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This factsheet for health professionals covers the current vaccination programme against shingles, including the vaccine, contraindications, side effects, and the latest eligibility groups: those aged 50 and older who are immunosuppressed and those aged 65 and 70 on 1 September.

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