



Coding information:

Pediacel/Pentacel = DTaP-IPV-Hib
 Adacel-Polio = Tdap-IPV
 Adacel = Tdap
 Imovax Polio = IPV

Kids <7 must have at least 3 doses of the big D & aP before they can transition to Tdap-IPV

Routine schedule:

2 months: Pediacel/Pentacel
 4 months: Pediacel/Pentacel
 6 months: Pediacel/Pentacel
 18 months: Pediacel/Pentacel
 4-6 years: Adacel-Polio
 14-16 years: Adacel

The client is between 4-6 years of age and only has 3 doses of Pediacel/Pentacel on record.

*If all 3 doses of Pediacel/Pentacel were administered at <1 year of age, give Pediacel/Pentacel

How many doses of polio are required?

People only need 3 doses of polio in their lifetime, with at least 1 dose after the 4th birthday (this dose must be >24 wks after the 2nd dose)

Teenage boosters are due 10 years after their last dose. This is why some kids may be overdue for Adacel before 16 years of age.

See Table 2 of the Publicly Funded Immunization Schedule for children >7 years with an incomplete tetanus series.

Licensing Information:

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