

Childhood Immunisation Coverage

The following tables provide the latest annualised quarterly report on childhood immunisation coverage for the **September 2015, December 2015, March 2016 and June 2016 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 2014 to 31 March 2015

State or Territory	Number of children	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (%)	Poliomyelitis (%)	<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (%)	Hepatitis B (%)	Pneumococcal (%)	Fully immunised (%)
ACT	5,660	95.27	95.23	94.89	95.14	94.91	94.45
NSW	98,635	93.82	93.80	93.53	93.67	93.42	92.94
Vic	77,117	94.01	93.98	93.61	93.76	93.58	92.96
Qld	62,133	93.79	93.76	93.59	93.83	93.54	93.20
SA	19,834	93.71	93.69	93.43	93.57	93.42	92.99
WA	34,551	93.44	93.42	93.18	93.14	93.05	92.58
Tas	5,790	93.94	93.87	93.78	93.96	93.80	93.51
NT	3,779	93.65	93.62	93.52	93.97	93.54	93.04
Australia	307,499	93.84	93.81	93.55	93.70	93.48	93.00

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 2013 to 31 March 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	5,681	96.95	96.94	95.88	93.38	96.73	95.46	93.58	91.83
NSW	99,173	95.71	95.69	94.71	92.22	95.51	94.58	92.30	90.40
Vic	76,890	96.16	96.14	95.26	92.57	95.94	94.91	92.84	91.03
Qld	62,337	95.73	95.72	95.04	92.63	95.57	94.93	92.45	91.43
SA	19,969	95.77	95.74	94.83	92.44	95.53	94.52	92.46	90.51
WA	33,960	95.74	95.72	94.71	91.20	95.44	94.11	91.16	89.56
Tas	5,953	96.12	96.12	95.08	93.03	95.97	94.99	92.66	90.73
NT	3,549	95.41	95.38	94.39	91.49	95.77	94.34	90.67	88.90
Australia	307,512	95.86	95.84	94.95	92.32	95.66	94.70	92.36	90.69

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 2010 to 31 March 2011

State or Territory	Number of children	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (%)	Poliomyelitis (%)	Measles, mumps, rubella (%)	Fully immunised (%)
ACT	5,550	94.13	94.18	94.25	93.51
NSW	101,092	93.95	93.99	93.95	93.36
Vic	76,211	93.92	93.96	93.95	93.30
Qld	64,952	93.26	93.26	93.23	92.66
SA	20,112	92.95	92.97	92.99	92.29
WA	34,455	92.00	92.00	92.19	91.32
Tas	6,229	94.46	94.48	94.46	93.76
NT	3,497	92.68	92.77	93.11	91.91
Australia	312,098	93.52	93.55	93.55	92.90

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