

## Preventive Care Appointments

Your child's health and well being are our top priority at Pediatric Associates! To ensure our providers deliver the highest level of medical care to all our patients, our office follows the American Board of Pediatrics guidelines for pediatric standards. These guidelines require all patients to receive preventive care visits annually (and at specific age intervals), as well as any required immunizations. In these visits, the physician does a complete health examination which is essential to maintaining good health. If wellness visits and required immunizations are reluctant to be scheduled or kept, this will result in the child, and all siblings, to be discharged from our practice.

If you have any questions, please feel free to speak with one of our providers and/or nurses. They will be happy to address any of your concerns.



### **PEDIATRIC / ADOLESCENT IMMUNIZATION SCHEDULE**

Check-Up Schedule	Vaccinations/Tests Due (Laboratory Studies if Indicated)
<b>3 to 5 days old</b>	Newborn Visit
<b>2 week visit</b>	
<b>1 month visit</b>	
<b>2 month visit</b>	Pediarix (DTaP, Hep B, Polio), Prevnar 13, Hib, Rotarix
<b>4 month visit</b>	Pediarix (DTaP, Hep B, Polio), Prevnar 13, Hib, Rotarix
<b>6 month visit</b>	Pediarix (DTaP, Hep B, Polio), Prevnar 13, Hib
<b>9 month visit</b>	Developmental Screening
<b>12 month visit (MUST be after 1st Birthday)</b>	Hep A, MMR, Varicella Hemoglobin & Lead Screening Assessment
<b>15 month visit</b>	Hib, Prevnar, DTaP
<b>18 month visit</b>	Hep A
<b>2 year visit</b>	Development/Growth
<b>30 month visit</b>	This visit is recommended by the American Academy of Pediatrics for speech and developmental screenings
<b>3 year visit</b>	
<b>4 year visit MUST be after 4th Birthday</b>	Kinrix (DTap, Polio) & Proquad (MMR & Varicella) Hearing & Vision
<b>5 year visit</b>	Hearing, Vision & Urine
<b>Annually from 6-18 years old</b>	Annual Hearing & Vision Screen, Urine Test TDap @ 11 y/o, HPV Series, Meningitis Vaccine
	<b>Flu Vaccine</b> available at 6 months and older