

“) for the first time after September 1, 1995,”; and in (e), inserted “the first or second dose”.

8:57-4.13 Rubella vaccine

(a) Every child shall have received one dose of live rubella virus vaccine, or any vaccine combination containing live rubella virus vaccine, administered on or after the child's first birthday.

(b) Those children younger than 15 months of age who are enrolled in a preschool or child care center, shall be considered to be in compliance with this section until reaching the age of 15 months, which is the medically recommended age for routine rubella immunization.

(c) Rubella virus vaccine shall not be required of children who present documented laboratory evidence of rubella immunity.

As amended, R.1981 d.502, effective January 4, 1982 (except (b)).

See: 13 N.J.R. 738(a), 14 N.J.R. 45(c).

(b): “who present ... immunity” substituted for “after the twelfth birthday”; (b)1 added.

Amended by R.1990 d.243, effective June 4, 1990 (operative September 1, 1991).

See: 21 N.J.R. 3897(a), 22 N.J.R. 1766(a).

Text added at (a); new (b) and old (b) moved to (c) with text added; (b)1 deleted.

Amended by R.1995 d.201, effective April 3, 1995.

See: 27 N.J.R. 270(a), 27 N.J.R. 1417(a).

Administrative Correction.

See: 27 N.J.R. 1801(a).

8:57-4.14 Mumps vaccine

(a) Every child shall have received one dose of live mumps virus vaccine, or any vaccine combination containing live mumps virus vaccine, administered on or after the child's first birthday.

(b) Those children younger than 15 months of age who are enrolled in a preschool or child care center shall be considered to be in compliance with this section until reaching the age of 15 months, which is the medically recommended age for routine mumps immunization.

(c) Children enrolled in school, preschool, or child care centers before September 1, 1995 and who previously provided written certification from the diagnosing physician that the pupil had mumps disease shall not be required to receive mumps vaccine.

(d) Children who present documented laboratory evidence of mumps immunity shall not be required to receive mumps vaccine.

New Rule R.1990 d.243, effective June 4, 1990 (operative September 1, 1991).

See: 21 N.J.R. 3897(a), 22 N.J.R. 1766(a).

Text on providing immunizations recodified to 4.15 and new rule added on mumps vaccine.

Amended by R.1995 d.201, effective April 3, 1995.

See: 27 N.J.R. 270(a), 27 N.J.R. 1417(a).

8:57-4.15 *Haemophilus influenzae* type b (Hib) conjugate vaccine

(a) Every child from two months to 11 months of age enrolling in or attending any child-care center shall have received a minimum of two age-appropriate doses of a separate or a combination Hib conjugate vaccine, or fewer as appropriate for the child's age.

(b) Every child from two months to 11 months of age enrolling in or attending a child care center shall have received a minimum of two age-appropriate doses of a separate or a combination Hib conjugate vaccine, or fewer as appropriate for the child's age.

New Rule, R.1995 d.201, effective April 3, 1995.

See: 27 N.J.R. 270(a), 27 N.J.R. 1417(a).

Amended by R.2003 d.412, effective October 20, 2003.

See: 34 N.J.R. 3945(a), 35 N.J.R. 4883(b).

In (a), deleted “age-appropriate” following “at least one”, inserted “on or after the first birthday” at the end.

Amended by R.2008 d.9, effective January 7, 2008 (operative September 1, 2008).

See: 38 N.J.R. 5284(a), 40 N.J.R. 151(a).

Section was “*Haemophilus influenzae* type b (Hib) conjugate vaccine”. Added new (a); deleted former (b); and recodified former (a) as new (b).

8:57-4.16 Hepatitis B virus vaccine

(a) Every child born on or after January 1, 1990 shall have received three doses of hepatitis B vaccine, or any vaccine combination containing hepatitis B virus, prior to school entry into a Kindergarten through Grade 12, or a comparable age level special education program with an unassigned grade.

(b) Children born on or after January 1, 1990 attending or transferring into a New Jersey school with no documented doses of hepatitis B vaccine, shall receive the first dose before entering school and shall receive a second dose of a hepatitis B containing vaccine, no later than three months after receiving the first dose and shall receive the third dose no later than 12 months following the first dose.

1. A child entering school with one documented dose shall have no longer than six months to complete the three dose hepatitis B series.

2. A child entering school with two documented doses shall have no longer than four months to complete the three dose hepatitis B series.

(c) Unvaccinated children 11 through 15 years of age who have not begun or completed the hepatitis B vaccine series, can be given two doses of any hepatitis B vaccine licensed and approved for a two dose regimen to satisfy the hepatitis B requirement. If the child is age-eligible to receive the two dose regimen, the second and final dose shall be received no later than six months following the first dose.

(d) Children who present documented laboratory evidence of hepatitis B disease or immunity, constituting a medical

exemption, shall not be required to receive hepatitis B vaccine.

Amended by R.2003 d.412, effective October 20, 2003.

