Massachusetts Department of Public Health (MDPH)

Immunization Division

**State-Supplied Adult Vaccine Availability Table**

**Eligibility:**

* + MDPH **does not** provide vaccines for adults seen at private provider sites. The only exception is tetanus-diphtheria (Td) vaccine, which MDPH continues to provide for all Massachusetts residents, regardless of where they receive care.
  + MDPH provides a very limited supply of vaccines listed below for uninsured adults seen in public sector sites.**1 Employees of public sector sites are not eligible for state-supplied vaccine.**
  + Sites with billing capacity should purchase vaccine and seek reimbursement from health insurers.
  + Availability of vaccines may change during an outbreak.

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| **Private and Public Sectors** | |
| **Vaccine** | **Adults (19 years of age and older) Eligible for State-Supplied Vaccine Administered in the Private and Public Sectors** |
| **Td** | * All adults as recommended by the ACIP. |
| **Public Sector1** | |
| **Vaccine** | **Adults Eligible for State-Supplied Vaccine Administered in the Public Sector** |
| **Hep A** | * ***Only for uninsured*** adults in ACIP-recommended groups2 seen at public sites. |
| **Hep B5** | * ***Only for uninsured*** adults in ACIP-recommended groups2 seen at public sites.1   Please Note: Employers covered by federal OSHA regulations are responsible for supplying hepatitis B vaccine to their employees. State-supplied vaccine is **not** available for this group. |
| **Influenza Vaccine** | * ***Only for uninsured*** adults who are seen at public sites.1 |
| **MMR3** | * ***Only for uninsured*** adults in ACIP-recommended groups2 seen at public sites.1 |
| **Pneumococcal Polysaccharide (PPV23)** | * ***Only for uninsured*** adults in ACIP-recommended groups2 seen atpublic sites.1 |
| **Polio** | * ***Only for uninsured*** adults in ACIP-recommended groups2 seen atpublic sites.1 |
| **Varicella3** | * ***Only for uninsured*** adults in ACIP-recommended groups2 seen at public sites.1 |
| **Tdap4, 5** | * ***Only for uninsured*** adults in ACIP-recommended groups2 seen at public sites1 who have not previously received Tdap. |
| **Zoster (Shingles) Vaccine3** | * Zoster vaccine not available from MDPH. |
| **The following vaccines are not provided by MDPH for adults:** | |
| **HPV3** | |
| **Meningococcal A, C, W, Y (MenACWY)4** | |
| **Meningococcal B (MenB)** | |
| **Pneumococcal conjugate (PCV13)** | |
| **Zoster (Shingles) Vaccine3** | |

1**Public Sector Sites include:**

* Local health departments
* Community health centers
* Free community-based clinics
* TB clinics
* Public hospitals
* Public Colleges
* Correctional facilities
* Integrated Counseling Testing and Referral Sites
* Health care for the homeless

2 **High Risk Groups**: For a list of vaccines and the groups for whom vaccine is recommended, please see the MDPH document *Summary of* *Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) Recommended Groups for Vaccination* (<http://www.mass.gov/eohhs/docs/dph/cdc/immunization/acip-summary-recommended-groups.pdf>)*.* For the complete ACIP recommendations, see [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/acip/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/acip/index.html).

3 **Merck Vaccine Assistance Program:** Sites may consider using the Merck Vaccine Assistance Program ([www.merck.com/merckhelps/vaccines/home.html](http://www.merck.com/merckhelps/vaccines/home.html)) to receive free doses of **vaccine** for eligible uninsured adults.

4 **Sanofi Patient Assistance Connection**: Sites may consider using the Sanofi Patient Assistance Connection (<http://www.sanofipatientconnection.com/patient-assistance-connection>) program to receive certain vaccines at no cost if program eligibility requirements are met.

5 **GSK Patient Assistance Program**: Sites may consider using the GSK program for eligible patients (<https://www.gskforyou.com/>) to receive certain vaccines at no cost.