International HPV Awareness Day

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March 4th is also:

• Marching Music Day
• National Grammar Day
• National Pound Cake Day
The National HPV Vaccination Roundtable is a coalition of over 70 national organizations working at the intersection of immunization and cancer prevention to raise HPV vaccination rates and prevent HPV cancers.

**OUR MISSION:**

1. **CONVENE**
   We convene national organizations, experts, and key stakeholders to ideate, strategize and problem solve.

2. **COMMUNICATE**
   We communicate and inform providers, systems, coalitions, parents, and the larger public about the importance of HPV vaccination as cancer prevention.

3. **CATALYZE**
   We catalyze our members to take action to close the adolescent vaccination gap.

www.hpvroundtable.org
Eliminate HPV Cancer

HPV experts from around the world believe there is a clear path forward to eliminating cancers caused by HPV.

NCT-Designated Cancer Centers HPV Joint Statement

ACS Elimination Statement on HPV Cancers

IPVS HPV Elimination Statement

UN Joint Global Programme on Cervical Cancer Prevention and Control

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The American Cancer Society affirms its commitment to work towards a reduction in the global burden of HPV disease, and where certain conditions are met, the elimination of cervical cancer through HPV vaccination and screening. To this end, the ACS has launched Mission: HPV Cancer Free, the goal of which is to increase HPV vaccination rates for pre-teen boys and girls to 80% by 2020, 20 years after approval of the first HPV vaccine. We believe that through this sustained organizational commitment and strategic investment, the American Cancer Society can help save untold lives and create an HPV-cancer-free world.

The Case for Elimination

Human papillomavirus (HPV) infection is a known causal agent of six different types of cancers. Each year in the United States, 13,500 people are diagnosed with a cancer that was caused by HPV and hundreds of thousands of women are diagnosed and treated for advanced cervical precancers costing billions of health care dollars. Virtually all cases of cervical cancer and most precancers are caused by HPV infection.

The HPV vaccine prevents infection with nine HPV types, including high-risk types that cause about 90% of HPV cancers. The HPV vaccine is so effective at preventing infection when administered before sexual exposure that the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices endorses it for all girls at 11 or 12 years of age.
Strengthening the Effectiveness of National, State, and Local Efforts to Improve HPV Vaccination Coverage in the United States: Recommendations of the National Vaccine Advisory Committee

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