Immunisation web sites for parents
Australian based

National Centre of Immunisation Research and Surveillance
(NCIRS) of Vaccine Preventable Diseases was established at the Children’s Hospital at Westmead by the Commonwealth Department of Health in August 1997, to carry out research and give independent expert advice about all aspects of diseases which can be prevented by vaccination, particularly in children.
http://www.ncirs.edu.au/Tabs to click on ‘immunisation resources’ – includes; fact sheets related to specific vaccines/diseases; fact sheets related to vaccine safety:

NSW Health
Infectious diseases – information on latest out breaks in NSW, links to factsheets
A_Z of infectious diseases click on ‘Disease name’ for fact sheet; Click on ‘data book’ for notifications link

My Vaccination
Commonly asked questions and answers for parents

Australian Academy of Science
The science of Immunisation Questions and Answers November 2012.
http://www.science.org.au/immunisation

Chain of Protection
Fact sheets and videos produced by Professor Robert Booy from the NCIRS
http://www.chainofprotection.org

Vax’em
The Northern Rivers General Practice Network in collaboration with the North Coast Area Health Service (public health unit) based in Lismore has produced this web site to provide information to the general public about vaccination.

Whooping Cough
Includes information on whooping cough – Why vaccinate, Whooping cough answers and questions, mother’s story, pre-pregnancy information.

Immunise Australia Program
Provides links to programs – commonly asked questions.
The Australian Immunisation Handbook 9th Edition
Immunisation web sites
International sites

Centre for Disease Control and Prevention (USA)
Information on vaccines and immunisation, including articles under headings: understanding vaccines & their purpose, parents who question vaccines, myths busted, what risks are parents taking in their child’s health care.
http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/specific-grps/parents.htm

The National Network for Immunisation Information
http://www.immunizationinfo.org/

Immunisation saves lives
Vaccination information for parents and health professionals. Facts on diseases vaccines, Q&A, photos, case histories.
http://www.vaccineinformation.org/

World Health Organisation (WHO)
Information on diseases and immunisations, as a public health importance. Global diseases.
http://www.who.int/immunization_delivery/adc/en

Unprotected People Reports
Case reports, personal testimonies, newspaper and journal articles about people who have suffered or died from vaccine-preventable diseases.
http://www.immunize.org/reports
Photos of children with diseases.
http://www.vaccineinformation.org/photos

Vaccinate Your Baby
Staying informed to keep your baby safe. Protecting public health and preventing disease when you vaccinate your baby, you’re not only protecting your child, you’re also doing your part to help stop the spread of these diseases in your community and worldwide.
http://www.vaccinateyourbaby.org/index.cfm

Common concerns about vaccination.