



***The Expanded Program On  
Immunization  
(EPI)***

# Immunization

**Immunization is the a process where by a person is made immune or resistant to an infection, typically by administration of vaccines**

**Immunization is a proven tool for controlling and elimination life-threatening infectious**

- disease**

# ***The Expanded Program Of Immunization (EPI)***

The Expanded Programme on Immunization (EPI) was established in 1974 through a World Health Assembly resolution **to** build on the success of the global smallpox eradication programme, and to ensure that all children in all countries benefited from life-saving vaccines

## ■ Objectives

The expanded immunization program, the who's initiative to improve immunization coverage, focuses on the following four items:4

- Standardizing immunization schedules
- Promoting safe injection technologies
- Improving the stocking and availability of vaccines
- Protecting vaccines' potency through cold chain management
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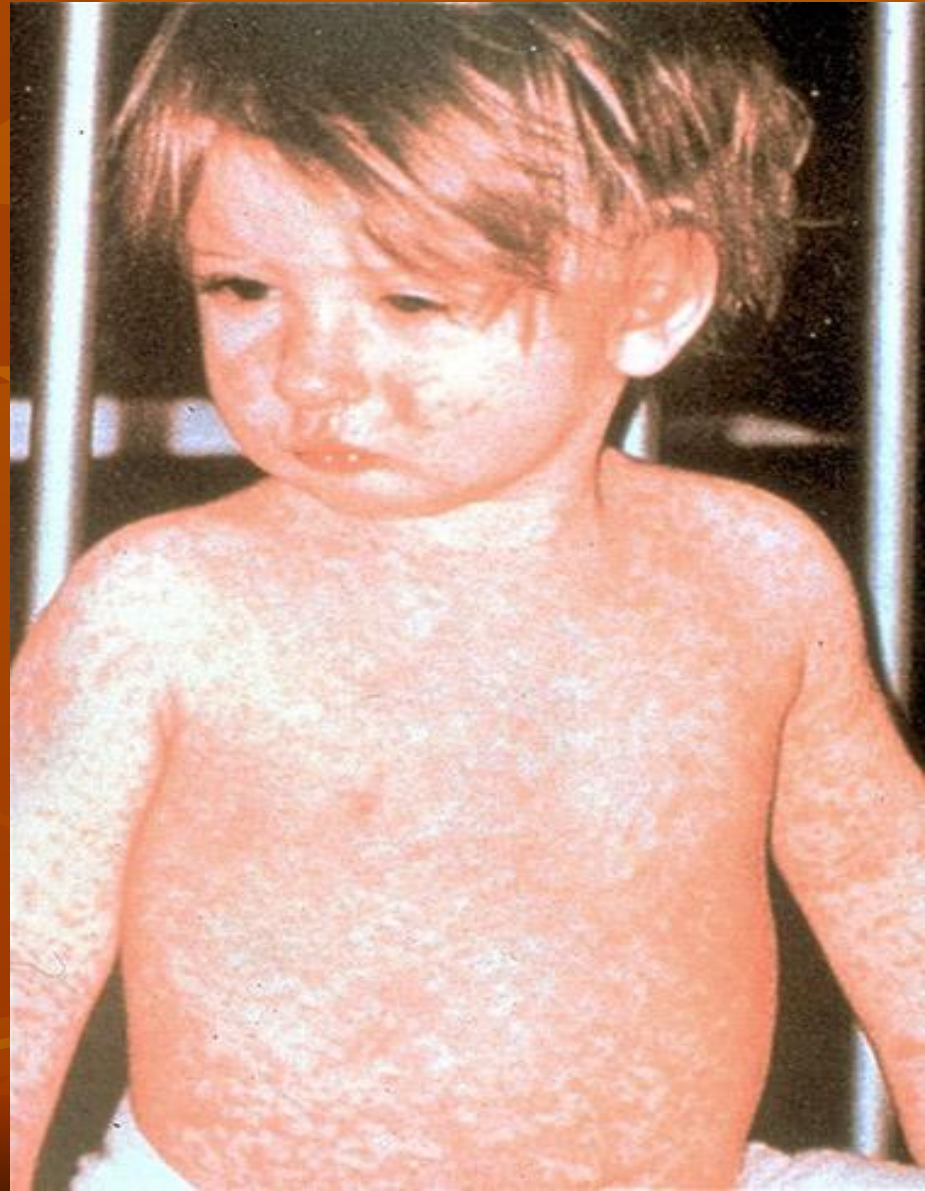
# *The objectives of EPI:*

1. To increase coverage of immunization for eligible children.
2. To reduce the incidence of immunizable diseases among children below five years of age.