See: 34 N.J.R. 3945(a), 35 N.J.R. 4883(b).

Rewrote the section.

Amended by R.2004 d.272, effective July 19, 2004.

See: 35 N.J.R. 4975(a), 36 N.J.R. 3423(b).

Added a new (i), added (j), and recodified former (i) as (k).

Amended by R.2008 d.9, effective January 7, 2008 (operative September 1, 2008).

See: 38 N.J.R. 5284(a), 40 N.J.R. 151(a).

Rewrote (a); deleted former (b), (d) through (f) and (h) through (j); recodified former (c) as (b), (g) as (c) and (k) as (d); in the introductory paragraph of (b), substituted "1990" for "1996" and deleted "(Kindergarten and Grade 1) for the first time after September 1, 2001," following "New Jersey school"; added (b)1 and (b)2; and in (c), deleted "and subject to the Grade Six hepatitis B requirement commencing September 2, 2001," following "series," and inserted the last sentence.

8:57-4.17 Varicella virus vaccine

(a) Every child born on or after January 1, 1998 shall have received one dose of varicella vaccine, or any vaccine combination containing varicella virus, administered on or after the first birthday, prior to school entrance for the first time into a Kindergarten, Grade 1, or a comparable age entry level special education program with an unassigned grade.

(b) Every child 19 months of age or older enrolling in or attending a child care center or preschool facility shall have received at least one dose of a varicella containing vaccine administered on or after the first birthday.

(c) Every child born on or after January 1, 1998, attending or transferring into a New Jersey school from another state or country, shall have received one dose of a varicella virus containing vaccine.

(d) Children who present either documented laboratory evidence, a physician's statement, or a parental statement of previous varicella disease, shall not be required to receive varicella vaccine.

Repeal and New Rule, R.2003 d.413, effective October 20, 2003.

See: 34 N.J.R. 584(a), 35 N.J.R. 4890(a).

Section was "Providing immunization".

8:57-4.18 Pneumococcal conjugate vaccine

(a) Every child from two months through 11 months of age enrolling in or attending any child-care center or preschool facility on or after September 1, 2008, shall have received a minimum of two age-appropriate doses of pneumococcal conjugate vaccine (PCV), or fewer as medically-appropriate for the child's age according to the ACIP recommendations, incorporated herein by reference, as amended and supplemented.

1. The 2000 ACIP Recommendations for Preventing Pneumococcal Disease Among Infants and Young Children, is published in the October 6, 2000 issue of the Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report (MMWR), which is available at www.cdc.gov/mmwr/PDF/rr/rr4909.pdf.

(b) Every child 12 months through 59 months of age enrolling in or attending a child-care center on or after September 1, 2008, shall have received at least one dose of PCV on or after their first birthday.

New Rule, R.2008 d.9, effective January 7, 2008 (operative September 1, 2008).

See: 38 N.J.R. 5284(a), 40 N.J.R. 151(a).

Former N.J.A.C. 8:57-4.18, Providing immunization, recodified to N.J.A.C. 8:57-4.21.

8:57-4.19 Influenza vaccine

Children six months through 59 months of age attending any child-care center or preschool facility on or after September 1, 2008, shall annually receive at least one dose of influenza vaccine between September 1 and December 31 of each year.

New Rule, R.2008 d.9, effective January 7, 2008 (operative September 1, 2008).

See: 38 N.J.R. 5284(a), 40 N.J.R. 151(a).

Former N.J.A.C. 8:57-4.19, Emergency powers of the Commissioner, Department of Health and Senior Services, recodified to N.J.A.C. 8:57-4.22.

8:57-4.20 Meningococcal vaccine

(a) Every child born on or after January 1, 1997, and entering or attending Grade Six or a comparable age level special education program with an unassigned grade on or after September 1, 2008, shall have received one dose of a meningococcal-containing vaccine, such as the medically-preferred meningococcal conjugate vaccine.

(b) Every child born on or after January 1, 1997, and transferring into a New Jersey school from another state or country on or after September 1, 2008, shall have received one dose of meningococcal vaccine.

New Rule, R.2008 d.9, effective January 7, 2008 (operative September 1, 2008).

See: 38 N.J.R. 5284(a), 40 N.J.R. 151(a).

Former N.J.A.C. 8:57-4.20, Optimal immunization recommendations, recodified to N.J.A.C. 8:57-4.23.

8:57-4.21 Providing immunization

(a) A board of education and/or a local board of health may provide, at public expense, the necessary equipment, materials and services for immunizing children with the following immunizing agents, either singly or in combination:

1. Diphtheria toxoid;
2. Pertussis vaccine;
3. Tetanus toxoid;
4. Measles virus vaccine, live, attenuated;
5. Rubella virus vaccine, live;
6. Poliovirus vaccine;
7. Mumps virus vaccine, live;
8. Haemophilus influenzae type B conjugate vaccine;