

Forum on immunizing in schools

Introduction and overview



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A STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK FOR IMMUNIZATION IN B.C.



Routine childhood immunization schedule, BC 2008

Age	Vaccine(s)
2 mo	DPT-Polio/Hib, PCV7, MenC, Hepatitis B
4 mo	DPT-Polio/Hib, PCV7, Hepatitis B
6 mo	DPT-Polio/Hib, Hepatitis B Influenza (2 doses, to 23 mos only)
12 mo	MMR, PCV7, MenC, Varicella
18 mo	DPT-Polio/Hib, PCV7, MMR
4-6 years/ Kindergarten	DPT-Polio, Varicella
11 years/ Grade 6	Hepatitis Bx2, MenC, Varicella, HPVx3
14-16 years/ Grade 9	dTaP, HPVx3

School-based immunization - BC

Grade 6/ 9 for:

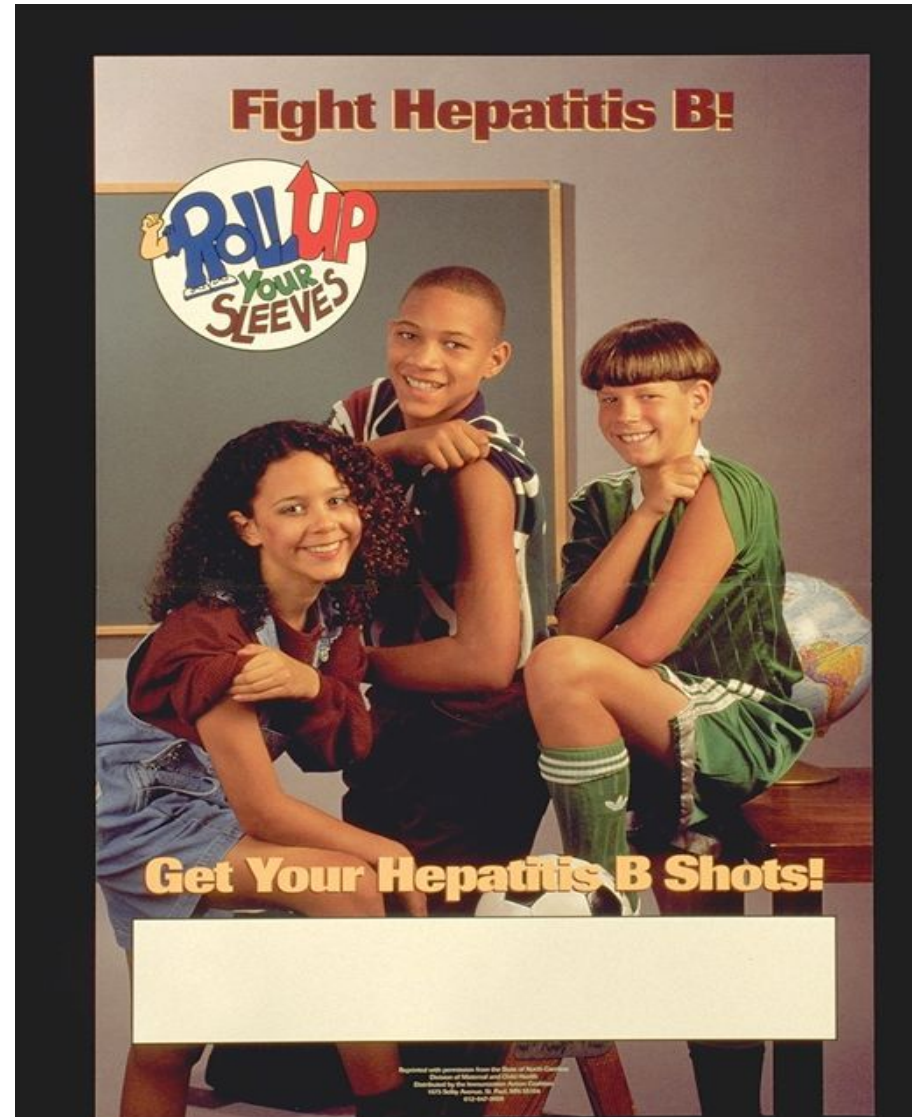
hepatitis B: two dose series

meningococcal C vaccine: 1 dose

varicella: 1 dose, for susceptibles (~20%)