*Eradication of polio to maintain polio free status.*

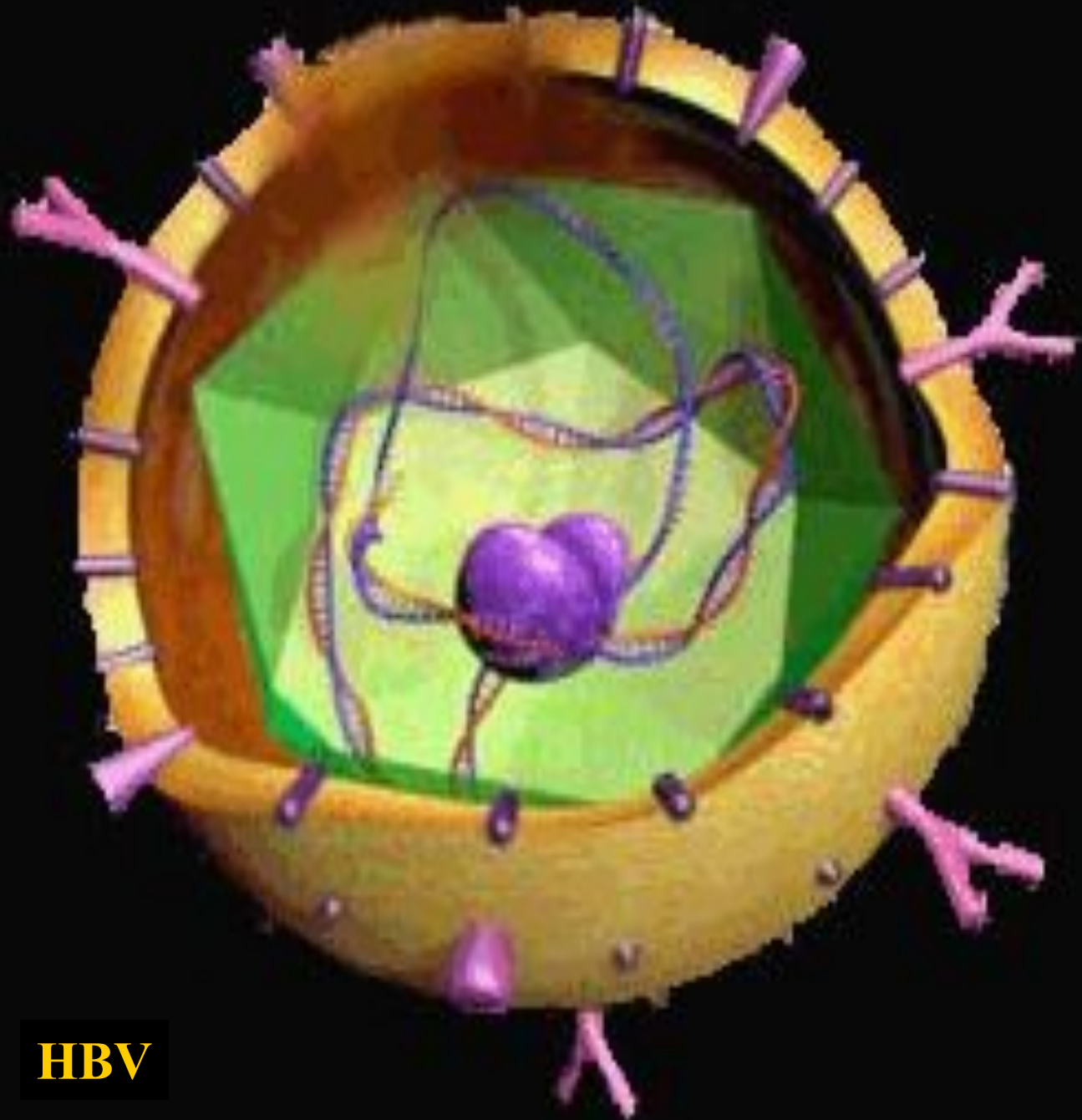


*Elimination of measles.*



*Reduce Incidence of  
hepatitis B*

*among under five.*



**HBV**



# *Elimination of Neonatal Tetanus .*



*Maintain zero level of diphtheria.*



*Prevention of severe forms of TB ( TB meningitis & military TB).*



12 year old girl with TB meningitis



reduce the incidence of whooping cough



**Reduce the incidence of Bacteria Meningitis due to  
haemophilus influenza**

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3. Promoting safe injection techniques
4. Improve the stocking and availability of vaccines
5. Protecting vaccine potency through cold chain management
6. To prepare for introduction of new vaccines



