VACCINATION AFTER HEART OR LUNG TRANSPLANT

Following your transplant you should never be given any “Live” Vaccines, you should also avoid contact with anyone who has had the Sabin, Typhoid, or Chicken Pox vaccines in the last 10 days.

Live Vaccines which you should not be given:

- Measles, Mumps, Rubella
- BCG
- Yellow Fever
- Oral Polio (Sabin)
- Typhoid (Typh- Vax Oral)
- Varicella Zoster VZV (Chicken Pox)

Vaccines which may be given:

- Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis
- ADT, CDT, Tet Tox, Triple Antigen
- Cholera
- Meningitis (MencevacAC)
- Merieux Inactivated Rabies Vaccine
- Typhoid (not oral Form)
- Hepatitis B (Energix – B, HB Vax 11)
- Hepatitis A
- Fluvax
- Pneumovax
- Poliomyelitis inactivated

All transplant recipients should have:

- **FLUVAX** - your first dose should be given at least 3 months after transplant followed by another dose 6 weeks later. This regime should be followed annually

- **PNEUMOVAX** – This vaccine should be given every 5 years

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