

# Meningococcal W vaccine now **FREE** to all young people under 21

The **State Government** is extending its vaccination program due to a localised outbreak of the **W** strain.

The extended program will cover those most at risk of contracting and transmitting the disease and will be rolled out statewide.

## Want more information?

Talk to your GP

Visit

[www.health.tas.gov.au](http://www.health.tas.gov.au)

or call the Public Health Hotline on

**1800 671 738**



**All Tasmanians aged from six weeks to 20 years will now be able to get vaccinated for FREE against meningococcal W** (for those born after 1 August 1997).



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Government