

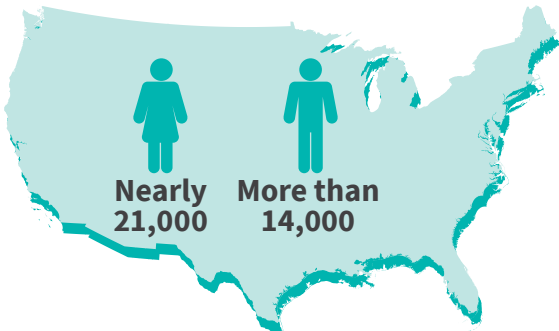


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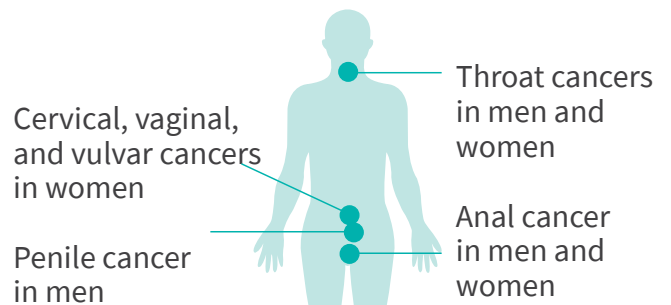
Get your child the HPV vaccine to help prevent HPV cancers.

HPV is a serious problem.

The human papillomavirus, or HPV, can cause several cancers. HPV vaccination can help protect against this virus and the cancers it can cause.



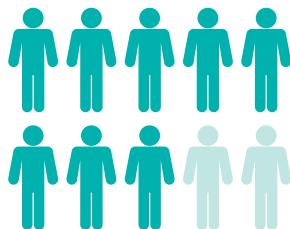
More than 37,000 men and women get HPV cancers in the United States each year. **Don't let your child be one of them.**



HPV VACCINATION CAN PREVENT 6 TYPES OF CANCER

HPV is very Common.

Eight out of 10 people will get HPV at some point in their lives.



The virus is so common that it will infect most people at some point in their lives. Most infected people do not know it. **The best way to help prevent HPV infection is to get vaccinated.**

Most HPV infections go away on their own without lasting health problems. There is no way to know which infections will turn into cancer. **That is why it is important that all children get vaccinated against HPV.**

HPV vaccination is cancer prevention.

HPV vaccination can prevent **more than 90%** of HPV cancers when given on-time.

When does my child need the HPV vaccine?



THE AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY RECOMMENDS THE HPV VACCINE FOR ALL CHILDREN BE GIVEN BETWEEN AGES 9 AND 12.

Vaccination protects children before they are exposed to a virus. On-time vaccination between ages 9-12 means your child will receive two doses given 6-12 months apart.



What else should I know?

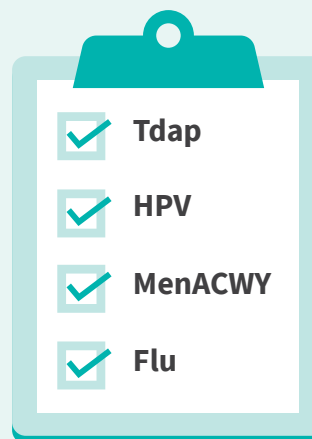
Most health insurance covers the cost of the HPV vaccine. Ask your insurance company to make sure.

The HPV vaccine is part of the Vaccines for Children (VFC) program. This program covers the cost of the HPV vaccine. A child is eligible for the VFC Program if they are younger than 19 years of age.

Please visit cancer.org/HPV to get more information about the HPV vaccine.

The HPV vaccine is one of four vaccines that all pre-teens need.

- Tdap (tetanus, diphtheria, pertussis) vaccine
- MenACWY (meningitis) vaccine



HPV VACCINATION IS SAFE AND EFFECTIVE.

Scientists and health organizations around the world closely monitor HPV vaccine safety and have found no safety concerns. Additionally, their studies have shown that HPV vaccination provides life-long protection against six types of cancers.

Talk to your child's doctor today about scheduling appointments.

1st dose:

2nd dose:

Vaccinate your child today to protect them from future preventable HPV cancers.



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HPV Cancer Free

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