1. Immunization Checklist

Make an appointment with a healthcare provider, WIC or call 1-800-CDC-info (232-4636)

Get an immunization tracking card from your child's doctor or state health department.

Print and use CDC's birth-6 years well-visit immunization and developmental tracker. Click here to download this tracker >>

Ask your doctor to enter the vaccines your child has received in your state's immunization information system (IIS). An IIS is a statewide immunization registry. Doctors and public health clinics use the IIS to save and update immunization records.

2. When you maintain a copy of your child's immunization record:

☐ Keep the record in a safe place where you can easily locate it.

Bring it to each of your child's doctor visits.

Ask the doctor or nurse to jot down the vaccine given, date, and dosage on your child's immunization record.

□ Write down the name of the doctor's office or clinic where your child got the vaccine so you know where to get official records when you need them.