

# Help Improve Adult Vaccination Rates

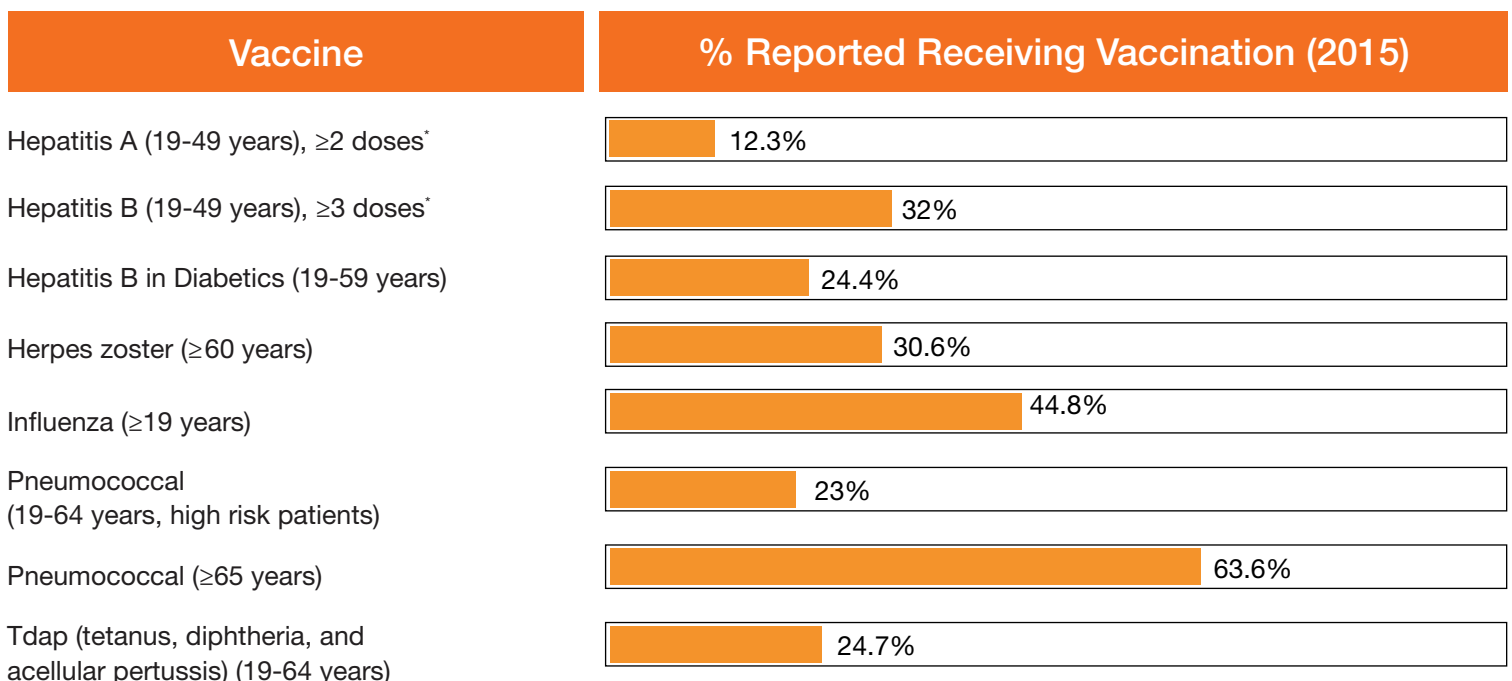
## You Can Make a Difference

Every year thousands of adults in the US become seriously ill and are hospitalized because of diseases that vaccines can help prevent.<sup>1</sup> Help make a difference and let your adult patients know that vaccination is an important preventive care measure that can be performed in the pharmacy.<sup>2</sup>

## Be a Part of Improving Adult Vaccination Rates

Despite longstanding recommendations for use of many vaccines, vaccination coverage levels among US adults are not optimal.<sup>3</sup> By engaging with your patients and helping them to understand which vaccines are recommended for them, you can help to improve adult vaccination rates in your community.<sup>3</sup>

## Vaccination Coverage Among Adults in the United States<sup>3</sup>



\*For these vaccines, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention recommendation is based on risk group membership rather than age.

For more information, visit [GSK-VaccINATION.com](http://GSK-VaccINATION.com)

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