Call to Pediatricians and Family Physicians to join the Maryland Department of Health in the fight against HPV-Associated Cancers!

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HPV: Don’t Wait. Vaccinate!
Increasing First Dose HPV Vaccine for Teens
A Part 4 Quality Improvement (QI) MOC Project

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The Maryland Department of Health (MDH), in collaboration with the Indiana Immunization Coalition, now offers pediatricians and family physicians participation in the HPV: Don’t Wait. Vaccinate! Project, an online QI initiative. Participants will aim to increase their 1st dose HPV vaccine rate for eligible females and males ages 9-21 by 25% during a 6-month period.

Maintenance of Certification (MOC) Credits
Pediatricians who complete this project will be awarded 25 Part 4 points toward their MOC. Family Medicine physicians will receive MC-FP credit for one Part 4 module or 20 Part 4 points, as appropriate.

Project Designed to Be Simple, Easy, and Effective:
- Complete HPV Pre-Test Survey
- Reference HPV Tool Kit
- Complete tracking logs for 6 months
- Complete QI Modules and Post Tests
- Conclude Project and Submit Form

Is there a Cost for the Project?
MDH is able to offer this opportunity at no cost to the first 100 physicians who register. For more information on the project, please click here. To learn about HPV and the vaccination, please visit the MDH HPV webpage.

How Do I Register?
To register for HPV: Don’t Wait. Vaccinate! Project please click here. If you have any questions please contact Brian Mattingly, Director of the Maryland Comprehensive Cancer Control Program at brian.mattingly@maryland.gov.

“Our physician practice incorporated this HPV MOC project with ease. We all found this project easy to complete, unobtrusive to daily workflow, and valuable as a formal discussion piece with our office staff.”

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