

Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine (PCV7) Requirements for Child-Care Attendance

Age of Child (Months)	Vaccination History	Required Doses
2 – 6*	0 doses	3 doses, 2 mos apart
	1 dose	2 doses, 2 mos apart
	2 doses	1 dose, 2 mos after the most recent dose
7 – 11*	0 doses	2 doses, 2 mos apart
	1 or 2 doses	1 dose, 2 mos after the most recent dose
12 – 23	0 doses	2 doses, ≥ 2 mos apart
	1 dose administered before age 12 mos	2 doses, ≥ 2 mos apart
	1 dose administered on or after age 12 mos	1 dose, ≥ 2 mos after the most recent dose
	2 or 3 doses administered before age 12 mos	1 dose, ≥ 2 mos after the most recent dose
24 – 59		
Healthy children	Any incomplete schedule [†]	1 dose, > 2 mos after most recent dose
Children at high risk [‡]	Any incomplete schedule [†]	2 doses separated by 2 mos

*Children in these age groups will need a booster dose on or after 12 months of age.

[†] Any of the scenarios for children aged 2-6 (with a booster on or after 12 months of age), 7-11 (with a booster on or after 12 months of age), and 12-23 months constitute a complete series.

[‡] Children with certain chronic conditions or immuno-suppression conditions will also require a dose of pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccine (PPV23) in addition to PCV7 two months after the last PCV7.