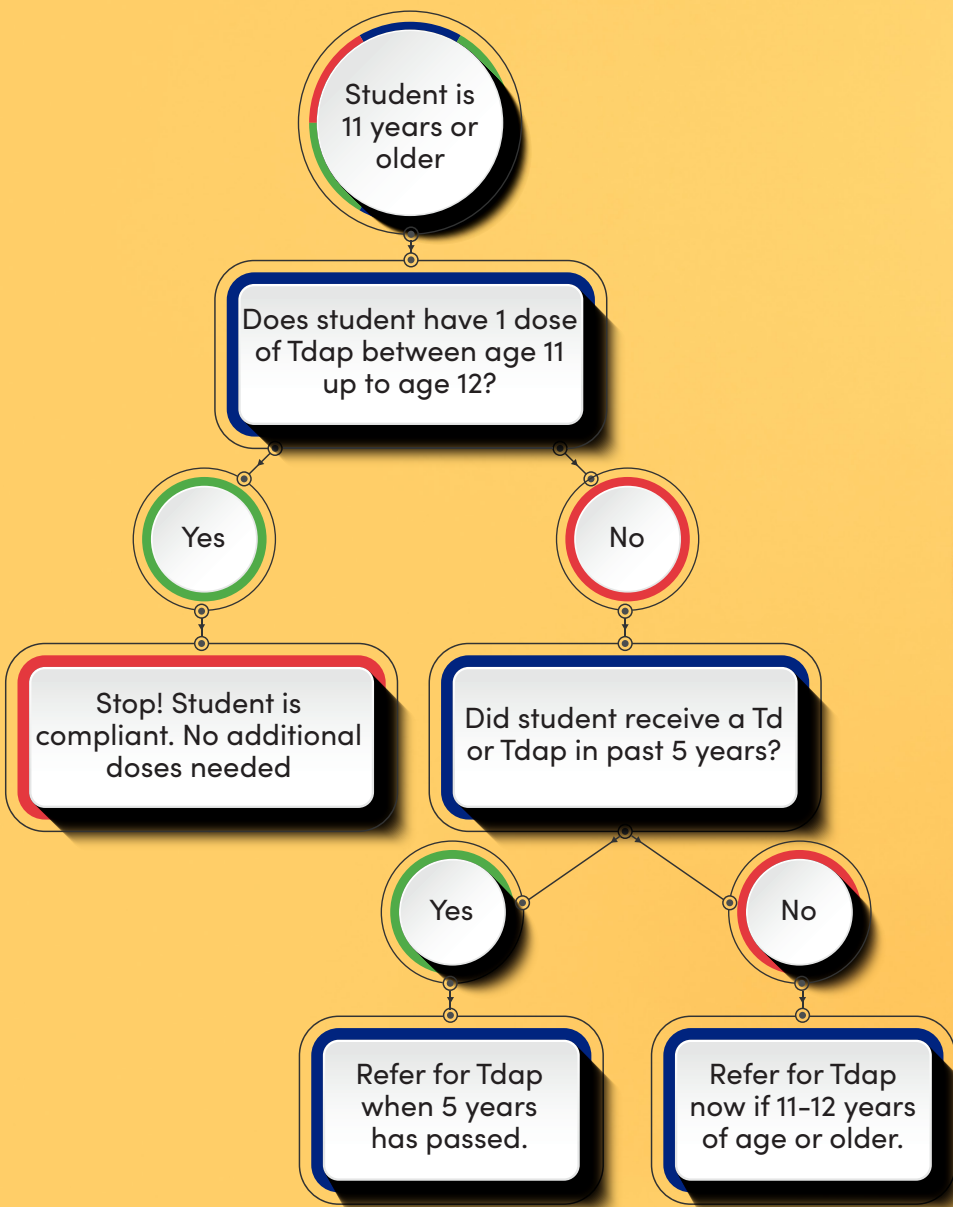


Tdap Guidance for Schools for Students Between 11-12 Years of Age

According to Centers for Disease Control (CDC) Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) guidance 11-year-old students are to receive 1 dose of Tdap (Tetanus, Diphtheria, and Pertussis) by their 12th birthday. The flowchart below helps schools determine if/when to refer a student 11 years or older for vaccination (if not received in the past 5 years). Students do not need to be excluded from school unless they have not received Tdap by 12 years old. For more information on school required vaccination guidance, contact the Bureau of Immunization Services at 602-364-3630.



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DTaP, Tdap, Td Flowchart (Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis) Grades K-12

Use with [Arizona Guides to Immunizations Required for Entry](#)

- For students under 7 years of age, 4 to 5 doses of DTaP are required for entry into kindergarten.
- For students 7 through 10 years of age, 3 to 4 doses of tetanus-diphtheria-pertussis containing vaccines are needed for the minimum series.
- Students 11 and older are to receive 1 dose of Tdap before the age 12.

Catch-up Schedule for Children Who Lack Required Doses

