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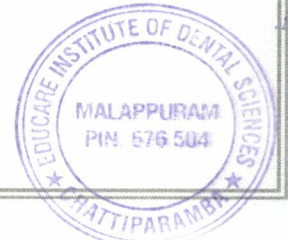
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IMMUNIZATION POLICY FOR STUDENTS, TEACHERS AND OTHER CARE GIVERS

HEPATITIS B:

Three-Dose Hepatitis B Vaccine Schedule of Administration

The hepatitis B vaccine as a three-dose series on a 0, 1, and 6-month schedule.

- 1st Shot – The day of vaccination
- 2nd Shot - At least one month (or 28 days) after the 1st shot
- 3rd Shot -. 6 months after first injection

Rule to remember the minimum time in between shots in the series:

- Dose 1 and dose 2 should be separated by at least one month (4 weeks or 28 days)
- There should be at least 2 months (8 weeks) between doses 2 and 3, and at least 4 months between doses 1 and 2. (16 weeks).

What happens if there are no immunization records and it is unknown whether a person has ever received shots 1 or 2? The HBV vaccine series can be repeated without risk; one must begin the series with shot 1. An individual who does not produce protective surface antibodies after receiving the complete course of the hepatitis B vaccine and for whom an acute or chronic hepatitis B infection has been ruled out is referred to as a "non-responder" to the vaccine.

An estimated 5-15% of people who receive the hepatitis B vaccine may not respond, despite the fact that the majority of people do. Another possibility for someone who does not respond to the immunization is because they already have hepatitis B. Therefore, it is advised to perform testing for the hepatitis B virus (also known as HBsAg or hepatitis B surface antigen) before labelling a person as a "vaccine non-responder."





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Covid 19: All faculty students and assistants are encouraged to be up to date with their COVID vaccine. College will provide timely notification about availability of COVID vaccine in coordination with the local PHC's.

A Vaccination record of all the faculty and students will be maintained in the institution, for referral and follow.