Tdap: 1 dose

HPV: 3 doses







Marilyn Dahl, P.H.N., vaccinates a school child for smallpox — Saanich 1970



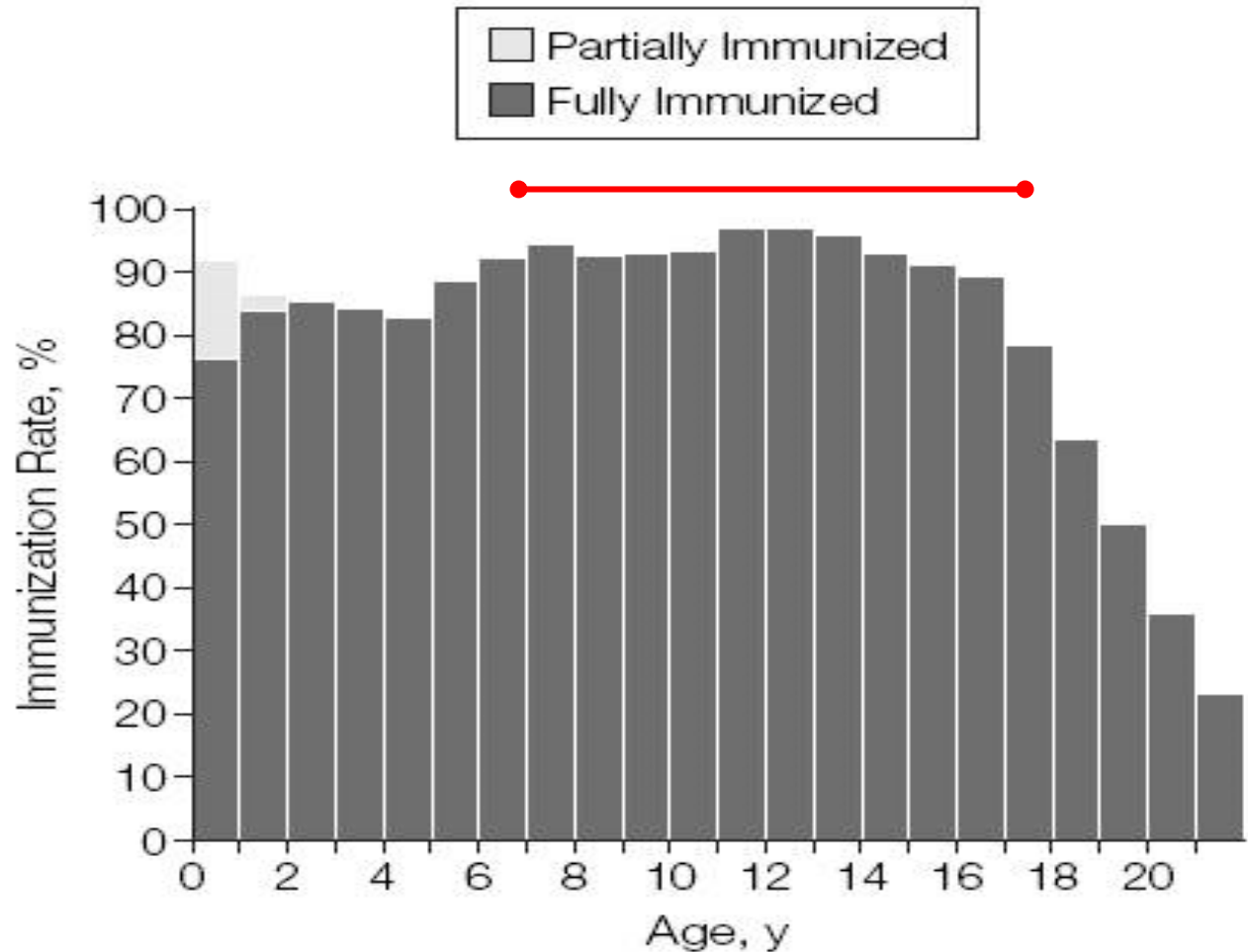
Children wait their turn for immunization at Marysville School, Feb. 1950.

