

IF YOU'RE HERE FOR A FLU SHOT, ASK ABOUT Tdap^a VACCINATION TO HELP PROTECT AGAINST PERTUSSIS (WHOOPING COUGH)

2 OUT OF 3 ADULTS ARE NOT VACCINATED AGAINST PERTUSSIS.¹ ARE YOU AT RISK?



Ask your doctor about Tdap vaccination when you're getting a flu shot



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Tdap
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Pertussis can cause severe coughing fits, increase the risk of catching other infections like pneumonia, and is easily spreadable—especially to infants.^{2,3} The CDC^b recommends that adults aged 19 years and older receive a dose of Tdap vaccine to help reduce the risk of contracting and spreading pertussis.³

^aTdap = Tetanus, diphtheria, and acellular pertussis; ^bCDC = Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

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