

The meningococcal B vaccine is now free for infants aged 6 weeks to 2 years.

The vaccine is free in the Northern Territory, to protect those most at risk:

- Adolescents aged 14-19 years
- Infants, aged 6 weeks to 2 years

Meningococcal disease invades the body from the nose or throat through close prolonged contact and can occur rapidly.

Most people with meningococcal infection fully recover but some people can develop long-term health complications. It is fatal in 5-10% of cases.

The vaccine can be safely administered with other scheduled immunisations.

The vaccine is available from community care centres, GPs and remote health services.

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