

**This is verified as Dr. Jean Dodds' Vaccination Protocol for  
Dogs:**

**CANINE VACCINATION PROTOCOL – 2011**

**MINIMAL VACCINE USE**

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**Note: The following vaccine protocol is offered for those dogs where minimal vaccinations are advisable or desirable. The schedule is one I recommend and should not interpreted to mean that other protocols recommended by a veterinarian would be less satisfactory. It's a matter of professional judgment and choice.**

<b>Age of Pups</b>	<b>Vaccine Type</b>
9 - 10 weeks	Distemper + Parvovirus, MLV (e.g. Intervet Progard Puppy DPV)
14 weeks	Same as above
16 -18 weeks ( <u>optional</u> )	Same as above ( <u>optional</u> )
20 weeks or older, if allowable by law	Rabies
1 year	Distemper + Parvovirus, MLV
1 year	Rabies, killed 3-year product (give 3-4 weeks <i>apart</i> from distemper/parvovirus booster)

**Perform vaccine antibody titers for distemper and parvovirus every three years thereafter, or more often, if desired. Vaccinate for rabies virus according to the law, except where circumstances indicate that a written waiver needs to be obtained from the primary care veterinarian. In that case, a rabies antibody titer can also be performed to accompany the waiver request. [See www.rabieschallengefund.org](http://www.rabieschallengefund.org)**

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