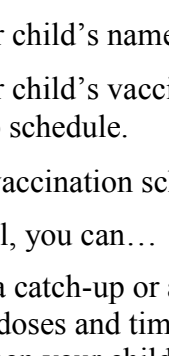


MAINE IMMUNIZATION PROGRAM UPDATE

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HPV VACCINE IS CANCER PREVENTION Champion

Congratulations to **Maine Medical Partners** for being named as the 2017 *HPV Vaccine Is Cancer Prevention* Champion!

Leadership by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Association of Cancer Institutes, and the American Cancer Society's HPV Vaccine Is Cancer Prevention Award Program recognizes clinicians, practices, groups, and health systems that are working to protect their adolescent patients from HPV cancers by achieving high HPV vaccination rates. This year, the award program recognized Maine Medical Partners as the 2017 HPV Vaccine Is Cancer Prevention Champion from each of the 10 U.S. regions. After a rigorous review and data validation of all submissions, Maine Medical Partners was named the Champion from HHS region 1.

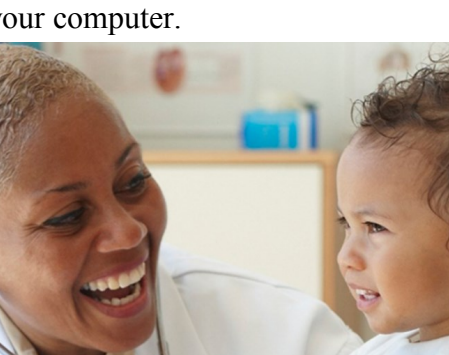
Thank you for your commitment to protecting your patients against HPV cancers.

Congratulations again on your recognition as a 2017 *HPV Vaccine Is Cancer Prevention* Champion.

Reminder: Vaccinate Against Influenza

Influenza vaccination is recommended for everyone six months of age and older. If you do not provide influenza vaccination in your clinic, please recommend vaccination to your patients and refer them to a clinic or pharmacy that provides influenza vaccine. Influenza vaccine may be given if available.

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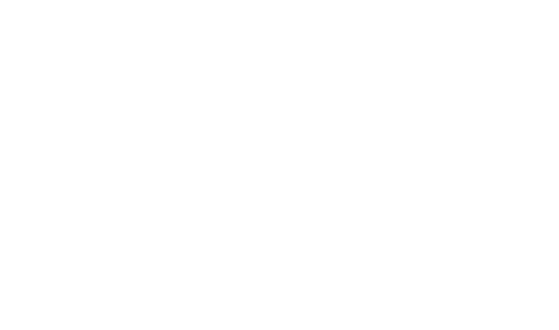
In 3 easy steps, you can create a vaccination schedule for your child age birth through 18 years:

- Enter your child's name and date of birth
- Enter your child's vaccination history and create a catch-up schedule.
- Save the vaccination schedule.

Using this tool, you can...

- Generate a catch-up or accelerated schedule that identifies doses and timing of vaccines (useful when your child needs to travel, catch-up on missed doses, or during a disease outbreak).

- Save and update your child's vaccination schedule on your computer.



- Print a personalized vaccination schedule.

This tool follows the 2017 child, preteens and teens recommended immunization schedules. Your child's medical history and health status can affect which vaccines your child may need. Talk with your child's doctor.

This is a web-based tool. No personal information is saved by the U.S. CDC.

<https://www.vacscheduler.org/index.html#>

