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Dear <First name> <Surname>

## You may be eligible for free immunisation/s

The Australian Immunisation Register records all vaccines given to people of all ages in Australia.

Immunisation is a simple, safe and effective way of protecting you against vaccine preventable diseases. The best way to protect yourself, your family and your community is to get immunisations on time.

When you turn <50/70> years of age, you can get some immunisations for free. Some vaccination providers may charge a consultation fee.

## What you need to do

Review the immunisation/s listed on the back of this letter. If you:

- have not been given any of these immunisations, you should visit a vaccination provider, such as a general practitioner or community health centre.
- have already received any of these immunisations, you need to ask your vaccination provider to add the details to the Australian Immunisation Register.
- were given any of these immunisations overseas, you need to ask a vaccination provider in Australia to add the details to the Australian Immunisation Register. If you need an immunisation record translated, go to translating.homeaffairs.gov.au

## **Immunisation history statement**

Once the vaccination provider records these details on the Australian Immunisation Register, you can get a copy of your immunisation history statement by:

- going to my.gov.au signing in and selecting Medicare to access your online account.
- using the Express Plus Medicare mobile app. You can download the free app to your mobile device. For information, go to servicesaustralia.gov.au/expressplus
- requesting a copy from your a vaccination provider.
- calling us on 1800 653 809 (call charges may apply). It may take up to 14 days for delivery.

## More information

For more information about the Australian Immunisation Register, please go to **servicesaustralia.gov.au/air** 

Yours sincerely

Director

Australian Immunisation Register

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