

Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Pertussis-Containing Vaccines Catch-Up Guidance for Children 4 Months through 18 Years of Age 2015

IF current age is	AND # of previous Doses of DTaP or DT	AND	AND	THEN	Next Dose Due
4 months through 11 months	Unknown or 0	→	→	Give Dose 1 (DTaP) today	Give Dose 2 (DTaP) at least 4 weeks after Dose 1
	1	It has been at least 4 weeks since Dose 1	→	Give Dose 2 (DTaP) today	Give Dose 3 (DTaP) at least 4 weeks after Dose 2
		It has not been at least 4 weeks since Dose 1	→	No dose today	Give Dose 2 (DTaP) at least 4 weeks after Dose 1
	2	It has been at least 4 weeks since Dose 2	→	Give Dose 3 (DTaP) today	Give Dose 4 (DTaP) at least 6 calendar months after Dose 3 and at least 15 months of age
		It has not been at least 4 weeks since Dose 2	→	No dose today	Give Dose 3 (DTaP) at least 4 weeks after Dose 2
1 through 3 years	Unknown or 0	→	→	Give Dose 1 (DTaP) today	Give Dose 2 (DTaP) at least 4 weeks after Dose 1
	1	It has been at least 4 weeks since Dose 1	→	Give Dose 2 (DTaP) today	Give Dose 3 (DTaP) at least 4 weeks after Dose 2
		It has not been 4 weeks since Dose 1	→	No dose today	Give Dose 2 (DTaP) at least 4 weeks after Dose 1
	2	It has been at least 4 weeks since Dose 2	→	Give Dose 3 (DTaP) today	Give Dose 4 (DTaP) at least 6 calendar months after Dose 3
		It has not been 4 weeks since Dose 2	→	No dose today	Give Dose 3 (DTaP) at least 4 weeks after Dose 2
	3	It has been at least 6 calendar months since Dose 3	→	If 12 through 14 months of age, no dose today	Give Dose 4 (DTaP) at 15 through 18 months of age
				If 15 months of age or older, give Dose 4 (DTaP) today	Give Dose 5 (DTaP) at least 6 months after Dose 4 and at 4 through 6 years of age
		It has not been 6 calendar months since Dose 3	→	No dose today	Give Dose 4 (DTaP) at least 6 months after Dose 3

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4 through 6 years	Unknown or 0	→	→	Give Dose 1 (DTaP) today	Give Dose 2 (DTaP) at least 4 weeks after Dose 1
	1	It has been at least 4 weeks since Dose 1	→	Give Dose 2 (DTaP) today	Give Dose 3 (DTaP) at least 4 weeks after Dose 2
		It has not been 4 weeks since Dose 1	→	No dose today	Give Dose 2 (DTaP) at least 4 weeks after Dose 1
	2	It has been at least 4 weeks since Dose 2	→	Give Dose 3 (DTaP) today	Give Dose 4 (DTaP) at least 6 calendar months after Dose 3
		It has not been at least 4 weeks since Dose 2	→	No dose today	Give Dose 3 (DTaP) at least 4 weeks after Dose 2
	3	It has been at least 6 calendar months since Dose 3	→	Give Dose 4 (DTaP) today	Give Tdap at 11 to 12 years of age
		It has not been at least 6 calendar months since Dose 3	→	No dose today	Give Dose 4 (DTaP) at least 6 calendar months after Dose 3
	4	All doses given prior to the 4 th birthday	It has not been at least 6 months since Dose 4	No dose today	Give Dose 5 (DTaP) at least 6 calendar months after Dose 4
			It has been at least 6 months since Dose 4	Give Dose 5 (DTaP) today	Give Tdap at 11 to 12 years of age
		At least one dose given at/after the 4 th birthday	→	No dose today	

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7 through 18 years of age	Unknown or 0	→	→	→	Give Dose 1 (Tdap) today	Give Dose 2 (Td) at least 4 weeks after Dose 1
	1	Dose 1 was given before 12 months of age	→	→	Give Dose 2 (Tdap) today	Give Dose 3 (Td) at least 4 weeks after Dose 2
			Dose 1 was given at 12 months or older	It has been at least 4 weeks since Dose 1	Dose 1 was Tdap	Give Dose 2 (Td) today
		Dose 1 was not Tdap			Give Dose 2 (Tdap) today	
		It has not been 4 weeks since Dose 1		Dose 1 was Tdap	No dose today	Give Dose 2 (Td) at least 4 weeks after Dose 1
			Dose 1 was not Tdap	No dose today	Give Dose 2 (Tdap) at least 4 weeks after Dose 1	
	2	Dose 1 was given before 12 months of age	It has been at least 4 weeks since Dose 2	Any dose was Tdap	Give Dose 3 (Td) today	Give Dose 4 (Td) at least 6 calendar months after Dose 3
				No dose was Tdap	Give Dose 3 (Tdap) today	
			It has not been 4 weeks since Dose 2	Any dose was Tdap	No dose today	Give Dose 3 (Td) at least 4 weeks after Dose 2
				No dose was Tdap	No dose today	Give Dose 3 (Tdap) at least 4 weeks after Dose 2
		Dose 1 was given at 12 months or older	It has been at least 6 calendar months since Dose 2	Any dose was Tdap	Give Dose 3 (Td) today	Give Td in 10 years
				No dose was Tdap	Give Dose 3 (Tdap) today	
			It has not been 6 calendar months since Dose 2	Any dose was Tdap	No dose today	Give Dose 3 (Td) at least 6 calendar months after Dose 2
				No dose was Tdap	No dose today	Give Dose 3 (Tdap) at least 6 calendar months after Dose 2

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7 through 18 years of age	3	Dose 1 was given at before 12 months of age	It has been at least 6 calendar months since Dose 3	Any dose was Tdap	Give Dose 4 (Td) today	Td in 10 years
				No dose was Tdap	Give Dose 4 (Tdap) today	
			It has not been 6 calendar months since Dose 3	Any dose was Tdap	No dose today	Give Dose 4 (Td) at least 6 calendar months after Dose 3
				No dose was Tdap	No dose today	Give Dose 4 (Tdap) at least 6 calendar months after Dose 3
		Dose 1 was given at 12 months of age or older	No dose was Tdap	→	Give Dose 4 (Tdap) today	Give Td 10 years after Dose 4
			Any dose was Tdap	→	→	Give Td 10 years after Dose 3

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