



Vaccine Fact Sheet

PPSV23

Protects Against 23 types of pneumococcal bacteria (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6B, 7F, 8, 9N, 9V, 10A, 11A, 12F, 14, 15B, 17F, 18C, 19A, 19F, 20, 22F, 23F, and 33F) which can cause pneumococcal disease

Brand Name and Manufacturer Pneumovax 23[®] (PPSV23)
Merck

Routine Schedule One (1) dose for all adults 65 years of age and older
One (1) dose or two (2) doses, depending on risk factor; for patients 2 through 64 years at high risk for pneumococcal disease

Minimum Intervals Minimum interval of 8 weeks after PCV13 recommended for persons at high risk of pneumococcal disease
12 month interval after PCV13 recommended for persons 65 years and older not at risk of pneumococcal disease
Minimum interval of 5 years between two PPSV23 doses

Approved for use in Persons aged 2 years and older who are at increased risk for pneumococcal disease.
Persons 50 years and older.

Recommended for use in All adults 65 years of age and older;
Anyone 2 through 64 years of age with certain long term health problems,
Anyone 2 through 64 years of age with a weakened immune system,
Adults 19 through 64 years of age who smoke cigarettes or have asthma

Administration Intramuscular (IM) or Subcutaneous (SC) injection

Packaging Vaccine is packaged as:
- One 5-dose multi-dose vial,
- Box of 10 0.5mL single dose vials,
- Box of 10 single-dose, prefilled syringes

Storage Refrigerate between 35°F and 46°F (2°C to 8°C)
DO NOT FREEZE

Full ACIP Recommendations <http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/vacc-specific/pneumo.html>

VFC Letter http://eziz.org/assets/docs/vfletter_2_14_2014_Rec_IJ-Schedule.pdf

Billing Codes CDHP code: 90, for children 2 to 19
CPT code for vaccine: 90732
CPT code for administration: 90460
Medi-Cal-Fee-For-Service administration: unknown at this time
ICD-9-CM Code: v03.82
ICD-10-CM code: Z23

Comments

- Download CDPH's [Pneumococcal Vaccine Timing algorithm for Adults](#)
- Download CDPH's [Pneumococcal Vaccine Timing Algorithm for Children](#)
- DO NOT administer PCV13 and PPSV23 at the same visit.