Build your child's health

Vaccines are safe. They enhance the

health of your children, protecting them

from potentially devastating illnesses.

Don't play games with your

child's health. Ask your doctor

about the importance of vaccines.

Make sure your children get all

of their vaccines on time.

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Play it safe...
Vaccinate

How Vaccines Are Changing Life For Good

Before vaccines were developed, childhood diseases robbed thousands of babies of their health and their lives. The diseases that vaccines prevent include:

- Measles
- Tetanus
- Chickenpox
- Mumps
- Rubella
- Diphtheria
- Pertussis (Whooping Cough)
- Polio
- *Haemophilus influenzae* type b
- Hepatitis B
- Pneumococcal Diseases
- Influenza
- Hepatitis A

These diseases can have terrible lifelong effects, and even lead to death. Vaccines work but you must make sure your children receive all of their vaccines on time to ensure their good health.

Protect their tomorrows today

Follow the recommendations of doctors and public health officials all over the nation: Make sure your kids get their shots on time. It's up to you. Vaccinate your baby at 2, 4, 6, 12 to 15, and 15 to 18 months of age, as well as at 2 and 4 years. Often shots are free or available at a very low cost. Don't play around! Build your child's health.

Age	Vaccines
Birth	*Hep B*
2 months	*Hep B DTaP Hib IPV PCV*
4 months	*DTaP Hib IPV PCV*
6 months	*Hep B DTaP Hib IPV PCV*
6 - 23 months/ yearly	*Influenza*
12 - 15 months	*Hib MMR PCV*
12 - 18 months	*Varicella*
15 - 18 months	*DTaP*
24 months	*Hep A (Only in selected counties)*
4 - 6 years	*DTaP IPV MMR*
14 years	*Td*

Vaccines	Vaccines and the Diseases they prevent
Hep B	Hepatitis B
DTaP	Diphtheria, Tetanus (lockjaw), Pertussis (whooping cough)
Haemophilus influenzae type b	Diseases caused by the organism *Haemophilus influenzae* type b
IPV	Polio
PCV	Pneumococcal diseases
Varicella	Chickenpox
MMR	Measles, Mumps, Rubella (German measles)
Hep A	Hepatitis A
Td	Tetanus (lockjaw), Diphtheria
Influenza	Flu