

Childhood Immunisation Coverage

The following tables provide the latest annualised quarterly report on childhood immunisation coverage for the **June 2016, September 2016, December 2016 and March 2017 assessment quarters** from the Australian Immunisation Register (AIR).

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 Jan 2015 to 31 Dec 2015

State or Territory	Number of children	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (%)	Poliomyelitis (%)	<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (%)	Hepatitis B (%)	Pneumococcal (%)	Fully immunised (%)
ACT	5,658	96.11	95.99	95.71	95.90	95.79	95.14
NSW	97,846	94.41	94.37	94.08	94.35	93.97	93.48
Vic	77,490	94.69	94.65	94.28	94.55	94.27	93.66
Qld	61,288	94.73	94.71	94.53	94.75	94.45	94.12
SA	19,673	94.54	94.50	94.26	94.49	94.23	93.85
WA	34,383	93.74	93.71	93.43	93.56	93.35	92.84
Tas	5,690	94.46	94.39	94.13	94.55	94.18	93.76
NT	3,804	93.80	93.74	93.40	93.74	93.45	92.80
Australia	305,832	94.50	94.47	94.18	94.43	94.12	93.63

Table 2: Percentage of children immunised at 24 months of age, preliminary results by vaccine and state or territory for the birth cohort 1 Jan 2014 to 31 Dec 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	5,806	96.04	96.92	95.97	93.85	96.88	95.61	93.63	91.92
NSW	100,399	94.97	96.04	94.92	92.86	95.90	94.86	92.79	90.47
Vic	78,841	95.43	96.50	95.60	93.44	96.30	95.35	93.57	91.36
Qld	63,235	95.39	96.23	95.66	93.75	96.10	95.59	93.36	92.10
SA	20,352	94.97	96.21	95.28	93.34	96.05	95.31	93.21	91.19
WA	34,712	94.70	96.14	95.04	92.11	95.88	94.77	91.77	90.12
Tas	5,896	95.62	96.54	96.22	94.34	96.51	96.27	93.83	92.03
NT	3,638	94.61	96.15	95.60	91.89	96.23	95.16	90.96	88.54
Australia	312,879	95.17	96.24	95.33	93.17	96.08	95.20	93.03	91.06

Table 3: Percentage of children immunised at 60 months of age, preliminary results by vaccine and state or territory for the birth cohort 1 Jan 2011 to 31 Dec 2011

State or Territory	Number of children	Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (%)	Poliomyelitis (%)	Measles, mumps, rubella (%)	Fully immunised (%)
ACT	5,725	94.27	94.32	94.57	93.52
NSW	102,112	94.14	94.20	94.32	93.48
Vic	77,742	94.55	94.64	94.68	93.77
Qld	65,370	94.18	94.18	94.34	93.48
SA	20,480	94.13	94.16	94.40	93.39
WA	34,567	92.19	92.24	92.87	91.45
Tas	6,309	94.96	94.98	94.75	94.06
NT	3,535	93.15	93.18	93.66	92.39
Australia	315,840	94.04	94.09	94.26	93.32

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