

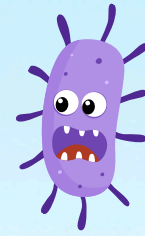
5 Top Myths About Vaccines

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MYTH

Most diseases that vaccines protect against aren't serious.

Vaccine-preventable diseases are serious and can cause severe illness, complications, or death. Measles, whooping cough, meningitis, and tetanus can all be life threatening — especially for young children.



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2

Most diseases that vaccines protect Kids don't need vaccines because these diseases are gone.

These diseases still exist — just far less common thanks to vaccines. Travel and global outbreaks can bring them back. Unvaccinated kids remain at real risk.



MYTH

3

Other people are vaccinated, so my child doesn't need to be

Even when many people are vaccinated, gaps allow diseases to spread. (Some infections — like tetanus — come from the environment, so community protection doesn't help.)



MYTH

4

It's safer to delay vaccines or give them one at a time.

Delaying means delaying protection when children are most at risk. Combination vaccines are safe, effective, and well-studied — fewer injections, same strong immunity.



5

MYTH

Vaccines aren't tested enough to be safe.

Vaccines undergo years of testing, clinical trials, and strict regulation before approval. Safety is monitored continuously — serious side effects are extremely rare.

