Pneumococcal Vaccine Timing for Adults

Make sure your patients are up to date with pneumococcal vaccination.

Adults ≥65 Years Old

Prior Vaccines	Option A	Option B			
None*	PCV20	PCV15 ≥1 year † PPSV23			
PPSV23 Only at any age	≥1 year PCV20	≥1 year PCV15			
PCV13 Only at any age	≥1 year PCV20	≥1 year † PPSV23			
PCV13 at any age and PPSV23 at <65 yrs	≥5 years PCV20	≥5 years [§] PPSV23			
Shared clinical decision-making for those who already completed the series with PCV13 and PPSV23					
Complete series: PCV13 at any age and PPSV23 at ≥65 yrs	Together, with the patient, vaccine providers may choose to administer PCV20 to adults ≥65 years old who have already received PCV13 (but not PCV15 or PCV20) at any age and PPSV23 at or after the age of 65 years old.				

^{*} Also applies to people who received PCV7 at any age and no other pneumococcal vaccines

For more pneumococcal vaccination information, visit:

www.cdc.gov/pneumococcal/vaccination.html

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[†] Consider minimum interval (8 weeks) for adults with an immunocompromising condition, cochlear implant, or cerebrospinal fuid leak (CSF) leak

[§] For adults with an immunocompromising condition, cochlear implant, or CSF leak, the minimum interval for PPSV23 is \geq 8 weeks since last PCV13 dose and \geq 5 years since last PPSV23 dose; for others, the minimum interval for PPSV23 is \geq 1 year since last PCV13 dose and \geq 5 years since last PPSV23 dose

Adults 19-64 Years Old - Specifed Immunocompromising Conditions

Prior Vaccines	Option A	Option B
None*	PCV20	PCV15 ≥8 weeks PPSV23
PPSV23 Only	≥1 year PCV20	≥1 year PCV15
PCV13 Only	≥1 year PCV20	≥8 weeks PPSV23 ≥5 years PPSV23
PCV13 and 1 Dose of PPSV23	≥5 years PCV20	≥5 years † PPSV23
PCV13 and 2 Doses of PPSV23	≥5 years PCV20	No vaccines recommended at this time.

Immunocompromising Conditions:

- Chronic renal failure
- HIV infection
- Multiple myeloma
- · Congenital or acquired asplenia
- Hodgkin disease

- Nephrotic syndrome
- Congenital or acquired
- latrogenic immunosuppression ¶
- Sickle cell disease/other immunodefciency[§]

- Leukemia hemoglobinopathies
- Generalized malignancy
- Lymphoma
- Solid organ transplant

Review pneumococcal vaccine recommendations again when your patient turns 65 years old.



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[†] The minimum interval for PPSV23 is ≥8 weeks since last PCV13 dose and ≥5 years since last PPSV23 dose

[§] Includes B- (humoral) or T-lymphocyte defciency, complement defciencies (particularly C1, C2, C3, and C4 defciencies), and phagocytic disorders (excluding chronic granulomatous disease)

[¶] Includes diseases requiring treatment with immunosuppressive drugs, including long-term systemic corticosteroids and radiation therapy

Adults 19-64 Years Old - With a Cochlear Implant or Cerebrospinal Fluid Leak

Prior Vaccines	Option A	Option B
None*	PCV20	PCV15 ≥8 weeks PPSV23
PPSV23 Only	≥1 year PCV20	≥1 year PCV15
PCV13 Only	≥1 year PCV20	≥8 weeks PPSV23
PCV13 and 1 Dose of PPSV23	≥5 years PCV20	No vaccines recommended at this time.

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Adults 19-64 Years Old - With Chronic Health Conditions

Prior Vaccines	Option A	Option B
None*	PCV20	PCV15 ≥1 year PPSV23
PPSV23 Only	≥1 year PCV20	≥1 year PCV15
PVC13†Only	≥1 year PCV20	≥8 weeks PPSV23
PCV13†and PPSV23	No vaccines recommended at this time.	
Chronic Health ConditionsAlcoholismChronic liver disease	 Chronic heart disease, including congestive heart failure pulmonary disease, emphysema, and chronic obstructive 	

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asthma and cardiomyopathies

Cigarette smoking

Diabetes mellitus

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[†]Adults with chronic medical conditions were previously not recommended to receive PCV13