



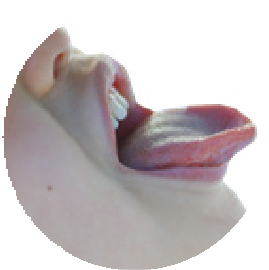
# Getting more than 1 vaccine at a time



This information is about when your child gets more than 1 **vaccine** at a time.



**Vaccines** are medicines that can help stop children getting sick.



Children get the vaccine

* With a needle in their arm or leg
* Or drops in their mouth.

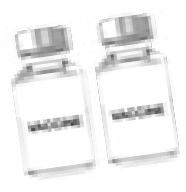
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Most of the time children get vaccines from a



* Doctor
* Nurse
* Health worker.

Sometimes your child might get more than 1 vaccine at a time.



This might be if there is more than 1 vaccine your child needs at their age.

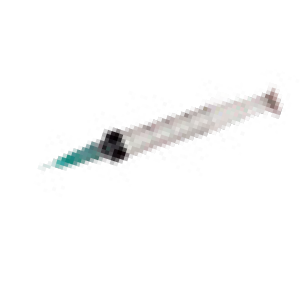
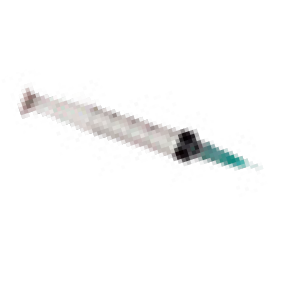
There are different ways children can get more than 1 vaccine at a time.



Your child might get 2 or more vaccines in 1 needle.



Or your child might get 2 or more vaccines in different needles at the same time.



# Getting more than 1 vaccine is safe



You might worry if it is safe for your child to get more than 1 vaccine at the same time.

It is safe for a child to have more than 1 vaccine at the same time.



This is because their **immune system** is very strong.



An **immune system** is the part of the body that keeps them from getting very sick.

# Good things about getting more than 1 vaccine at a time



There are good things about having more than 1 vaccine at the same time.

It means the vaccines will make your childs immune system stronger.



It means children can stay safe from many different **diseases**.



**Diseases** are things your body gets that make you sick.

It also means they do not have to go the doctor as much.



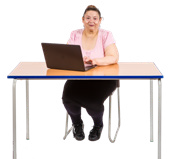
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