

JAPAN

Demographics

Total population (2015)	126 942 000
Births (2015)	1 037 064
Surviving infants (2015)	1 013 979
Urban population (2015)	100%

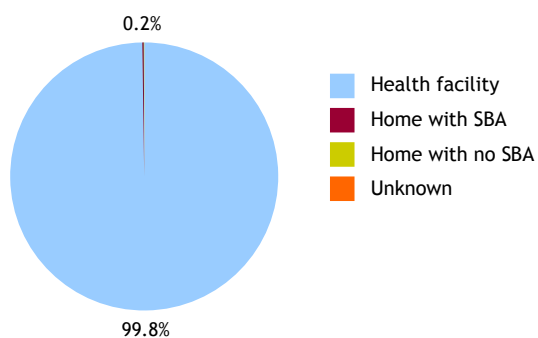
Hepatitis B vaccine

HepB3 introduced nationwide	Scheduled to start in Oct 2016
HepB birth dose introduced	If born to HBsAg+ mothers
Current schedule	2 months, 3 months, 7 months
HepB3 type	Monovalent

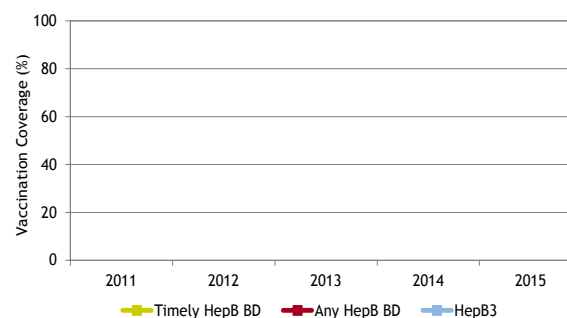
WHO verification

Status of verifying prevalence targets	
Verification started:	pending
Decision:	n.a.
Decision date:	n.a.

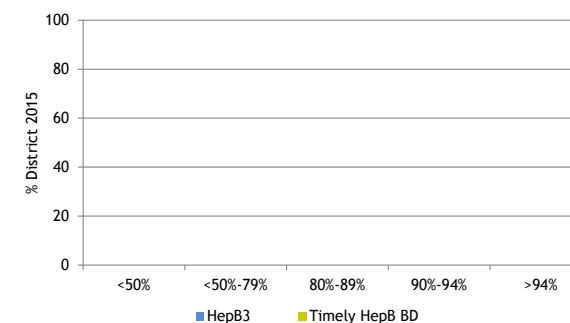
2012 Neonatal deliveries



Hepatitis B vaccination coverage



2015 Districts by coverage categories



Vaccination coverage surveys

Survey year	Location	Ages enrolled	Sample size	HepB BD %	HepB3 %	DTP3 %	Reference/Notes
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Hepatitis B serological surveys

Survey year	Location	Ages enrolled	Sampling base	Sample size	HBsAg prevalence (95%CI)	Reference/Notes
1989	Okinawa	1-4 years	School based	1529	0.1%	Hayashi Int J Epi 1990
1995-1996	Nationwide	16-19 years	Blood Donors	107 879	0.4% (0.4% - 0.5%)	Furusyo AMTM 1998
1995-2000	Nationwide	16-19 years	Blood Donors	582 415	0.23% (0.22% - 0.24%)	Tanaka Interviol 2004
2009	Iwate prefecture	5-9 years	School based	17 363	0.0% (0.00%-0.04%)	Tanaka Interviol 2011

Abbreviations: DTP3: 3rd dose of Diptheria, Tetanus and Pertusis vaccine; HepB3: at least 3 doses of hepatitis B vaccine; HBsAg: hepatitis B surface antigen; SBA: Skilled Birth Attendant; Timely HepB BD: birth dose within 24 hours
Sources: Urban Population was derived from World Bank; 2012 Neonatal deliveries was derived from the Western Pacific Country Health Information Profiles; Unless otherwise noted in the section marked References/Notes, all remaining data was derived from the WHO and UNICEF Joint Reporting Form on Immunization