Appendix B: Acceptable Evidence of Protection and VPD

Information for workers about the evidence needed for protection against vaccine preventable diseases.

| Specific VPD | Accepted Evidence of Protection |
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| Measles, Mumps Rubella | Born in Australia prior to 1966 |
| | OR documented 2 doses of MMR vaccine at least one month apart |
| | OR documented evidence of positive IgG for measles, mumps and rubella |
| Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis | One documented dose of adult dTpa within the last 10 years |
| Hepatitis B | Have completed an age-appropriate course of HBV containing vaccines (3 doses or 2 doses if given between age 11-15 years) |
| | AND documented seroconversion of HBsAb (≥ 10 mIU/mL) |
| | OR documented evidence of immunity from past hepatitis B infection (HBcAb) |
| Varicella | History of varicella (chickenpox) infection via epidemiological link/exposure to confirmed case |
| | OR documented shingles |
| | OR documented positive varicella IgG |
| | OR documented evidence of 2 doses of varicella vaccine |
| SARS-CoV-2 | Completed primary course of SARS-CoV-2 vaccine as recommended by the Australian Immunisation Handbook. |

| Specific VPD | Accepted Evidence of Protection |
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| Influenza | Single dose of Influenza vaccine administered during current flu season |