# The immune system

**Immunity:** Ability of an organism to recognize and defend itself against *specific* pathogens or .antigens

**Immune Response:** Involves production of antibodies and generation of specialized .lymphocytes against specific antigens

**Antigen:** Molecules from a pathogen or foreign organism that provoke a specific immune .response

## **-:Types of Immunity**

- **Innate or natural Immunity:**

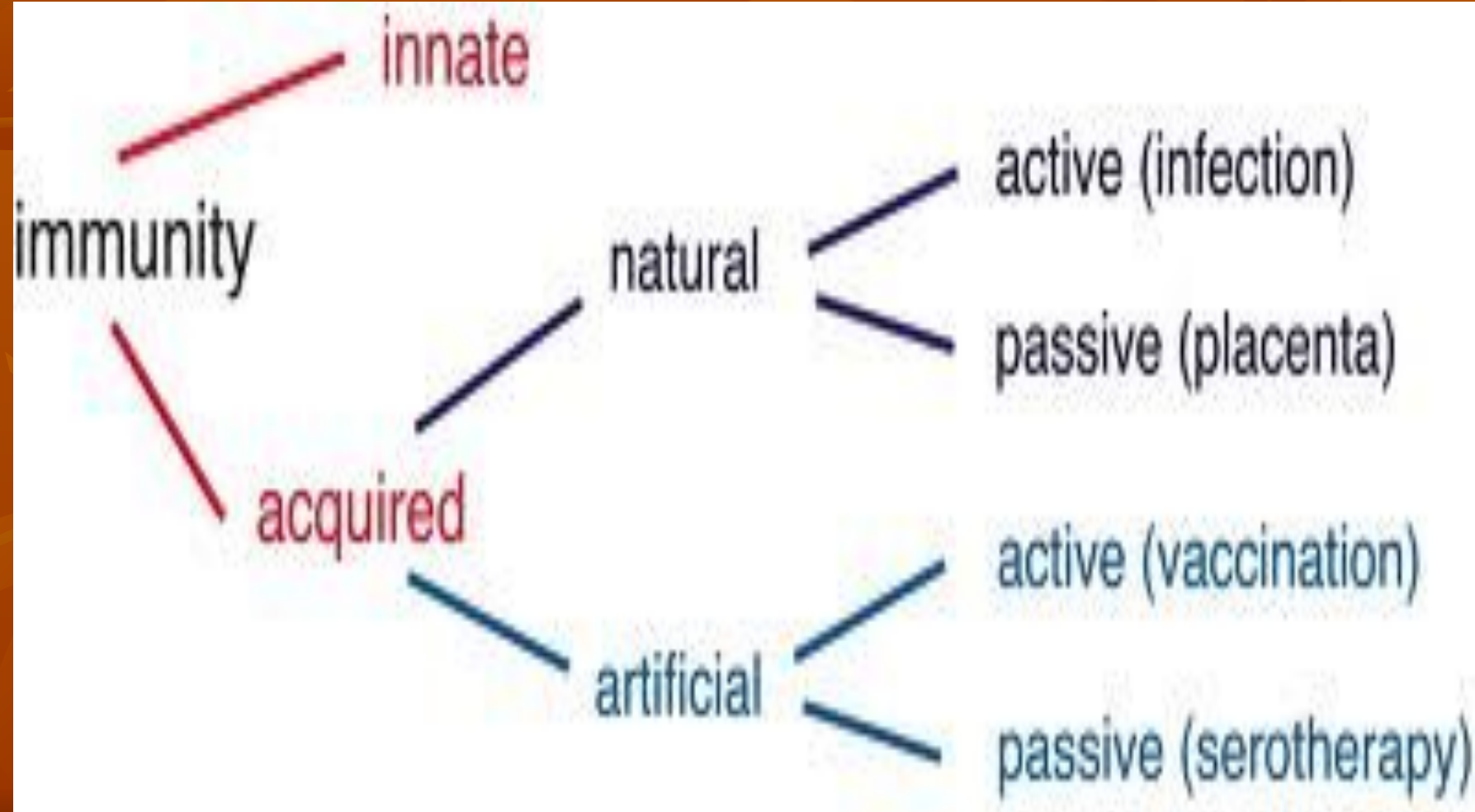
- **.Immunity an organism is born with**

