

APPOINTMENTS

FOR MORE INFORMATION

	Appointment Date and Time
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1st dose of Hepatitis B vaccine (at birth)	Given at hospital
2nd dose of hepatitis B vaccine (1-2 months)	
3rd dose of hepatitis B vaccine (6 months)	
PVST - Infection Test (9 months)	
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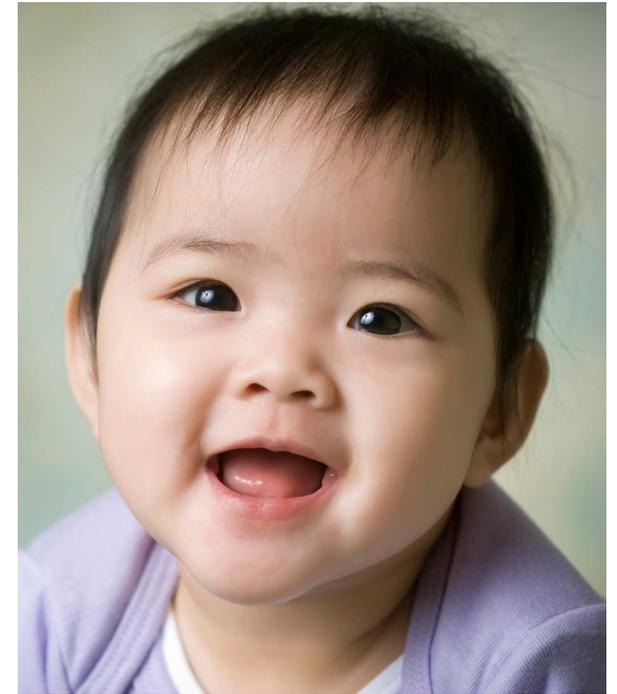
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Contact your local health department



Kansas Perinatal Hepatitis B
Prevention Program Coordinator
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How to Protect Your Newborn From Hepatitis B

For Mothers with Hepatitis B Infection



KANSAS PERINATAL HEPATITIS B PREVENTION PROGRAM

HEPATITIS B FACTS

- Hepatitis B is a serious liver infection that can lead to liver failure and cancer.
- Hepatitis B can easily spread to infants during delivery.
- Breastfeeding is safe for your baby.
- If infected, your baby has a 90% of having a lifelong infection.

There's no cure but **hepatitis B is preventable** by a safe and effective vaccine.

HEPATITIS B VACCINE

- 3 doses given over 6 months.
- Safe and effective even for most premature babies.

PROTECTING YOUR BABY

Your newborn needs extra special care.

Birth	Hepatitis B vaccine Hepatitis B Immunoglobulin (HBIG)
1-2 months	2nd dose of hepatitis B vaccine
6 months	3rd dose of hepatitis B vaccine
9 months	Post-vaccine serological testing (PVST)

HBIG AT BIRTH

Hepatitis B immunoglobulin (HBIG) is medicine that helps your baby's body fight off the virus immediately. Inform your doctor that your baby needs HBIG at birth.

PVST AT 9 MONTHS

Post-vaccine serological testing (PVST) makes sure your child is not infected with hepatitis B and is protected from getting hepatitis B.

- The state program and your local health department provides you with support to help protect your baby from hepatitis B.



Vaccinations at local

health departments and free testing at the state are available.

- Provide reminders of when to vaccinate and test your baby.
- Here to answer any questions or concerns you have for you and your new baby.