

Childhood Immunisation Coverage - Indigenous

The following tables provide the latest annualised quarterly report on childhood immunisation coverage for the **September 2014, December 2014, March 2015 & June 2015 assessment quarters** from the Australian Childhood Immunisation Register (ACIR).

The data show the proportion of 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 children immunised at 12 months of age, preliminary results by vaccine and state or territory for the birth cohort 1 April 2013 to 31 March 2014

State or Territory	Number of children	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (%)	Poliomyelitis (%)	<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (%)	Hepatitis B (%)	Pneumococcal (%)	Fully immunised (%)
ACT	127	92.91	92.91	92.91	92.91	92.91	92.91
NSW	4,855	90.57	90.57	90.55	90.55	90.55	90.44
Vic	1,198	85.89	85.89	85.81	85.73	85.81	85.64
Qld	4,965	86.95	86.95	86.91	86.87	86.91	86.83
SA	843	88.85	88.85	88.73	88.61	88.49	88.37
WA	2,013	84.45	84.30	84.35	84.30	84.15	83.90
Tas	391	87.21	86.70	87.21	86.96	86.96	86.45
NT	1,433	88.42	88.42	88.49	88.56	89.04	88.21
Australia	15,825	87.95	87.92	87.91	87.88	87.92	87.72

Table 2: Percentage of children immunised at 24 months of age, preliminary results by vaccine and state or territory for the birth cohort 1 April 2012 to 31 March 2013

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	127	96.06	96.06	96.06	85.04	96.06	96.08	84.31	84.25
NSW	4,759	95.92	95.88	95.40	90.82	95.86	95.46	89.99	88.76
Vic	1,070	95.14	95.05	93.08	86.92	94.67	92.31	85.48	84.67
Qld	5,061	94.78	94.78	94.11	89.41	94.70	94.05	87.21	86.98
SA	781	93.73	93.85	92.96	85.92	93.73	92.64	84.08	83.10
WA	1,986	94.66	94.66	93.50	86.25	94.61	92.00	83.05	83.28
Tas	422	94.79	94.79	93.13	89.10	94.31	92.21	88.47	84.12
NT	1,301	96.31	96.31	96.08	91.62	96.31	94.18	88.69	88.78
Australia	15,507	95.23	95.22	94.45	89.23	95.13	94.01	87.39	86.75

Table 3: Percentage of children immunised at 60 months of age, preliminary results by vaccine and state or territory for the birth cohort 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

State or Territory	Number of children	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (%)	Poliomyelitis (%)	Measles, mumps, rubella (%)	Fully immunised (%)
ACT	123	95.12	95.12	94.31	94.31
NSW	4,038	95.72	95.72	95.81	95.32
Vic	904	92.15	92.04	92.92	91.59
Qld	4,695	93.70	93.70	93.99	93.23
SA	736	90.35	90.35	91.44	89.81
WA	1,915	92.06	92.11	92.74	91.59
Tas	419	93.56	93.56	93.79	92.60
NT	1,334	95.43	95.43	95.80	94.98
Australia	14,164	93.95	93.95	94.31	93.48

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