



Quick Reference to Combination and/or Reconstituted Vaccines: Adult

(Highlight Vaccines in Your Refrigerator and Post)

Brand Name	What it Contains	Use for Ages:	Use for Dose:	Administration Tips*
Twinrix®, GSK	hepatitis A (hep A) hepatitis B (hep B)	18 years and older	1, 2, 3 of hep B (contains an adult dose) 1, 2, 3 of hep A (contains a pediatric dose)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Premixed • Shake well before administering; give IM • Use a 0, 1, 6 schedule <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - this is a different schedule than used for single-antigen hep A and hep B
<p>When giving Twinrix and single-antigen hep A and hep B, assure that a complete series of each antigen is administered</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – 1 dose Twinrix + 2 dose of single-antigen hep A & hep B = complete series of hep A and hep B – 2 doses Twinrix + 1 dose of single-antigen hep A & hep B = complete series of hep A and hep B 				
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MMR II®, Merck	Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR)	12 months and older	1 or 2 of MMR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Draw up “diluent for Merck vaccines” • Add diluent to MMR vial; shake well; give SC
Varivax®, Merck	Varicella (Var)	12 months and older	1 or 2 of Varicella	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Draw up “diluent for Merck vaccines” • Add diluent to Var vial; shake well • Administer within 30 minutes; give SC
Zostavax®, Merck	Zoster (Zoster)	60 years and older	1 of Zoster (single dose)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Draw up “diluent for Merck vaccines” • Add diluent to Zoster vial; shake well • Administer within 30 minutes; give SC
Menveo® Novartis	Meningococcal Conjugate (MCV4)	2 through 55 years	Any dose of MCV4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Draw up MenCYW liquid (diluent) • Add to the MenA vial; invert; shake well; give IM

Avoid medication errors! Use only the diluent that is packaged or sent with each specific vaccine—don't use any other liquid

*Refer to the manufacturer's package insert for further details regarding reconstituting and/or administering these products