

Childhood Immunisation Coverage - Indigenous

The following tables provide the latest annualised quarterly report on Indigenous childhood immunisation coverage for the **March 2016, June 2016, September 2016, and December 2016 assessment quarters** from the Australian Immunisation Register (AIR).

The data show the proportion of Indigenous children fully immunised at age 12 months, 24 months and 60 months according to the Australian Standard Vaccination Schedule. A full description of the methodology used can be found in *Communicable Diseases Intelligence* 1998;22(3), 36-37.

Table 1: Percentage of Indigenous children immunised at 12 months of age, preliminary results by vaccine and state or territory for the birth cohort 1 October 2014 to 30 September 2015

State or Territory	Number of children	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (%)	Poliomyelitis (%)	<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (%)	Hepatitis B (%)	Pneumococcal (%)	Fully immunised (%)
ACT	123	91.87	91.87	91.87	92.68	91.87	91.87
NSW	5,210	93.61	93.59	93.47	93.88	93.59	93.34
Vic	1,503	91.62	91.55	91.28	91.82	91.22	90.62
Qld	5,370	90.58	90.58	90.54	92.20	90.61	90.39
SA	874	92.56	92.56	92.68	92.68	92.79	92.45
WA	2,106	86.80	86.80	86.70	87.08	86.85	86.51
Tas	435	93.56	93.56	93.33	94.25	93.56	93.33
NT	1,326	92.61	92.61	92.53	92.84	92.68	92.08
Australia	16,947	91.48	91.47	91.38	92.18	91.47	91.16

Table 2: Percentage of Indigenous children immunised at 24 months of age, preliminary results by vaccine and state or territory for the birth cohort 1 October 2013 to 30 September 2014

State or Territory	Number of children	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (%)	Poliomyelitis (%)	<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (%)	Measles, mumps, rubella (%)	Hepatitis B (%)	Meningococcal C (%)	Varicella (%)	Fully immunised (%)
ACT	162	96.91	96.91	96.30	90.12	96.91	96.30	89.51	88.89
NSW	5,070	97.06	96.98	96.35	92.88	97.02	96.07	92.35	91.05
Vic	1,274	96.70	96.70	95.76	91.21	96.78	95.21	90.58	89.32
Qld	5,247	96.51	96.46	96.15	91.27	96.93	96.07	90.11	88.98
SA	832	96.63	96.51	94.35	88.94	96.51	94.59	89.42	87.50
WA	2,066	95.40	95.35	94.53	87.80	95.35	92.88	86.74	85.33
Tas	448	97.54	97.54	96.21	94.42	97.32	96.21	93.75	91.52
NT	1,282	97.50	97.50	96.88	91.19	97.82	95.79	89.63	88.30
Australia	16,381	96.67	96.62	95.95	91.28	96.81	95.51	90.43	89.13

Table 3: Percentage of Indigenous children immunised at 60 months of age, preliminary results by vaccine and state or territory for the birth cohort 1 October 2010 to 30 September 2011

State or Territory	Number of children	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (%)	Poliomyelitis (%)	Measles, mumps, rubella (%)	Fully immunised (%)
ACT	119	89.08	89.08	90.76	89.08
NSW	4,641	97.24	97.20	97.18	96.47
Vic	1,072	94.78	95.06	95.15	93.66
Qld	4,848	96.20	96.18	96.33	95.46
SA	872	94.72	94.72	95.53	94.27
WA	1,992	94.63	94.63	95.48	93.98
Tas	408	96.57	96.57	96.57	95.83
NT	1,330	94.81	94.81	94.59	93.91
Australia	15,282	95.96	95.96	96.16	95.20

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