



# HEALTHPATHWAYS

## *Immunisation and Communicable Diseases*

### **General Immunisation Pathways**

#### Immunisation - Childhood

This pathway is for patients aged 6 weeks to < 10 years. See also: [Immunisation - Adolescents](#) | [Immunisation - Adults](#)

#### Immunisation - Adolescents

This pathway is for patients aged 10 to < 20 years

#### Immunisation - Adults

This pathway is for patients aged ≥ 18 years.

#### Immunisation - Pregnancy

This pathway is for patients during pregnancy.

#### Immunisation Contacts and Services

This is not an exhaustive list of immunisation services as the majority of COVID and influenza immunisation is provided by primary care within the Murray PHN Catchment.

#### Adverse Events Following Immunisation (AEFIs)

This pathway is for adverse events following immunisation.

### **Influenza**

#### Immunisation - Influenza

This pathway is about immunisation for influenza.

### **Vaccine Storage**

#### Vaccine Storage and Cold Chain Breaches

This pathway relates to procedures for standard immunisations and does not contain information relating to the COVID-19 vaccination. Cold chain requirements and reporting differ significantly for COVID-19 vaccinations. See the [COVID-19 Vaccination](#) pathway.

### **Communicable Diseases**

#### Notifiable Conditions in Victoria

This pathway outlines notifiable conditions in Victoria and the method required for notification.

#### Acute Rheumatic Fever (ARF)

This pathway is for patients presenting with ARF symptoms.

#### Hepatitis A



This pathway is about Hepatitis A.

#### Hepatitis C (HCV)

This pathway is about Hepatitis C.

#### Mosquito-borne Diseases in Victoria

This pathway is about more commonly encountered mosquito-borne disease in Victoria.

#### Mpox

This pathway is for patients presenting with symptoms consistent with Mpox.

#### Measles

This pathway is for patients with suspected or confirmed measles, or patients who have been in contact with confirmed cases.

#### Meningococcal Disease

This pathway is for patients with suspected or confirmed meningococcal disease.

#### Mumps

This pathway is for patients presenting with symptoms consistent with Mumps.

#### Pertussis (Whooping Cough)

This pathway is for children with pertussis but contains some guidelines for use of antibiotics in adults with pertussis.

#### Syphilis

This pathway is about syphilis.

#### Q Fever

This pathway is about Q fever.

#### Rheumatic Heart Disease (RHD)

This pathway is about RHD.

#### Tuberculosis (TB)

This pathway is about cases of suspected active and latent tuberculosis, and contacts of confirmed cases.

#### Herpes Zoster (Shingles)

This pathway is for patients presenting with symptoms consistent with shingles.

#### Varicella (Chickenpox)

This pathway is about varicella (not adapted for Murray)

#### Varicella (Chickenpox) and Pregnancy

This pathway is about varicella in pregnancy.