



Shaping Smiles, Preventing Cancer.

The Oral Health Professionals Guide to HPV Vaccinations

Free ADA-CERP for Oral Health Professionals

Oral health providers play a critical role in combatting growing rates of human papillomavirus (HPV)-positive oropharyngeal cancers. The American Cancer Society, ACS National HPV Vaccination Roundtable, Crossroads Utah AHEC, and the National Network for Oral Health Access are partnering to provide on-demand HPV education to oral health professionals to increase knowledge and uptake of HPV vaccination to prevent against HPV-related oropharyngeal cancers.

HPV Vaccination Saves Lives



HPV Vaccine is Cancer Prevention

The HPV vaccination can protect against 6 different types of cancer affecting all genders.



Oropharyngeal Cancers Are the Most Prevalent HPV Cancer

More than 14,000 people get diagnosed with oropharyngeal cancer each year. And incidence and mortality rates are increasing 2% each year.



HPV vaccination is for all children :

All national health organizations recommend on time (age 9-12) vaccination for all boys and girls. Catch up vaccination is recommended for all adolescents who are not up to date.



Vaccine Decline:

For the second consecutive year, HPV vaccination coverage has not increased among adolescents. And it always underperform compared to other vaccines, Tdap and MenACWY.

Module	Topic
1	HPV 101: Everything You Need to Know
2	A Guide to Oral Screenings and HPV-Related Malignancies
3	Screening, Treatment & Survivorship of HPV-Related Oropharyngeal Cancer
4	Best Practices from the Field: Dental Professionals Increasing HPV Vaccinations

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