



# Monthly Update – January 2018

Dear Friends,

Happy New Year! We are excited to start 2018 with two big announcements:

## 1. A New Home for HPV Roundtable Information!

We are proud to announce our new website, <http://hpvroundtable.org>. HPVRoundtable.org is your new home for HPV Roundtable information and resources. Visit our website to find:

- Resource Library of HPV Roundtable and partner HPV-related resources - <http://hpvroundtable.org/resource-library/>
- Task Group pages to resource information and more - <http://hpvroundtable.org/task-groups/>
- A list of HPV Roundtable member organizations - <http://hpvroundtable.org/roundtable-member-organizations/>
- New ways to do more good - <http://hpvroundtable.org/get-involved/>
- A resource page for Cervical Cancer Awareness Month - <http://hpvroundtable.org/get-involved/ccam-share-a-thon/>

Not only can you filter and sort our resource library by audience-type and resource-type, you can easily add your own organization's resources. By adding your organization's resources, you can help us grow the most comprehensive, one-stop-shop for evidence-based HPV and HPV vaccination resources on the web!

HPV Roundtable members will receive emailed instructions on how to access member profiles and task group and committee resources.

If you have any questions about or suggestions for the website, please feel free to contact [Jennifer.Sienko@cancer.org](mailto:Jennifer.Sienko@cancer.org).

## 2. The National HPV Vaccination Roundtable 2018 Meeting

The National HPV Vaccination Roundtable meeting will take place in Atlanta, GA on February 28<sup>th</sup>. This full-day meeting will include presentations and panel talks relevant to the work of the HPV Roundtable. While this meeting is invite-only, resources from the meeting will be available on our website starting March 2018 and we encourage you to follow our twitter account @HPVRoundtable and our meeting hashtag #HPVRT2018 during the day for announcements from the meeting.

HPV Roundtable members should plan to be in Atlanta by noon on Tuesday, Feb. 27 for task group and committee work. A registration email has been sent to all invited participants and members. Please contact [HPV.Vaccination.Roundtable@cancer.org](mailto:HPV.Vaccination.Roundtable@cancer.org) if you have any questions.

We look forward to hearing from you!

Sincerely,

Your National HPV Vaccination Roundtable staff

## In Case You Missed It



### January is Cervical Cancer Awareness Month

Just a few more days to **SHARE** information about Cervical Cancer Awareness Month.

The HPV Roundtable has gathered materials created by our members to honor Cervical Cancer Awareness Month and posted them on the HPVRoundtable.org website. These items are FREE to be shared and used by any organization or an individual.

### HOW AM I PREVENTING HPV CANCERS?

Just by sharing accurate information about HPV vaccination and cervical cancer you are increasing positive conversation online. Every conversation matters in offering factual, positive materials online. If you commit to sharing one Facebook post or tweet about cervical cancer or HPV vaccination for every day in January, imagine all the positive news you'll be spreading!

### GET SHARING!

1. Visit <http://hpvroundtable.org/get-involved/ccam-share-a-thon/> to find materials that interest you. There are social media toolkits, posters, podcasts, videos and more! You can peruse by organization or by tactic = social media, blog posts, handouts, etc.
2. Share the materials on your social media channels or with your organization.

3. If there is room — tag #cervicalhealthmonth and the @hpvroundtable with your posts so we can track your use!

## HPV Vaccination Partner Resources and Shareables

### Voices for Vaccines releases new podcast, “HPV Vaccines, Cancers, and Cervivors”

Voices for Vaccines (VFV) has posted a new entry in its Vax Talk podcast series titled [HPV Vaccines, Cancers, and Cervivors](#). It's Cervical Cancer Awareness Month, and in this episode, Karen Ernst, Voices for Vaccines, and Dr. Blank Children's Hospital, talk to Tamika Felder about her battle with HPV-caused cervical cancer and her organization, [Cervivor](#).

- Visit the [VFV Nathan Boonstra website podcast page](#)
- Subscribe to Vax Talk via [iTunes](#) or [Google Play](#)

### National AHEC Organization Webinar: How HPV Causes Cancer and Why it Still Matters (Feb. 15)

The National AHEC Organization will host a [free CE/CME opportunity on Thursday, Feb. 15, from 3 – 4 p.m. ET](#). Peter C. Angeletti, Associate Professor, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Nebraska Center for Virology, School of Biological Sciences, will explain the biology of HPV and its infection, including how the virus replicates and how it hides from the immune system. He will then discuss the mechanism by which HPV causes cancer. He will then show evidence of different manifestations of HPV-related dysplasia, using examples from his research work in Tanzania and Zambia. He will then explain the rationale for adopting an effective public HPV

vaccination strategy and provide evidence for efficacy of the current vaccine.



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- Efficacy evidence of the current vaccine

**Faculty:** Peter C. Angeletti, PhD

**Credits Available:** Pending

**Click Here to [Register](#)**

**For more information, email [info@ntc.nationalahec.org](mailto:info@ntc.nationalahec.org)**

## **Virtual Immunization Communication Network Webinar: An Interprofessional Approach to HPV and Oropharyngeal Cancer Prevention Education (Feb. 21)**

The California Immunization Coalition's VICNetwork webinar, *An Interprofessional Approach to HPV and Oropharyngeal Cancer Prevention Education* will take place on February 21<sup>st</sup>, 2 – 3 p.m. ET. The objectives of the course are:

- Describe action steps to build a partnership with dental providers on HPV education and the importance of HPV vaccination
- Identify the relationship between oral HPV infections and head and neck cancers
- Discuss ways that dental professionals can include HPV education in patient visits, including an overview of helpful resources
- Determine the effectiveness of an HPV prevention campaign via interprofessional education and consider strategies for sustainability

**Click Here to [Register](#)**

## **Confronting Barriers to HPV Vaccination – New Free CME/CE**

The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Postgraduate Institute for Medicine, and Medical Logix, LLC. Jointly present this new CME/CE activity aimed at confronting barriers to HPV vaccinations. This CME/CE was designed for clinicians, NPs, PAs, hospitalists, RNs and other care providers with roles in providing vaccination to females and males between the ages of 9 and 26. The majority of patients identify their healthcare provider as the most influential person in their decision about vaccination, and for this reason, education to improve knowledge about barriers to vaccination is incredibly important.

### **Faculty:**

Paul G. Auwaerter, MD, MBA, FIDSA

Margot L. Savoy, MD, MPH, FAAFP, FABC, CPE, CMQ

Catherine Salva, MD

### **Credits Available:**

**Physicians** – maximum of 1.0 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit*<sup>™</sup>

**Nurses** – 1.0 contact hour

**Click Here to [Enroll](#)**

## Association of Immunization Managers Award Nominations Open Through March 19

Each year, the Association of Immunization Managers (AIM) presents awards to its members in recognition of their outstanding initiatives, service, dedication, and leadership. The awards will be presented at the 2018 AIM Leadership in Action conference in San Diego in June. The Natalie J. Smith Award, Bull's-Eye Awards, and Rising Star Awards have an open nomination process. For more detailed information about each award and the nomination process, [click here](#). Nominations are due by March 19, 2018. Contact [mwaterman@immunizationmanagers.org](mailto:mwaterman@immunizationmanagers.org) with any questions

*Please contact [Jennifer Sienko](#) if your organization has resources or social shareables that you would like to see included in the monthly update.*

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