

High-Risk Hepatitis B Program for Children <7 years

[Children <7 years old whose families have immigrated from countries of high prevalence for hepatitis B, and who may be exposed to hepatitis B carriers with chronic liver disease including hepatitis C] {Publicly Funded Immunization Schedules for Ontario – January 2009}

Countries with High Prevalence of Hepatitis B $\geq 8 \%$

Albania	Haiti	Saudi Arabia
American Samoa	Hong Kong	Senegal
Angola	Howland Island & Baker Island	Sierra Leone
Armenia	Indonesia	Singapore
Azerbaijan	Jordan	Solomon Islands
Bahrain	Juan De Nova Island	Somalia
Benin	Kazakhstan	South Africa
Bolivia – Northern	Kenya	Spratly Islands
Botswana	Korea, North	Sudan
Brazil – Northern	Korea, South	Swaziland
Brunei	Kuwait	Taiwan
Bulgaria	Kyrgyzstan	Tajikistan
Burkina Faso	Laos	Tanzania
Burma	Lebanon	Thailand
Burundi	Lesotho	Timor-Leste
Cambodia	Liberia	Togo
Cameroon	Macau	Tokelau
Canada - Northern	Madagascar	Tonga
Cape Verde	Malawi	Turkmenistan
Central African Republic	Malaysia	Tuvalu
Chad	Mali	Uganda
China	Mauritania	Uzbekistan
Colombia - Southern	Mauritius	Vanuatu
Comoros	Mayotte	Vietnam
Congo, Democratic Republic	Moldova	Wallis and Futana
Congo, Republic of the	Mongolia	Western Sahara
Cook Island	Mozambique	Zambia
Cote d'Ivoire	Namibia	Zimbabwe
Djibouti	Nauru	
Dominican Republic	New Caledonia	
Equatorial Guinea	Niger	
Eritrea	Nigeria	
Ethiopia	Niue	
Fiji	Papua New Guinea	
French Polynesia	Paracel Islands	
Gabon	Peru - Southern	
Gambia, The	Philippines	
Georgia	Pitcairn Islands	
Ghana	Qatar	
Glorioso Island	Reunion	
Greenland - Southern	Rwanda	
Guam	Samoa	
Guinea	Sao Tome and Principe	
Guinea-Bissau		

Reference: <http://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/yellowbook/2010/chapter-2/hepatitis-b.aspx>