

Last year WA experienced one of the worst flu seasons on record, resulting in our hospitals treating thousands of seriously ill patients of all ages.

That's why ahead of this year's winter flu season we're asking more Western Australians to 'Be Wise. Immunise'.

Getting the flu vaccine is one of the best ways you can protect yourself and your loved ones. It's safe and it's free.

To protect our community and each other, we've set targets to encourage as many people as possible to get vaccinated.

The targets are:

- 30% of all babies and kids under 12
- 65% of adults aged 65 and over
- 40% of the entire WA population

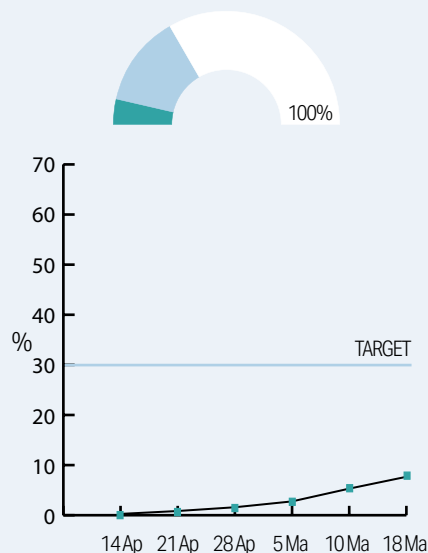
We are stronger together so be wise and immunise to help Western Australia beat the flu this winter.

Immunisation targets

Increase from last week: 110,205 vaccinated ▲ 3.21%

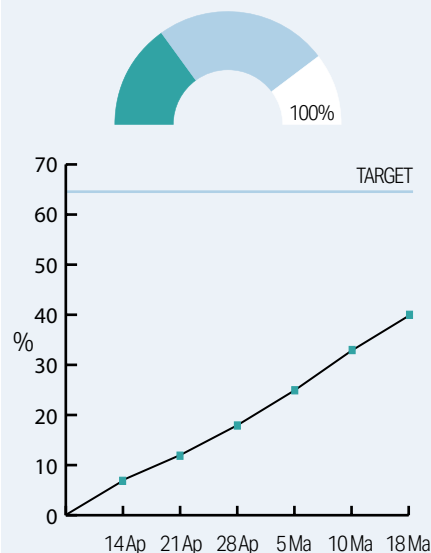
6 months to 12 years old

● Target 30% ● Progress 8.3%



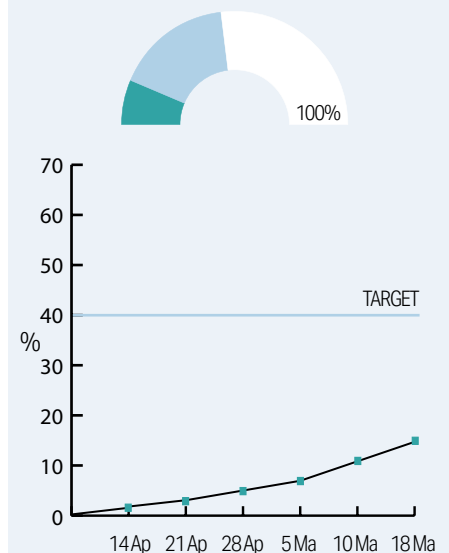
65+ years old

● Target 65% ● Progress 39.7%



Total population

● Target 40% ● Progress 14.8%



Did you know?



Flu vaccines are safe and free



Anyone aged 2 and above can get vaccinated at a pharmacy



A needle-free option is now available for kids 2-11

What you can do



Make a booking at your [GP](#) or nearest [pharmacy](#)



Take a friend. Encourage your friends and family to get vaccinated



Learn more:

- [Winter Strategy](#)
- [Access Health WA](#)

Be wise, immunise now

Flu vaccines are safe and free. Now is the time to get vaccinated to be protected during peak flu season.

Vaccination data is updated weekly from the Australian Immunisation Register. Data correct as at 18 May 2026.