

HPV Vaccine

Protects Against Cancer

The HPV-9 vaccine will be offered to **students (all genders) who are 12 to 13 years old**. It's most effective when given at an early age, before exposure and when the immune response is stronger. The vaccine is **free for all students until the end of Grade 12**.

What does this vaccine do?

Most people will be in contact with human papillomavirus (HPV) in their lifetime. The **HPV vaccine** protects against 9 common high-risk strains of HPV. These strains can cause:

- **Head and neck cancer**
- **Cervical and vaginal cancers**
- **Anal cancer**
- **Penile cancer**
- **Genital warts**

3 reasons to get the HPV vaccine at school

It works!

A complete HPV vaccine series can prevent:

- Over 90% of cervical cancers and genital warts.
- Most anal, vaginal, vulvar, penile, mouth and throat cancers.

It's safe!

Millions of people around the world have safely received the HPV vaccine. Side effects are usually mild, and it's safety is continuously monitored.

It's easy!

A nurse will come to your child's school to give the HPV vaccine—no need to book an appointment or take time off. Simply complete the online consent form.

HPV vaccine benefits

- 1** Protects against cancer
- 2** Works best when given before exposure
- 3** Free until the end of Grade 12
- 4** Prevents genital warts
- 5** Long-lasting protection
- 6** Safe and well-studied



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Questions?

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Hepatitis B Vaccine

Protects Against Liver Infections

The Hepatitis B vaccine will be offered at school to **students (all genders) who are 12-13 years old**. It's most effective when given at an early age, before exposure and when the immune response is stronger. The vaccine is **free for all students until the end of Grade 12**.

What does this vaccine do?

The **hepatitis B vaccine** protects against the hepatitis B virus, which can cause **liver damage, liver cancer or even death**. Hepatitis B is the leading cause of liver cancer in Canada.

3 reasons to get the hepatitis B vaccine at school

It works!

1 in 10 people who are infected with hepatitis B will carry it for life. Getting vaccinated is the best way to avoid long-term health risks. The hepatitis B vaccine is very effective and protects 98% of people when given in the recommended number or doses.

It's safe!

The hepatitis B vaccine has been carefully tested and it's safety is continuously monitored. Reactions are usually mild. It is much safer for your child to get the vaccine than to get hepatitis B.

It's easy!

A nurse will come to your child's school to give the hepatitis B vaccine—no need to book an appointment or take time off. Simply complete the online consent form.

Hepatitis B vaccine benefits

1

Protects against liver disease and liver cancer

2

Works best when given before exposure

3

Free until the end of Grade 12

4

Long-lasting protection

5

Safe and well-studied



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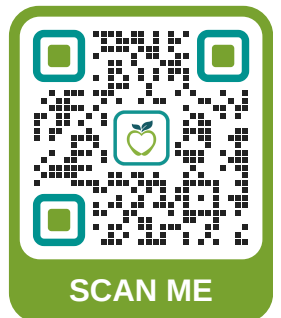
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MenC-ACYW Vaccine

Protects Against Meningococcal Disease

This vaccine will be offered at school to **students (all genders) who are 12-13 years old**. It's most effective when given at an early age, before exposure and when the immune response is stronger. The vaccine is **free for all students until the end of Grade 12**.

What does this vaccine do?

The MenC-ACYW vaccine protects your child from meningococcal disease, a life-threatening bacterial infection that can cause **deafness, seizures, brain damage, loss of limbs, or even death**.

3 reasons to get this vaccine at school

It works!

The MenC-ACYW vaccine is 80-85% effective at preventing meningococcal disease. The infection spreads easily through coughing, sneezing, or sharing food and drinks. About 1 in 100 people who get this disease do not survive.

It's safe!

The vaccine has been carefully tested and it's safety is continuously monitored. Reactions are usually mild. It is much safer for your child to get the vaccine than to get meningococcal disease.

It's easy!

A nurse will come to your child's school to give the MenC-ACYW vaccine—no need to book an appointment or take time off. Simply complete the online consent form.

Meningococcal Vaccine Benefits

1

Protects against a very serious infection

2

Works best when given before exposure

3

Free until the end of Grade 12

4

Long-lasting protection

5

Safe and well-studied



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