



Tetavalent Vaccine

1) Against which diseases is Tetavalent vaccine useful?

Tetavalent vaccine is a 4-in1 vaccine which is used for protection against 4 diseases – Diphtheria, Pertussis (Whooping cough), Tetanus and Polio

2) At what age is Tetavalent vaccine recommended?

Tetavalent vaccine is recommended by Indian Academy of Pediatrics at 5 years of age as single dose which acts as booster of DPT with additional protection against Polio.

3) Are there any adverse effects of Tetavalent vaccine?

Tetavalent vaccine is generally safe. Rarely fever, pain or swelling may occur.

(for information about individual disease please read fact sheets about DPT, Pentavalent and Hexavalent vaccine also, in resources section of our website)

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