

0 - 6 YEARS



EARLY

To treat problems soon

PERIODIC

To set up regular appointments

SCREENING

To check for a medical problem

DIAGNOSIS

To find a medical problem

TREATMENT

To care for a problem

Why are EPSDT screenings important?

Seeing your primary care physician (PCP) regularly and caring for problems early could:

- Help your PCP get to know your child
- Help your child stay healthy as he or she grows
- Find health problems before they get worse
- Stop health problems that make it hard for your child to learn
- Help your child have a healthy smile

How do I start?

Make an appointment with your child's primary care physician (PCP). Contact Magnolia Health to get help with:

- Finding a provider or dentist
- Setting up an appointment
- Arranging transportation to the appointment
- Answering your questions about screenings or immunizations
- Talking with a case manager to help you find and get other services

What happens after seeing your PCP?

After the screening, the provider will help you understand the results. If you do not understand something, feel free to ask questions. Here's what could happen if the doctor finds a problem:

- For special problems, the provider will treat the problem or refer your child to a specialist for help.
- For vision problems, your child could see an eye doctor and get eyeglasses.
- For hearing problems, your child could see a specialist and get hearing aids.



When and how often do I need to schedule a screening?

Getting a screening at the right time is the best way to make sure your child continues to be healthy.

Babies need check-ups at:



Toddlers need check-ups at:



Young Children need check-ups at:



Older Children, Teenagers and Young Adults under 21 years of age need a check-up every year.

2019 Recommended Immunizations for Children from Birth Through 6 Years Old

Birth	1 month	2 months	4 months	6 months	12 months	15 months	18 months	19-23 months	2-3 years	4-6 years
HepB	HepB			HepB						
		RV	RV	RV						
		DTaP	DTaP	DTaP		DTaP				DTaP
		Hib	Hib	Hib	Hib					
		PCV	PCV	PCV	PCV					
		IPV	IPV	IPV						IPV
				Influenza (Every Year)						
					MMR					MMR
					Varicella					Varicella
					HepA					

Shaded boxes indicate the vaccine can be given during shown age range.

FOOTNOTES:

- * Two doses of Flu vaccine can be given 4 weeks apart for ages 6 months-8 years who are receiving the vaccine for the first time.
- * Two doses of HEP A vaccine can be given at 12 months and 23 months for lasting immunity.
- * A two dose or three dose Hib vaccine can be given depending on the vaccine used in the primary series.
- * A two dose or three dose Rotavirus vaccine can be given depending on the vaccine used in the primary series.

If your child has any medical conditions that put him at risk for infection or is traveling outside the United States, talk to your child's doctor about additional vaccines that he may need.

Are vaccines safe?

Yes. Vaccines are very safe, and are important for a child's health. If you have questions about vaccines, please contact Magnolia Health or your healthcare provider.



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