

Pneumococcal Vaccine Timing

DO NOT administer PCV15 and PPSV23 at the same visit.

Age 65+ Years:

Has not previously received a pneumococcal conjugate vaccine (Prevnar 13 or PCV13, not PPSV23) or whose previous vaccination history is unknown:

Option 1 – PCV20 only

PCV20
Prevnar20®

OR

Option 2 (series) – PCV15 + PPSV23

PCV15
Vaxneuvance®

1 year or more

PPSV23
Pneumovax® 23

Previously received PPSV23 ONLY (at least 1 year ago):

Option 1 – PCV20 only

PCV20
Prevnar20®

OR

Option 2 – PCV15 only

PCV15
Vaxneuvance®

Previously received PCV13 ONLY (at least 1 year ago):

Option 1 – PPSV23

PPSV23
Pneumovax® 23

OR

Option 2 – PCV20 if PPSV23 not available

PCV20
Prevnar20®



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Adults aged 19-64:

Has certain underlying medical conditions[^] or other risk factors* and has not previously received a pneumococcal conjugate vaccine (Prevnar 13 or PCV13, not PPSV23) or whose previous vaccination history is unknown:

Option 1 – PCV20 only

PCV20
Prevnar20[®]

OR

Option 2 (series) – PCV15 + PPSV23

PCV15
Vaxneuvance[®]

8 weeks[^] to ≥ 1 year*

PPSV23
Pneumovax[®] 23

[^]Immunocompromising conditions (8 week interval):

Clinicians may consider a minimum interval of 8 weeks between PCV15 and PPSV23 for patients with these immunocompromising and other medical conditions below (refer to [CDC Pneumococcal Guidance](#) for additional details).

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| • CSF leak | • Immunodeficiency | • Multiple myeloma |
| • Cochlear implant | • Iatrogenic immunosuppression | • Nephrotic syndrome |
| • Generalized malignancy | • Leukemia | • Solid organ transplant |
| • HIV | • Lymphoma | • Congenital or acquired asplenia |
| • Hodgkin disease | | |

*Other risk factors (≥ 1 year interval):

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| • Alcohol use disorder | • Chronic heart/liver/lung disease | • Sickle cell disease or other hemoglobinopathies |
| • Cigarette smoking | • Chronic renal failure | |

Previously received PPSV23 ONLY (at least 1 year ago):

Option 1 – PCV20 only

PCV20
Prevnar20[®]

OR

Option 2 – PCV15 only

PCV15
Vaxneuvance[®]

Previously received PCV13 ONLY (at least 1 year ago):

Option 1 – PPSV23

PPSV23
Pneumovax[®] 23

OR

Option 2 – PCV20 if PPSV23 not available

PCV20
Prevnar20[®]