

MYTH #1
FALSE
VACCINES CAUSE AUTISM

According to the CDC and many health authorities, there is absolutely no evidence that vaccines cause autism. Since 2003 there have been 9 medical and scientific studies that have shown absolutely no link between Thimerosal (an ingredient in the MMR vaccine) and autism.



MYTH #2

FALSE

VACCINES CONTAIN TOXIC AMOUNTS
OF ALUMINUM

Many vaccines contain extremely small amounts of aluminum salts to boost the immune system's reaction to the vaccine. Aluminum can also be found in air, food, and water, and has been safely tested in hundreds of thousands of vaccines.



MYTH #3

FALSE

VACCINES CAUSE SIDS (SUDDEN
INFANT DEATH SYNDROME)

An Institute of Medicine (IOM) 2003
vaccine study found that there was
absolutely no link between SIDS and
vaccines.



MYTH #4
FALSE
VACCINES CAUSE SEIZURES

Vaccines can cause a child to have a fever which can cause a febrile seizure in a young child. Any condition that gives a child a high fever can cause a febrile seizure such as an ear infection, roseola, or influenza.



MYTH #5

FALSE

VACCINES ARE TRAUMATIC FOR
CHILDREN

Infants and young children do not necessarily enjoy receiving vaccines, but they are not traumatic. Certainly, in comparison to the detrimental diseases and illnesses that they prevent against, they are not traumatic.



MYTH #5

FALSE

DOCTORS GIVE TOO MANY VACCINES

Vaccine schedules have been created with a child's health and wellness as the top priority. Many vaccines actually combine protection for several diseases requiring far less injections in a child's life.

