



# Cervical Cancer Prevention



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# 32%

Human papillomavirus (HPV) associated cervical cancer incidence per 100,000 females in **Ohio.**

Estimated coverage rate for one dose of HPV vaccine for 13-year-olds in **Wyandot County.**

Source: [Ohio Cancer Profiles](#)

Source: [ImpactSIIS](#) (Jan. 2025)



**Nearly all cervical cancers are caused by an HPV infection.**

Source: [National Cancer Institute](#) (NCI)



**HPV vaccine is safe** and dramatically reduces the chance of pre-cancers and cancers.

Source: [CDC](#)



**Successes:** cancer causing infections among girls have **dropped 80% since the use of HPV vaccines.**

Source: [CDC](#)

## Researched based methods to increase HPV vaccine uptake.



**The Announcement Approach:** confidently provide a strong recommendation with all other due immunizations.

Source: [CDC](#)



**Focus on Cancer Prevention:** uptake is higher when the recommendation spotlights the vaccine as cancer prevention, as opposed to STI prevention.

Source: [NCI](#)



**Participate in an IQIP,** a CDC designed program using research-based methods to increase vaccine uptake.

([Immunization Quality Improvement for Providers](#))