Meningococcal C conjugate campaign Quebec 2001

Figure 1. Immunization Coverage of Target Population

Targeted:

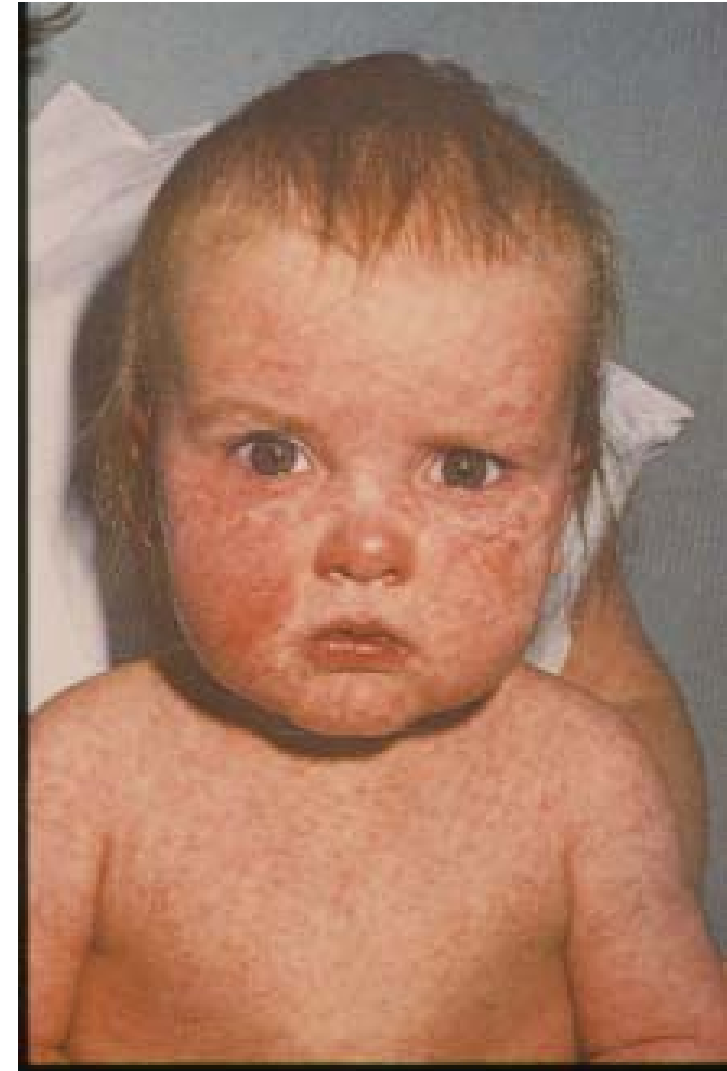
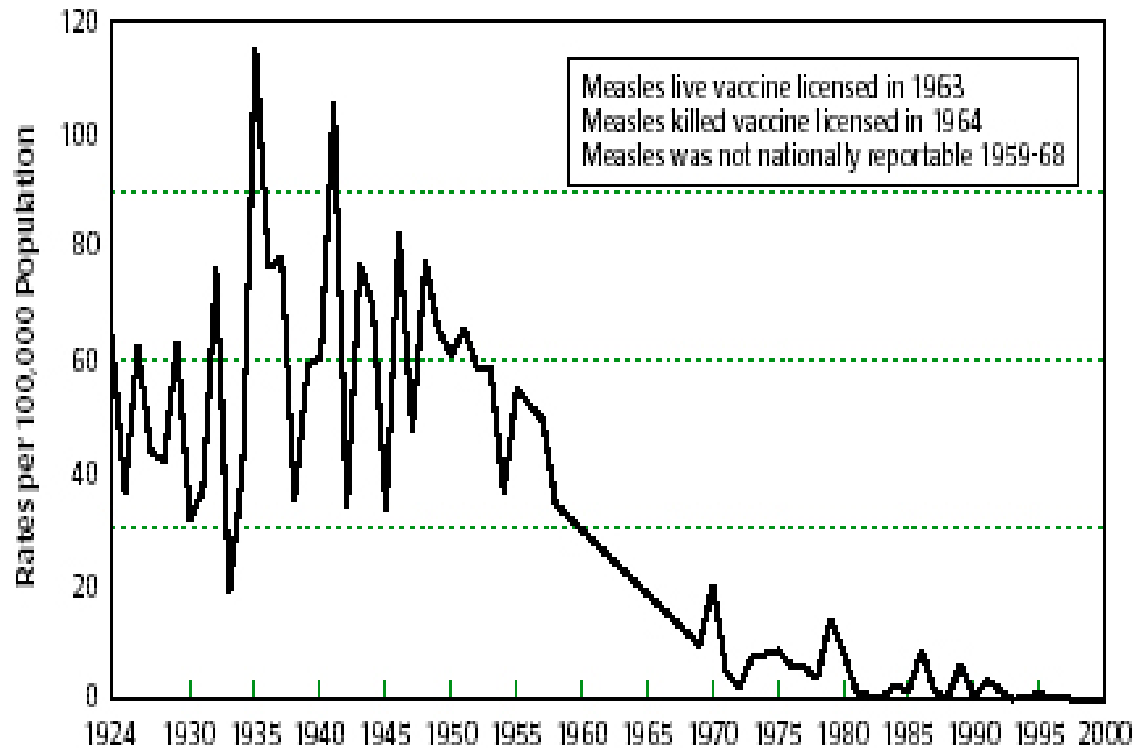
2 mo – 20 yo