- **Acquired Immunity:**

- **.Immunity that an organism *develops* during lifetime**

- **.May be acquired naturally or artificially**





# Types of Acquired Immunity

I. Naturally Acquired Immunity: Obtained in the course of daily life

-:Two types

:A. Naturally Acquired Active Immunity

.*Antigens* or pathogens enter body naturally

.Body generates an immune response to antigens

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# Types of Acquired Immunity

## :B. Naturally Acquired Passive Immunity

*Antibodies* pass from mother to fetus via placenta or  
. breast feeding

.No immune response to antigens

.Immunity is usually **short-lived** (weeks to months)

.Protection until child's immune system develops

## Types of Acquired Immunity (Continued)

**II. Artificially Acquired Immunity: Obtained by receiving a vaccine or antibodies**

**:Artificially Acquired Active Immunity .1**

**.Antigens are introduced in vaccines (**immunization**)**

**.Body generates an immune response to antigens**

# Types of Acquired Immunity (Continued)

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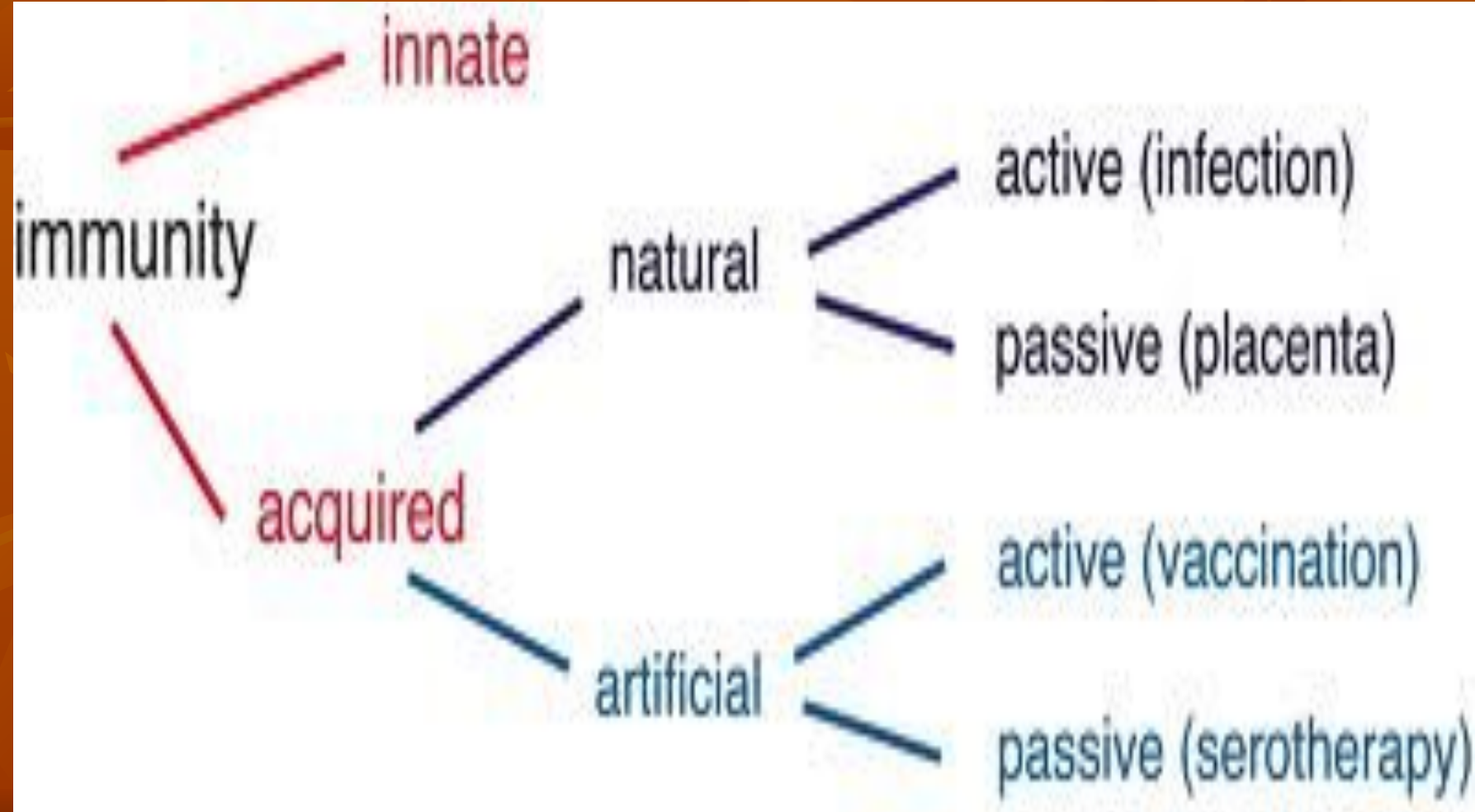
## **:Artificially Acquired Passive Immunity .2**

