



Protecting Families



A pregnant woman positive for hepatitis B requires intervention.

If not appropriately immunized at birth, the exposed infant remains at risk of infection from their mother or another member of the household.

Ensure infants of HBsAg-positive pregnant women:

- Receive hepatitis B immune globulin (HBIG) and hepatitis B vaccine at birth.
- Complete the hepatitis B vaccine series within 6 months of birth.
- Have post-vaccine testing for HBsAg and antibodies to hepatitis B surface antigen (anti-HBs).

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