Source: De Wals P et al. JAMA 2004;292(20):2491-4

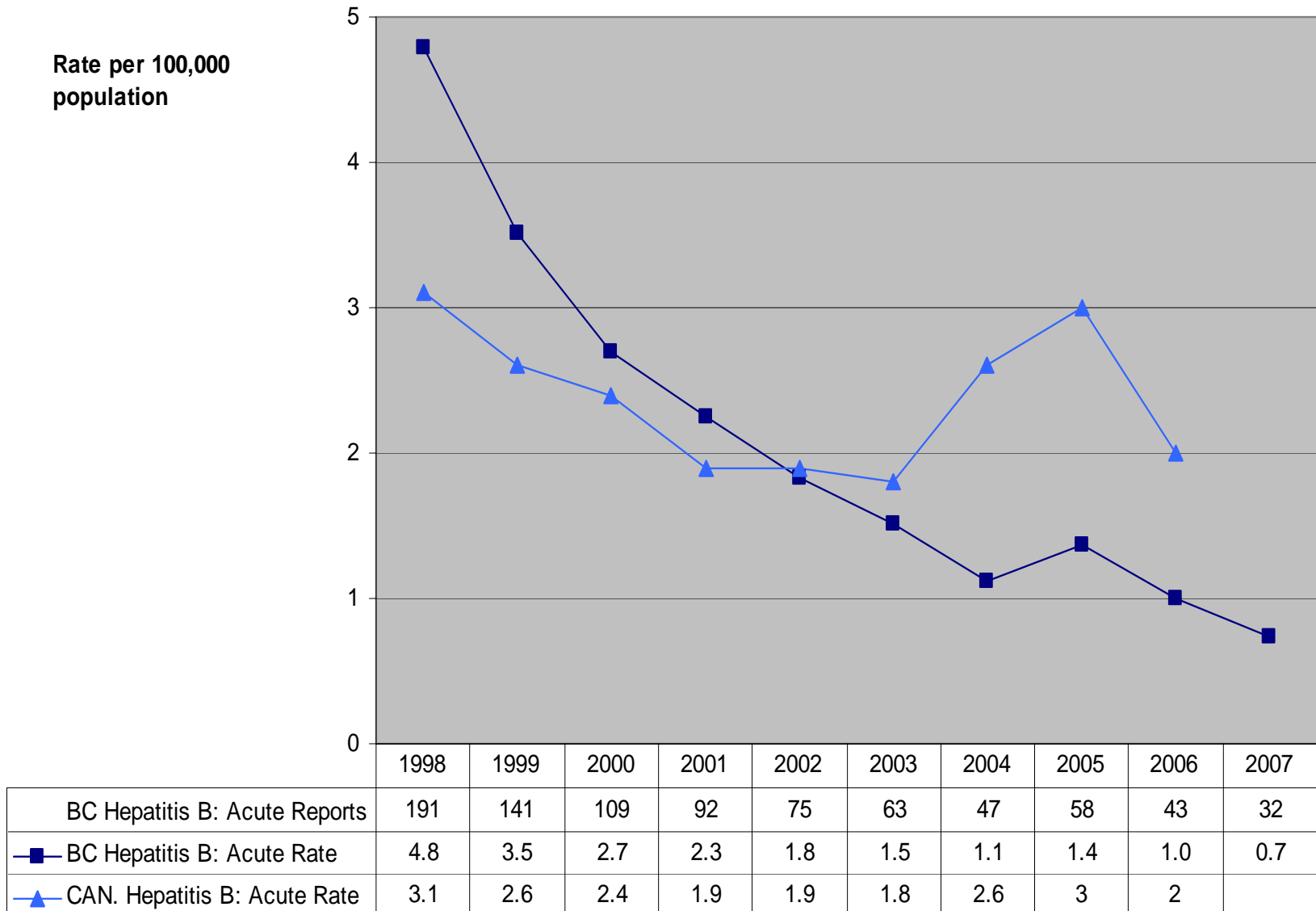
Measles Elimination in Canada in 1996

Measles – Reported Cases, Canada, 1979-2000



Measles in a 1 year old

Acute Hepatitis B - Reported Cases 1998-2007



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FROM THE DANGERS YOU CAN SEE.

What about the ones you can't?



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