose.	1-dose vial. Discard 30 min after recon	2-8°C	Children, people without spleens
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b conjugate vaccine (Hib)	HibTITER (Wyeth)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml	2, 4, 6, 15-18 mon old; adults: single dose.	1-, 5-, 10-dose vial	2-8°C	
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b conjugate vaccine (Hib)	PedvaxHIB (Merck)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml	2, 4, 12-15 mon old; adults: single dose.	1-dose vial	2-8°C	
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b conjugate vaccine; Hepatitis B vaccine	Comvax (Merck)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml	When both Hib and Hep B vaccines indicated.	1-dose vial	2-8°C	Children who need Hib and hepatitis B vaccines
Measles vaccine; Mumps vaccine; Rubella vaccine; Varicella vaccine	ProQuad (Merck)	Live	SC: 0.5 ml	12-18 mon old and 4-6 y/o	1-dose vial+diluent. Discard 30 min after recon	-15°C	Children who need MMR and varicella vaccines
Pneumococcal 7-valent conjugate vaccine	Prevnar (Wyeth)	Inactivated	IM: 0.5 ml	2, 4, 6, 12-15 mon old. Older children get fewer doses	1-dose vial	2-8°C	Children
Rotavirus vaccine	RotaTeq (Merck)	Live	Oral: 2 ml	3 doses 4 to 10 weeks apart, starting at 6 to 12 weeks of age	1-dose container. Use promptly	2-8°C	Children 6 to 32 weeks old only
Diagnostic Test Reagent	Name	Viability	Route, Dose	Who to test...	Package(s)	Store	Comment
Purified protein derivative (PPD) of tuberculin	Aplisol (Parke dale / King)	Inactivated	ID: 0.1 ml (5 tuberculin units)	Contacts of active TB cases. If MD refers based on clinical suspicion. Before + after deploying. Healthcare workers based on local contact risk.	10-dose vial	2-8°C	Few people need annual testing. Consult infection-control expert regarding local risk.
Purified protein derivative (PPD) of tuberculin	Tubersol (SP)	Inactivated	ID: 0.1 ml (5 tuberculin units)		10-dose vial	2-8°C	
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	SP - Sanofi Pasteur	Quality Improvement Tool: www.vaccines.mil/CQIP					