

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.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All adults as recommended by the ACIP.
Public Sector ¹	
Vaccine	Adults Eligible for State-Supplied Vaccine Administered in the Public Sector
Hep A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only for uninsured adults in ACIP-recommended groups² seen at public sites.
Hep B ⁵	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only for uninsured adults in ACIP-recommended groups² seen at public sites.¹ <p>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.</p>
Influenza Vaccine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only for uninsured adults who are seen at public sites.¹
MMR ³	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only for uninsured adults in ACIP-recommended groups² seen at public sites.¹
Pneumococcal Polysaccharide (PPV23)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only for uninsured adults in ACIP-recommended groups² seen at public sites.¹
Polio	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only for uninsured adults in ACIP-recommended groups² seen at public sites.¹
Varicella ³	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only for uninsured adults in ACIP-recommended groups² seen at public sites.¹
Tdap ^{4, 5}	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only for uninsured adults in ACIP-recommended groups² seen at public sites¹ who have not previously received Tdap.
Zoster (Shingles) Vaccine ³	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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.

³ **Merck Vaccine Assistance Program:** Sites may consider using the Merck Vaccine Assistance Program (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.