

New Vaccine Resource

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Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) Vaccines for Adults FAQ

The Nova Scotia [Publicly Funded Vaccine/Immunoglobulin Eligibility Policy](#) and [Publicly Funded Vaccine Eligibility for Individuals at High Risk of Acquiring Vaccine Preventable Disease](#) policies were updated in September 2024 to include an active Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) vaccine.

The NS Health Vaccine Consult Service, NS Health Public Health, and The Department of Health and Wellness Public Health Branch collaborated to create this [Respiratory Syncytial Virus \(RSV\) Vaccines for Adults FAQ](#) for health care professionals.

If you have further RSV vaccine questions contact:

- Privately and publicly funded vaccine clinical questions: NS Health Vaccine Consult Service (8:30am-4:30pm, 7days/week)
 - Phone: 1-833-768-1151, Fax: 1-902-425-6707, Email: VaccineConsult@nshealth.ca
- Publicly funded vaccine ordering, delivery, and storage questions: Provincial BioDepot
 - Phone: 902-481-5813, Email: publichealthvaccineorders@nshealth.ca
- Publicly funded vaccine policy and eligibility questions: Local public health office: [Public Health | Nova Scotia Health](#)