**.Antibodies are introduced into body by injection**

**.Snake antivenom injection from horses or rabbits**

**.Immunity is short lived (half life three weeks)**

**.Host immune system does not respond to antigens**



## Active immunity



Naturally acquired



Artificially acquired

## Passive immunity



Naturally acquired



Artificially acquired

# ?What is a Vaccine

- A vaccine is a non-pathogenic antigen that mimics a particular pathogen in order to elicit an immune response as if that actual pathogen were in the body.



# Types of vaccines

## 1. Live, Attenuated Vaccines

- Viral such as measles, mumps, rubella, oral polio and rota virus
- Bacterial such as BCG

## 2. Inactivated Vaccines

# Types of vaccines

## 2. Inactivated Vaccines

### A. Whole cell vaccine

-Viral

-Bacterial

### B. Fractional

#### 1-Protein based

Toxoid

Subunit

#### 2-Polysaccharide based

Pure

conjugate

# Types of vaccines

## 2. Inactivated Vaccines

### A. Whole cell vaccine

- Viral such as Hepatitis A, polio and rabies
- Bacterial such as Pertussis

# Types of vaccines

## 2. Inactivated Vaccines

### A. Whole cell vaccine

-Viral

-Bacterial

### B. Fractional

#### 1-Protein based

Toxoid such as diphtheria, tetanus

Subunit such as hepatitis B

#### 2-Polysaccharide based

Pure such as pneumococcal and meningococcal vaccines

conjugate such as Haemophilus influenzae type B vaccine.

	<b>Attenuated vaccine</b>	<b>Inactivated Vaccines</b>
<b>Vaccine dose</b>	<b>Low</b>	<b>High</b>
<b>Antibody persistence</b>	<b>Long</b>	<b>Short</b>
<b>Booster needed</b>	<b>Infrequently</b>	<b>Frequently</b>

# Types of vaccines

## 1. Live, Attenuated Vaccines

Live, attenuated vaccines contain a version of the living microbe that has been weakened in the lab so it can't .cause disease

They elicit strong immune system response and often confer .lifelong immunity with only one or two doses

# Types of vaccines

## Live, Attenuated Vaccines

- live, attenuated vaccines usually need to be **refrigerated** to stay potent.
- Live, attenuated vaccines are relatively **easy to create for certain viruses**. Viruses are simple microbes containing a small number of genes,
- Live, attenuated vaccines are more **difficult to create for bacteria**. Bacteria have thousands of genes and thus are much harder to
- people who have damaged or weakened immune systems, such as people who undergone chemotherapy or **have HIV, can not be given live vaccines.**

# Types of vaccines

## Inactivated Vaccines

- Scientists produce inactivated vaccines by killing the disease-causing microbe with chemicals, heat, or radiation.
- Inactivated vaccines usually **don't require refrigeration**, and they can be easily stored and transported in a freeze-dried form, which makes them accessible to people in developing countries.



# Types of vaccines

## Inactivated Vaccines

- Most inactivated vaccines, however, stimulate a weaker immune system response than do live vaccines.
- So it would likely take several additional doses, or booster shots, to maintain a person's immunity.

# Types of vaccines

## Protein based

### Subunit Vaccines

Instead of the entire microbe, subunit vaccines include  
.only the antigens that best stimulate the immune system

