

Childhood Immunisation Coverage - Indigenous

The following tables provide the latest annualised quarterly report on Indigenous childhood immunisation coverage for the **December 2016, March 2017, June 2017 and September 2017 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 July 2015 to 30 June 2016

State or Territory	Number of children	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (%)	Poliomyelitis (%)	<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (%)	Hepatitis B (%)	Pneumococcal (%)	Fully immunised (%)
ACT	126	92.86	92.86	92.86	94.44	92.86	92.86
NSW	5,406	94.52	94.51	94.41	94.91	94.51	94.28
Vic	1,686	92.17	92.05	91.87	92.47	92.11	91.64
Qld	5,366	91.76	91.71	91.69	92.97	91.74	91.56
SA	856	91.82	91.82	91.59	93.22	92.17	91.59
WA	2,184	89.06	88.92	88.97	89.38	89.06	88.87
Tas	428	93.93	93.69	93.69	94.16	93.93	93.69
NT	1,266	92.42	92.42	92.18	93.13	92.58	91.63
Australia	17,318	92.44	92.38	92.30	93.14	92.45	92.15

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 July 2014 to 30 June 2015

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	134	94.78	100.00	98.51	92.54	100.00	96.27	91.04	90.30
NSW	5,208	93.68	97.83	97.39	93.99	97.87	97.37	93.05	90.90
Vic	1,477	92.62	97.29	96.14	92.48	97.49	95.40	92.01	89.37
Qld	5,345	91.96	96.61	96.46	92.44	97.01	96.76	91.19	88.68
SA	874	90.73	97.60	95.88	90.62	97.71	95.54	90.39	87.53
WA	2,094	86.34	95.22	94.60	87.44	95.42	92.93	86.34	82.14
Tas	458	93.23	98.25	98.47	94.54	98.03	98.25	93.67	89.74
NT	1,354	91.21	97.42	96.82	91.88	97.49	96.31	89.14	85.01
Australia	16,944	91.78	97.06	96.56	92.22	97.24	96.29	91.09	88.30

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 July 2011 to 30 June 2012

State or Territory	Number of children	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (%)	Poliomyelitis (%)	Measles, mumps, rubella (%)	Fully immunised (%)
ACT	132	96.21	96.21	97.73	96.21
NSW	4,884	97.30	97.28	97.85	96.66
Vic	1,231	95.29	95.37	96.99	94.48
Qld	5,117	97.03	97.05	98.30	96.78
SA	824	94.05	94.05	97.09	93.69
WA	1,986	95.57	95.52	97.68	95.02
Tas	480	96.25	96.25	95.63	95.00
NT	1,283	95.01	95.01	96.73	94.39
Australia	15,937	96.45	96.45	97.71	95.93

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