



Week In Review

August 28, 2023

August is National Immunization Awareness Month!

Check out the NIAM Toolkit



The Immunization Coalition of Delaware, in partnership with the Delaware Division of Public Health, are pleased to invite you to the 2023 Immunization Summit!

Where:

Bally's Dover Casino Resort

When:

Thursday, December 7, 2023
1:00 - 6:00 pm

Topics will include Respiratory Syncytial Viruses, Delaware Updates, Vaccine Hesitancy, Hepatitis A&B, and Emerging Vaccines!

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Updates

ACIP Meeting ([ACIP](#))

- **Tuesday, September 12**, 10:00-4:00pm

COCA Call ([COCA](#))

- **Thursday, August 31**, 2:00-3:00pm. 2023-2024 Recommendations for Influenza Prevention and Treatment in Children: An Update for Pediatric Providers

Vaccines and Related Biological Products Advisory Committee ([VRBPAC](#))

- **Thursday, October 5**, 8:30 - 1:30 pm

MMWR Weekly ([No 34](#))

- West Nile Virus and other nationally notifiable arboviral diseases
- Vaccination coverage among adolescents aged 13-17 years
- Use of Nirsevimab for the prevention of Respiratory Syncytial Disease among infants and young children: ACIP recommendations

Food & Drug Administration ([Announcements](#))

- None

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Viruses

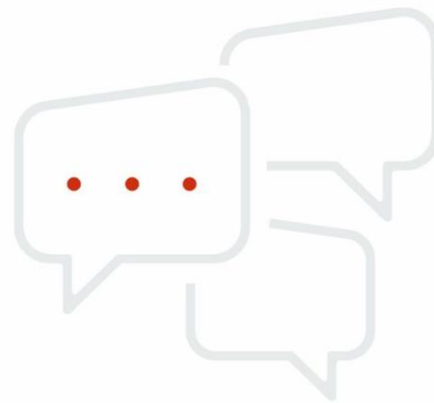
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CDC recommendation for MenB vaccination

In 2020, CDC updated its recommendation for meningitis B (MenB) vaccination¹

CDC recommends MenB vaccination for adolescents not at increased risk, aged 16-23 years (preferred age 16-18 years), based on shared clinical decision-making^{2,3}

Shared clinical decision-making vaccinations are not recommended for a particular age or risk group. Shared clinical decision-making recommendations are individually based and informed by a decision process between the healthcare provider and the patient or parent/guardian.⁴



To achieve shared clinical decision-making, have a discussion about MenB.

Remember, patients and parents may not know what MenB is—that's why it's important for you to start the conversation.

CDC=Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

Vaccination may not protect all recipients.

Outbreak News

[WHO Disease Outbreak News](#)

August 11 - USA: Influenza A(H1N2)v
August 11 - Bangladesh: Dengue
August 23 - Chile: Measles

[CDC Outbreak List](#)

August

- Small Turtles - *Salmonella* infections



- Ice Cream - *Listeria* infections

[Travel Notices](#)

Alert, Level 2

- Diphtheria - Nigeria
- Global Polio
- Fungal Infections after Surgical Procedures - Mexico

Watch, Level 1

- Dengue - the Americas, Africa, the Middle East, Asia, and the Pacific Islands



IZ Express

Weekly news
from Immunize.org

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- Effectiveness of monovalent and bivalent mRNA vaccines in preventing COVID-19-associated emergency department and urgent care encounters among young children aged 6 months - 5 years
- Epidemiologic and clinical features of Mpox in adults aged >50 years

Community Mobile Health Units

DPH [Mobile Health Units](#) provide HIV testing, counseling, and referral; COVID-19 testing and vaccines; blood lead testing; flu vaccines; and educational and resource connections. Click for weekly mobile unit times and locations.



- Highly mutated [COVID](#) variant found in new countries; pandemic in a 'different phase'
- Indian immunologicals targets [Dengue](#) vaccine launch by Jan 2026
- Statement of the 36th meeting of the [Polio](#) IHR Emergency Committee
- US government awards \$1.4 billion for development of new [COVID](#) therapies & vaccines

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<https://www.immunizedelaware.org/>

If you have something you'd like to see added to the ICD's Week in Review, please let us know!

The next ICD Quarterly Meeting will be held on August 10, 2023

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