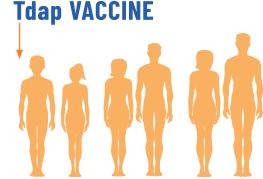
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Babies and younger children are vaccinated against these diseases with the DTaP vaccine, but immunity decreases over time. A booster shot called Tdap (tetanus, diphtheria, acellular pertussis) vaccine helps protect older children and teens from the same diseases.





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TETANUS

Lockjaw

- $\bullet \, \mathsf{Severe} \, \, \mathsf{muscle} \, \mathsf{stiffness} \,$
- Difficulty in opening mouth, swallowing, and breathing
- Death



DIPHTHERIA

Serious Throat Infection

- Breathing problems
- Paralysis
- Heart failure
- Death



PERTUSSIS When in Court

Whooping Cough

- Severe coughing
- · Difficulty breathing
- Death

PERTUSSIS IS HIGHLY CONTAGIOUS

