



# WORLD IMMUNIZATION WEEK

24 - 30 April 2022

Vaccinations recommended as per Department of Health expanded programme on immunisation – EPI (SA) revised childhood immunisation schedule from December 2015.<sup>4</sup> This is not an exhaustive list of milestones and not all infants reach milestones at exactly the age specified.

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