

Get diphtheria outta here!

The diphtheria vaccine is the best way to protect yourself and your mob from this nasty germ that's spreading through communities.

Ask clinic staff if your family is up-to-date with immunisations.

The diphtheria vaccine has been around for more than 100 years! It is safe and free for everyone.

- Children get protected from their childhood needles.
- Adults need regular boosters – ask your clinic if you are up-to-date.
- Where diphtheria is spreading, people may need an extra booster if they haven't had one in the last 5 years.
- People recovering from diphtheria, or who have been in contact with diphtheria, may need a booster jab if they haven't had one in the last 12 months.



**Skin sores or sore throat?
See your clinic.**



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