This make the chances of **adverse reactions** to the vaccine  
.are lower

# Types of vaccines

:subunit vaccines can be made in one of two ways

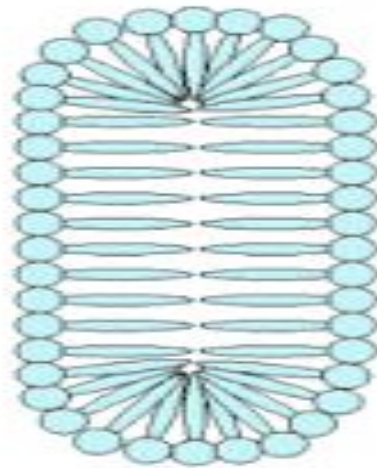
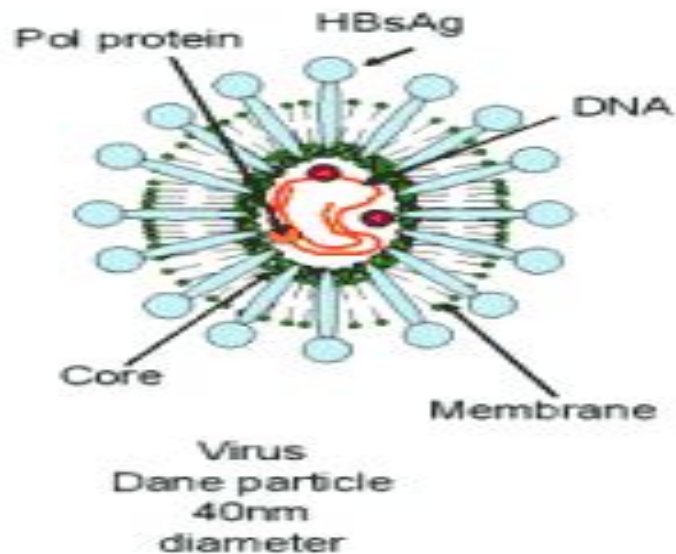
1. They can **grow the microbe** in the laboratory and then use **chemicals to break it apart** and gather the important antigens.

2. They can **manufacture the antigen** molecules from the microbe.  
using **recombinant DNA technology**

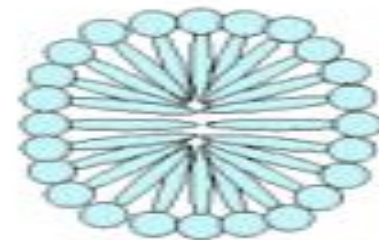
Vaccines produced this way are called “recombinant subunit vaccines.” such as hepatitis B virus vaccine

# Types of vaccines

Scientists inserted hepatitis B genes that code for important antigens into common baker's yeast. The yeast then produced the antigens, which the scientists collected use in the vaccine



Filamentous particle  
Up to 200nm long



Spherical particle  
~20nm diameter

# Types of vaccines

## Protein based Vaccines

### Toxoid Vaccines

These vaccines are used when a bacterial toxin is the main cause of illness

Toxins are inactivate by treating them with **formalin**

Vaccines against diphtheria and tetanus are examples of toxoid vaccines

# Types of vaccines

**Pure polysaccharides. Vaccines**

Some bacterium possess an outer coating of sugar molecules called .polysaccharides

vaccine is made up of long chain of sugar molecules

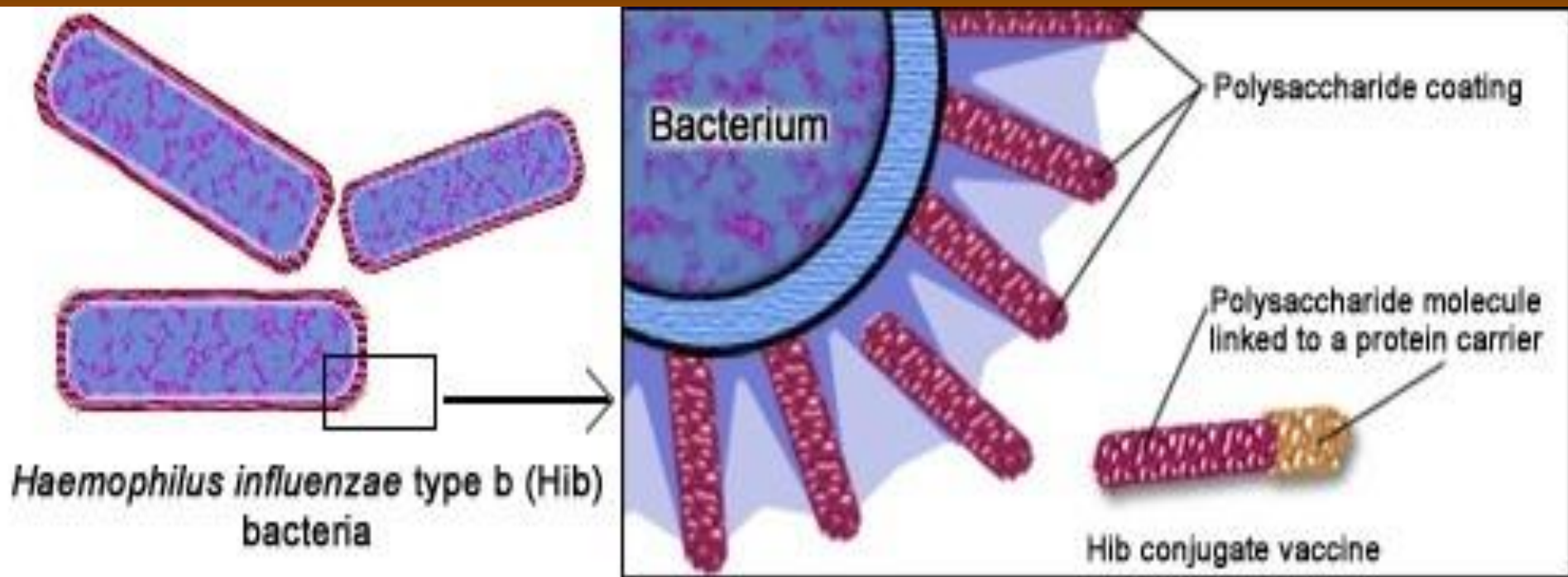
**infant's immune system can not recognize to the polysaccharides.**

