





The early years of your child's life help provide the foundation for a healthy future.

That's why wellness check-ups are one of the best ways to keep your child's health and development on track. They give your pediatrician a way to spot any health issues earlier, when they're often easier to treat.

Your child's check-up. Your check-in.

Taking your child to regular wellness check-ups gives your pediatrician the chance to detect potential health problems, as well as encourage positive health behaviors. They also give you the chance to ask questions and talk about:

- Height/weight
- Body mass index (BMI)
- > Hearing/vision
- > Growth/development
- > Eating, exercise and sleep
- Immunizations

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The American Academy of Pediatrics recommends that		
after the first-week visit (at 3 to 5 days old), your child		
should see a pediatrician for a check-up at age:*		
1 month	9 months	
L I Month	☐ 9 months	2 years
2 months	12 months	2½ years
4 months	☐ 15 months	3 years
6 months	☐ 18 months	
Thereafter, your child should visit their pediatrician annually.		

Together, all the way.

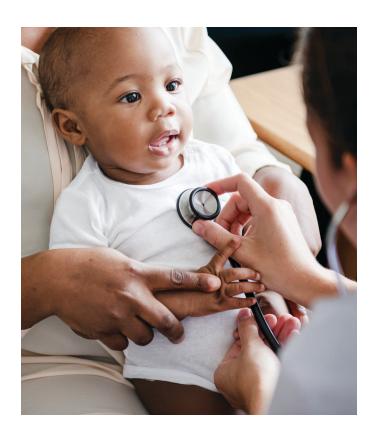


Common vaccines for children.

Vaccinations (immunizations) can help protect your child from disease. Here are the ones your pediatrician may recommend from birth through age 3.**

- **DTaP:** Helps prevent diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis (whooping cough).
- > IPV: Helps prevent polio.
- **Flu:** Helps prevent influenza.
- **MMR:** Helps prevent measles, mumps and rubella.
- **VAR:** Helps prevent varicella (chickenpox).
- **HIB:** Helps prevent influenza type B.
- > RV: Helps prevent rotavirus.
- **PCV:** Helps prevent pneumonia.
- **HepA:** Helps prevent hepatitis A.
- **HepB:** Helps prevent hepatitis B.

Visit cdc.gov/vaccines for more information.





Schedule your child's check-up today.

Eligible routine preventive care is 100% covered when you use an in-network pediatrician. See your brochure (RI 71-009) for details.

High Option Plan: 888.636.NALC (888.636.6252) CDHP/Value Option Plan: 855.511.1893

^{**} Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). (2022, February 17). "Child and Adolescent Immunization Schedule." https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/hcp/imz/child-adolescent.html

This information is for educational purposes only and is not medical advice. Always consult with your doctor for appropriate examinations, treatment, testing and care recommendations.



^{*} HealthyChildren.org. (2021, September 15). "AAP Schedule of Well-Child Care Visits." American Academy of Pediatrics. https://healthychildren.org/English/family-life/health-management/Pages/Well-Child-Care-A-Check-Up-for-Success.aspx