

ADOLESCENT/ADULT IMMUNIZATIONS

If injecting multiple vaccines in same site, separate by 1 to 2 inches.

Recommendation only: Use no more than 2 vaccines in one muscle.

VACCINE	ROUTE	SITE
e-IPV (enhanced IPV)	Subq.	Left arm Subq-Inject between shoulder and elbow in the back of the arm
Td/Tdap	IM	Deltoid Left arm
Varicella Zoster (shingles) (Zos)	Subq.	Left arm Inject between shoulder and elbow in the back of the arm
Hepatitis A Hepatitis B	IM	Deltoid Right arm If giving multiple vaccines, no Td/Tdap, use left arm If giving Td/Tdap, Hep A, Hep B, HPV - put Hep A in left arm with Td/Tdap and Hep B in right arm with HPV
Meningococcal/ Menactra/ MCV4	IM	Deltoid Right arm If giving multiple vaccines, no Td/Tdap, use left arm If giving Td/Tdap and HPV, put MCV4 in left arm with Td/Tdap
Meningococcal Polysaccharide/ MPSV4	Subq	Subq - Inject between shoulder and elbow in the back of the arm
Pneumococcal /PPV 23	IM or Subq	Deltoid (IM) Right arm
Human-Papillomavirus HPV	IM	Deltoid Right arm
Influenza	IM	Deltoid Right arm
MMR MMRV (through age 12)	Subq.	Right arm Inject between shoulder and elbow in the back of the arm

Subcutaneous injection use 5/8-inch, 25 gauge needle. Intramuscular injection use 1" to 1-1/2", 22 to 25 gauge needle.

Dispose of syringes and empty vaccine vials into red sharp containers.

MARICOPA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH - COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING Rev. July 2007

