

There are currently two vaccines for shingles - Zostavax and Shingrix. The older one, Zostavax, is a live attenuated vaccine and can be given to healthy adults over age 60 to prevent shingles. Zostavax is contraindicated in immunosuppressed patients. The newer one, Shingrix, is much more effective and is a recombinant vaccine indicated for adults over age 50 regardless of whether they had chickenpox.

## **Polio (Sabin)**

### [Saber-Polo Player with Pill](#)

The Sabin polio vaccine is a live-attenuated virus. It was administered orally but is no longer available in the United States.

## **Smallpox**

### [Small Fox](#)

The vaccine for smallpox is a live-attenuated vaccine. It is not routinely administered.

## **Yellow Fever**

### [Yellow Fever Beaver](#)

The vaccine for yellow fever is a live-attenuated vaccine.

## **Influenza (Intranasal)**

### [Flute-Virus with Nose](#)

The intranasal influenza vaccine is a live-attenuated vaccine.

## **MMR**

### [M&M-aRt Syringe](#)

The vaccine for measles, mumps, and rubella (MMR) is a live-attenuated vaccine. It is the only live attenuated vaccine that can be given to AIDS patients given its safety profile.

## **Rotavirus**

### [Rotor-virus](#)

The vaccine for rotavirus is a live attenuated vaccine. It is unique in that it is first given at 6 weeks of age when most live attenuated vaccines are not given until 9 months of age.

## **Typhoid Fever (Oral)**

### [Typhoon Fever-beaver](#)

There are several vaccines for typhoid fever, caused by *Salmonella typhi*. The oral vaccine (Ty21a) is a live attenuated vaccine.

## **BCG (Bacillus Calmette-Guérin)**

### [Beast-G](#)

Previously used for tuberculosis, the BCG vaccine is no longer administered for this purpose. Instead, it is used in certain urological malignancy treatments.