# Types of vaccines

## Conjugate Vaccines

Some bacterium possess an outer coating of sugar molecules called .polysaccharides

When making a conjugate vaccine, scientists link antigens or toxoids from a microbe that an **infant's immune system can recognize to the .polysaccharides**



- The vaccine that protects against *Haemophilus influenzae* type B (Hib) is a conjugate vaccine.
- It is made by joining a piece of the polysaccharide capsule that surrounds the Hib bacterium to a protein carrier.
- This joining process is called conjugation.



# IMMUNIZATION SCHEDULE IN SUDAN

## Under one year

Vaccine	SCHEDULE
BCG	At birth
OPV0	At birth
Pentavalente 1 (DPT + HB + H),OPV1	6 weeks
, Pentavalente DPT + HB + Hib) ,OPV2	10 weeks
Pentavalente (DPT + HB + Hib),OPV3	14 weeks
Measles	Nine month

وزارة الصحة الاتحادية  
برنامج التحصين الموسع

## كرت التطعيم

الرقم المتسلسل: .....

الولاية: .....

المحلية: .....

اسم المؤسسة الصحية: .....

نوع المؤسسة الصحية:

ثابت  فرعي  جوال

اسم الطفل: .....

النوع:  ذكر  انثى

تاريخ اول زيارة: .....

عمر الطفل: .....

تاريخ الميلاد: .....

المسكن: .....

تلفون المركز / الفني إن وجد: .....

### تطعيمات الطفل:

العمر	نوع اللقاح	الجرعة	تاريخ الجرعة
		التهاب الكبد (ب) الصغيرة	
		التهب من جن (السل)	
	شل الأطفال	الجرعة الصغيرة	
		الأولى	
		الثانية	
	الجداس	الأولى	
		الثانية	
		الثالثة	
	الروتا	الأولى	
		الثانية	
	الحمية	الأولى	
		الثانية	

**لقاح التهاب الكبد الفيروسي (ب) (التهاب الكبد):** يجب إعطاء الجرعة الصغيرة خلال 2-3 أسابيع الأولى من ولادة الطفل وعلى أسبوع فقط.

**لقاح الشلل:** تُعطى جرعة شلل صغيرة منذ الولادة حتى السنتين فقط.












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### مواعيد الجرعات التالية:

نوع الجرعة	التاريخ

هذا الكرت وثيقة هامة يجب الحفاظ عليها

### جدول تطعيمات الأطفال:

العمر	العمر	عند الولادة	6 أسابيع	10 أسابيع	14 أسبوع	9 شهور	18 شهر
التهاب الكبد (ب) الصغيرة							
السل جرعة واحدة							
الشلل 3 جرعات							
الجداسي 3 جرعات							
الروتا جرعتان							
الحمية جرعتان							

عزيزتي الأم:

- شكرا لك لزيارتك للمركز ومرصتك على تطعيم أطفالك.
- راجعي مع العامل الصحي مواعيد ونوع ومكان الجرعات القادمة.
- احرصي على إكمال الجرعات المقررة لك ولطفلك.
- تعرّفي على الآثار الجانبية المحتملة وكيفية التعامل معها.
- احرصي على الاحتفاظ بالكرت واحضاره عند كل زيارة لك أو لطفلك.

