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Table of Immunizations Immunisations

These changes apply to all of the Tissues & Cells Donor Selection Guidelines.

Please amend the following entries.

- Bone Marrow & Peripheral Blood Stem Cell, Cord Blood, Live tissue donors: Appendix 3
- Deceased Donors: Appendix 4

Anthrax	Rarely given available only through Public Health England.	Non-Live
Cholera	Oral vaccine. Dukoral®	Non-Live
COVID-19 (SARS-CoV-2)	All COVID-19 vaccines licenced in the UK are Non-Live. These include: Pfizer/BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine, AstraZeneca COVID-19 vaccine, Moderna COVID-19 vaccine; Janssen Ad26.COV2-S; -Novavax (Nuvaxovid®); COVID-19 Vaccine Valneva: see 'Coronavirus vaccination' entry	Non-Live
HiB	Haemophilus influenza, Menitorex®	Non-Live
Hepatitis A	May be combined with typhoid or hepatitis B. Hepatis A only: Vaqta®, Avaxim®, Havrix® Combined with typhoid: Viatim® Combined with hepatits B: Epaxal®, Ambirix®, Twinrix®, Hapatyrix®, Viatim®-	Non-Live
Hepatitis B	May be combined with hepatitis A If unexposed and more than 7 days from last immunization, accept. See: Hepatitis B – Immunisation Engerix®, Fendrix®, HBvaxPRO®, Ambirix®, Twinrix®	Non-Live
HPV	Usually given to teenage girls, Cervarix®, Gardasil®	Non-Live
Influenza-intra-nasal	<u>Live vaccine given by intra-nasal spray, age 2-18</u> Fluenz <u>Tetra®</u> to age 18	Live
Influenza, injection	Injection-annual flu jab, given by injection Several preparations, updated annually. Agrippal®, Enzira®, Fluarix®, Fluvirin®, Imuvac®, Influvac®, Intanza® Optaflu®, Pandemrix®—	Non-Live

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Japanese Encephalitis	Travel. Ixiaro®	Non-Live
Measles, Mumps, Rubella	MMR vaccines. M-M-RvaxPro®, Priorix®	Live
Meningitis	Meningococcal group C:, NeisVac-C®, Menjugate Kit® Meningococcal group B: Bexsero®, Trumenba® MenACWY Quadrivalent vaccine: Menveo®, Nimenrix®, MenQuadfi® Combined with H. influenzae type b (Hib): Menitorix® and the Quadrivalent ACWY immunization may also be given in combination with HiB. Meningitec®, Menjugate Kit®, NeisVac-C®, Bexsero®, Menveo®, Nimenrix®	Non-Live
<u>Monkeypox</u>	During the 2022 Monkeypox outbreaks, contacts of Monkeypox cases may receive Imvanex, a live attenuated non-replicating Smallpox vaccine. For donor selection purposes this should be assessed as a non-live vaccine. See DSG entry for Monkeypox	
Pertussis	Usually pregnant women, Boostrix-IPV®, Repavax®	Non-Live
Pneumococcal disease	Given to people with specific risks-e.g Asplenic. for example, people who have had a splenectomy or And over 65s Pneumovax 23H®	Non-Live
Polio <u>, injected</u>	Would usually be given Diphtheria, Tetanus and Polio (injection). Boostrix-IPV®, Revaxis®, Repevax®	Non-Live
Polio, oral	Not in routine use in UK. May be used abroad	<u>Live</u>
Rabies	Travel or post-bite. Given to non-exposed individuals if occupation or activity has an exposure risk, or for some travellers to endemic areas: Rabipur®, Verorab®	Non-Live
Shingles	Routine immunization for older people. Zostavax®There are two vaccines available to prevent shingles: Zostavax® and Shingrix®.(See below). Ensure the correct guidance is applied depending on the vaccine given. If vaccine name not certain, treat as a Live vaccine	Live
	Zostavax® for shingles prevention	<u>Live</u>
	Shingrix® for shingles prevention	Non-Live
Smallpox	Rarely given, see: Smallpox ImmunizationNote this live vaccine requires an 8 week deferral If given, see DSG entry for Smallpox Immunization. See Monkeypox (above)	Live
Tetanus	Would usually be given Diphtheria, Tetanus and Polio. Revaxis® <u>Boostrix-IPV®</u> , <u>Repevax®</u>	Non-Live
Tick-borne encephalitis	Tico-vac®	Non-Live
Tuberculosis	BCG vaccine	Live
Typhoid - injected	Typherix®, Typhim Vi® Combined with hepatitis A: Viatim®	Non-Live

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Typhoid - Oral	Given in capsule form Vivotif®	Live
Varicella (chickenpox)	Usually given to Mainly healthcare workers. Varilrix®, Varivax®,	Live
Yellow Fever	Stamaril [®]	Live

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