Tetanus-Diphtheria-Inactivated Poliomyelitis Adsorbed (Td/IPV)
Td Polio Adsorbed Supplier: Sanofi Pasteur Limited

**INDICATIONS:**

- Unimmunized or incompletely immunized adults 18 years of age and older, when polio vaccine is indicated.
- Select special populations as indicated in Part 2 – Immunization of Special Populations.

**DOSES AND SCHEDULE:**

**Adults 18 years of age and older:**

- Unimmunized or incompletely immunized adults completing a 3-dose series:
  - First dose given as Tdap-IPV, followed by 2 doses of Td/IPV given as:
    - Dose 1: 0.5 mL IM
    - Dose 2: 0.5 mL IM 4-8 weeks after 1st dose
    - Dose 3: 0.5 mL IM 6-12 months after 2nd dose

**ADMINISTRATION:**

No additional requirements.

**BOOSTER DOSES:**

A single dose of IPV (10 years after the primary series) may be considered for those persons at higher risk of exposure to wild polioviruses. This can be given as Td/IPV if appropriate. See Part 4 – Biological Products, Polio Vaccine (Inactivated) for indications.

**SEROLOGICAL TESTING:**

Serological testing is not recommended before or after immunization.

**CONTRAINDICATIONS:**

1. History of anaphylactic reaction to a previous dose of any tetanus, diphtheria, or polio-containing vaccine or to any component of Td/IPV.
2. History of Guillain-Barré Syndrome (GBS) within 8 weeks of receipt of a tetanus-containing vaccine without another cause being identified.

**PRODUCT COMPONENTS:**


**PRECAUTIONS:**

Not applicable.

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**Footnote:**

A Routine immunization against polio of adults living in Canada is not considered necessary. However, primary immunization with polio vaccine is recommended for certain categories of adults (see Part 4 – Biological Products, Polio Vaccine (Inactivated) for indications).
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SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS:  
Not applicable.

ADVERSE EVENTS:  
Local: pain, redness, swelling.  
Systemic: headache, malaise, dizziness.