# IMMUNIZATION SCHEDULE IN SUDAN

## Women in Child bearing age

<b>DOSE</b>	<b>SCHEDULE</b>
<b>TT1</b>	<b>Any time at first contact or as early as possible during pregnancy</b>
<b>TT2</b>	<b>One month after the first visit(TT1)</b>
<b>TT3</b>	<b>Six months after TT2 or during subsequent pregnancy</b>
<b>TT4</b>	<b>One year after TT3or during subsequent pregnancy</b>
<b>TT5</b>	<b>One year after TT4or during subsequent pregnancy</b>



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### جدول تطعيمات التتanos

#### للنساء في عمر الإنجاب

(١٥-٤٩ سنة)

الرقم التسلسلي: .....

الولاية: .....

المحلية: .....

اسم المؤسسة الصحية: .....

نوع المؤسسة الصحية:

ثابت  فرعى  جوال

اسم المستفيد: .....

العمر: .....

عنوان السكن: .....

حامل  غير حامل

تلفون المركز / الفنى إن وجد .....

التاريخ	جرعات التطعيم
	الاولى اساسية
	الثانية اساسية
	منشطة اولى
	منشطة ثانية
	منشطة ثالثة

مواعيد الجرعات القادمة :

الجرعة	الجرعة	الجرعة	الجرعة
الثانية	الثالثة	الرابعة	الخامسة

جدول تطعيمات التتanos للنساء في عمر الإنجاب :

الجرعة	وقت التطعيم
الاولى (اساسية)	للحوامل عند أول زيارة لموقع التطعيم بعد معرفة الحمل، للفتيات في أقرب وقت عند إكمال عمر ١٥ سنة (بمفردها لاتعطي حماية)
الثانية (اساسية)	بعد شهر علي الاقل من الجرعة الاولى (تعطي حماية لمدة ثلاث سنوات)
الثالثة (منشطة)	بعد ٦ أشهر علي الاقل من الجرعة الثانية (تعطي حماية لمدة خمس سنوات)
الرابعة (منشطة)	بعد سنة علي الاقل من الجرعة الثالثة (تعطي حماية لمدة عشر سنوات)
الخامسة (منشطة)	بعد سنة علي الاقل من الجرعة الرابعة (تعطي حماية مدي الحياة)

(احرصي علي إكمال جميع الجرعات)

(التطعيم مجانا بكل الوحدات الصحية)



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	<b>Diseases</b>	<b>Type of vaccine</b>	<b>Dose</b>	<b>Rout of administration</b>
<b>BCG-1</b>	<b>TB</b>	<b>Live attenuated, variant</b>	<b>0.05ml</b>	<b>ID injection in left forearm</b>
<b>HBV-2</b>	<b>Hepatitis B</b>	<b>Recombinant, yeast derived HBs antigen</b>	<b>ml 0.5</b>	<b>IM thigh</b>

	<b>Diseases</b>	<b>Type of vaccine</b>	<b>Dose</b>	<b>Rout of administration</b>
<b>3-OPV</b>	<b>Polio</b>	<b>Live attenuated</b>	<b>2 drops</b>	<b>oral</b>

# Pentavalent Vaccine

	<b>Diseases</b>	<b>Type of vaccine</b>	<b>Dose</b>	<b>Rout of administration</b>
<b>HiB</b>	<b>Hib disease</b>	<b>polysaccharide conjugate</b>	<b>0.5 ml</b>	<b>IM thigh</b>
<b>HBV</b>	<b>Hepatitis B</b>	<b>Recombinant, yeast derived HBs antigen</b>		
<b>DPT</b>	<b>Diphtheria Tetanus Whooping cough</b>	<b>Toxoid (D) Toxoid (T) Killed pertussis (P)</b>		

	<b>The disease</b>	<b>Type of the vaccine</b>	<b>Dose</b>	<b>Mode of administration</b>
<b>Measles</b>		<b>Live attenuated</b>	<b>0.5 ml</b>	<b>Subcutaneous</b>



# BCG (*At birth*)

- Live attenuated variant.
- 0.05ml .
- ID injection in left forearm



Fig. 1

**Intradermal injection of BCG vaccine**



Photo courtesy of the author



**BCG Interdermal Vaccination**









**:local reactions**

**.swelling, redness, or pain at the injection site**

The image features a warm, orange-toned background with faint, stylized silhouettes of autumn leaves scattered across it. The central focus is the text "Thank You" in a large, bold, yellow font with a white outline. The letters are thick and blocky, with a slight shadow effect that makes them stand out against the background. The overall mood is warm and appreciative.

**Thank You**