



Vaccine Update 503 - Inoculate Accolade award nominations open and diseases we vaccinate against video series

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Public Health Update Inoculate Accolade Award Nominations

The annual WA Department of Health Public Health Update Inoculate Accolade awards honour and recognise outstanding service in the immunisation field.

[Nominations](#) for the Inoculate Accolade awards are now open to both WA Health staff and non-WA Health staff. Nominations will be open until **Friday 25 September**.

Award categories and eligible nominees:

There are 2 award categories: Individual and team. These awards are available to staff working within WA in the field of immunisation, in both the government and non-government sectors.

NOTE: While non-WA Health staff are eligible to receive the awards, the Public Health Update event remains open to WA Health staff via invitation only.

Award finalists will be notified via email and invited to receive the recognition in person.

This award will be presented during the CDCD Public Health Update - Immunisation Day Thursday 5 November 2026.

Nomination information:

Please provide an outline of no more than 250 words of the nominee's activities and the positive impact on the service or community. Nominations need to have specific example(s) and outcome(s).

Nominations can include but are not limited to the below criteria:

- Implementation of policies and or programs that has had an impact on immunisation coverage or awareness
- Health promotion activities relating to immunisation/vaccine preventable diseases
- Research about immunisation e.g., identification of gaps
- Application and evaluation of research results to improving the health of a population group

If you have any queries, please email immunisation.education@health.wa.gov.au

‘Diseases we vaccinate against’ video series

The Department of Health, Disability and Aging has expanded its childhood immunisation resources with the [diseases we vaccinate against](#) video series.

This series of short videos were made to help parents and carers understand vaccine preventable diseases such as:

- [Hepatitis B](#)
- [Influenza](#)
- [Measles](#)
- [Meningococcal disease](#)
- [Pneumococcal disease](#)
- [Polio](#)
- [Rotavirus](#)
- [Pertussis \(Whooping cough\)](#)
- [Mumps](#)
- [Rubella](#)
- [Varicella \(Chickenpox\)](#)
- [Diphtheria](#)
- [Tetanus](#)
- [Haemophilus influenzae type B \(Hib\)](#)

The series also includes videos specific for [expectant parents](#), [resources for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people](#) and the [immunisation schedule](#).

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