

NEW ZEALAND

Demographics

Total population (2015)	4 649 700
Births (2015)	61 328
Surviving infants (2015)	61 038
Urban population (2015)	86%

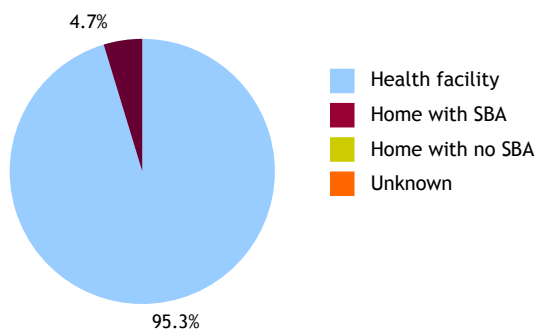
Hepatitis B vaccine

HepB3 introduced nationwide	1985
HepB birth dose introduced	If born to HBsAg+ mothers
Current schedule	6 weeks, 3 months, 5 months
HepB3 type	DTP-Hib-HepB-IPV

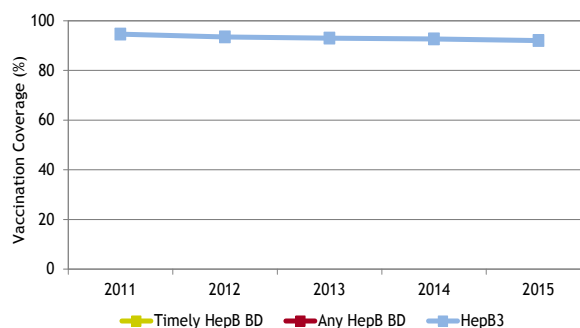
WHO verification

Status of verifying prevalence targets	
Verification started:	April 2012
Decision:	<1% in children
Decision date:	September 2012

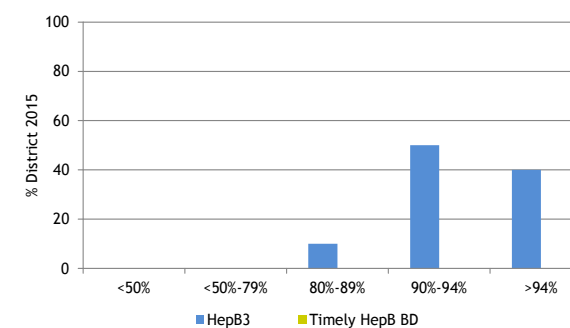
2012 Neonatal deliveries



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
2005	National	12 months	1563	72%	82%	85%	MoH; 87% HepB3 by 2 years

Hepatitis B serological surveys

Survey year	Location	Ages enrolled	Sampling base	Sample size	HBsAg prevalence (95%CI)	Reference/Notes
2009	North Islands	6 years	Health facility	466	0.2% (0.0% - 1.2%)	Weir R. MoH New Zealand 2009

Abbreviations: DTP3: 3rd dose of Diptheria, Tetanus and Pertussis 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
 *HepB3 vaccination coverage when available, otherwise graph represents DTP3 coverage.