

## Diabetes Mellitus

Recommended vaccines for individuals with diabetes <sup>A</sup>	
All routine vaccines	Immunize according to routine schedule.
Pneumococcal vaccine	Polysaccharide and/or conjugate vaccine depending on age.
Influenza vaccine	Immunize yearly (all those 6 months of age and older).

Individuals with diabetes mellitus are at high risk of influenza related complications, including pneumonia. In addition, individuals with longstanding diabetes mellitus often have complications such as cardiovascular, renal, and other end-organ dysfunction. For these reasons, pneumococcal and annual influenza immunizations are recommended.

<sup>A</sup> For specific vaccine schedule information, refer to [Part 4 - Biological Products](#).