



START AT 9 TOOLKIT



National
HPV
Vaccination Roundtable

Dear HPV Roundtable Partner,

Thank you for your continued focus on increasing HPV vaccination rates. As you know, the COVID-19 pandemic led to substantial declines in HPV vaccinations among adolescents. Current projections estimate that it could take up to 10 years to rebound unless we act proactively. Therefore, we need your help.

To assist with getting back on track, the American Cancer Society's National HPV Vaccination Roundtable has developed the "Start at Age 9" toolkits that can be used in your practice. We are excited to support your efforts with some additional print resources in this clinic toolkit.

In this kit, you will find the following documents to download and print.

- **Clinic Poster:** These are patient-focused and can be displayed throughout your practice.
- **Vaccination Schedule:** These are patient-focused and can be used when engaging in conversations with patients/parents about what vaccines they have had and which ones they are still missing.
- **Cue Cards for Clinic Staff:** This card is for staff education and can be displayed in workspaces or at the front desk. Many practices have found them helpful as quick reference guides when conversing with parents about vaccinating their children.
 - *Special acknowledgments to the WA HPV Free Taskforce for creating this resource.*
- **HPV Reminder Card & Vaccination Schedule:** These are patient-focused and can be given to a parent as reminders about what vaccine their child received and when the next appointment is scheduled.

The materials on this toolkit may be freely copied, printed and distributed so long as our Website address is included.

These and other resources are available for download and printing from the National HPV Vaccination Roundtable website at hpvroundtable.org. If you have questions or stories of success that you would like to share, please reach out to hpv.vaccination.roundtable@cancer.org.

Thank you for your partnership in our efforts to increase HPV vaccination rates and prevent HPV-related cancers.

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Protect Your Preteen/Teen with Vaccines

Protect them from serious diseases including HPV cancers, meningitis, tetanus, whooping cough, flu, and COVID-19.



AGES 9 - 10

- HPV dose 1 (human papillomavirus)
- HPV dose 2 (6 - 12 months after dose 1)

AGES 11 - 12

- Meningitis dose 1 (MenACWY)
- Tdap (tetanus, diphtheria, pertussis)
- HPV (if 2 doses haven't been given)

AGE 16

- Meningitis dose 2 (MenACWY)
- Meningitis B series (MenB)

YEARLY

- Flu (seasonal influenza)

Preteens and teens should stay up-to-date with COVID-19 vaccine to help protect them from COVID-19.

[Learn More](#)



Check Off the Routine School Age Vaccines

By 4 years old	<input type="checkbox"/> Hep A - Hepatitis A <input type="checkbox"/> Hep B - Hepatitis B <input type="checkbox"/> DTaP - Diphtheria/Tetanus, and Pertussis (whooping cough) <input type="checkbox"/> PCV - Pneumococcal <input type="checkbox"/> Hib - Influenza <input type="checkbox"/> IPV - Polio <input type="checkbox"/> Rotavirus <input type="checkbox"/> MMR - Measles, Mumps and Rubella <input type="checkbox"/> Varicella - Chickenpox
9 years old	<input type="checkbox"/> HPV - Human papillomavirus – 2 doses, 6-12 months apart
11 years old	<input type="checkbox"/> MCV4 - Meningococcal <input type="checkbox"/> Tdap - Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis <input type="checkbox"/> HPV - Human papillomavirus – if 2 dose series is not complete
16 years old	<input type="checkbox"/> MCV4 - Meningococcal <input type="checkbox"/> Ask about MenB – 2 doses, 1 month apart

Every child 6 months and older should get the annual flu vaccine!

HPV VACCINE SCHEDULE & DOSES

Don't wait to vaccinate. The American Cancer Society recommends that boys and girls get the HPV vaccine starting at age 9. Age matters. When you vaccinate your child on time, you give them the best protection from HPV cancers. In fact, HPV cancer prevention decreases the longer you wait to vaccinate.



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Begin at age 9 years old for a better immune response.



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AGES 13-14

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CRITICAL

AGES 15-26

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2nd dose 1-2 months later

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