

HPV Vaccine in Primary Care in NWL

Primary Care role in increasing uptake of HPV vaccine and supporting school's programme



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Who is eligible for the HPV vaccine and where to get it

	Eligible population	Where to get the vaccine
Cohort 1	Children aged 12 to 13 (school year 8)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Secondary school (or community clinics for those not in school).
Cohort 2	Girls aged 14 up to their 25 th birthday and boys born on or after 1 September 2006 up to their 25 th birthday who missed having the vaccine at school	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• At school via the NWL schools provider – Vaccination UK up to the age of 18/19.• Community clinic or GP practice.• Some <u>sexual health clinics</u> will now opportunistically vaccinate the up to 25 cohort (non GBMSM)*.
Cohort 3	Gay, bisexual and other men who have sex with men (GBMSM) and other at risk individuals (up to 46th birthday) not previously vaccinated	<u>Sexual health clinic</u> or <u>HIV clinic</u>

Role of Primary Care in increasing uptake of the HPV Vaccine in NWL

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- Both school immunisation teams and primary care teams have an important role in offering HPV vaccination to potentially eligible people
- The HPV vaccine programme is primarily delivered by the School Age Immunisation Services (SAIS), which in NWL is Vaccination UK. Vaccines are normally given in the summer term at school.
- However some young people miss their immunisation in school and may not be proactively offered HPV vaccination after leaving full-time school, but primary care has a role in providing vaccination for people up to the age of 25 who didn't receive their vaccination as part of the schools programme perhaps due to COVID or not being there on the day of vaccinations
- A role in vaccinating people who may have moved to the UK at the end of school or after school, including for university (up to the age of 25)
- A role in making patients aware they can be vaccinated at school until the age of 18 through Vaccination UK either at school or at a [community catch-up clinic](#).

Vaccination UK newsletter



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[HPV-Best-Practice-Guidance-Infographic-Module-4-for-HCPs.-JAN-2025.pdf](#)

What is the ask of primary care in providing the HPV vaccine?

General practices are commissioned by NHS England to provide catch-up HPV vaccination to 14- to 25-year-olds, where the individual was eligible under the routine school adolescent programme but missed vaccination

Vaccination and Immunisation Programme	Age eligibility	Type of offer
Practices are required to provide HPV vaccinations to those (eligibility for boys include males born on or after 1 September 2006) who have attained the age of 14 years but who have not attained the age of 25 years who have missed vaccination under the school's programme. An item of service fee will only be applicable for those vaccinations administered by the practice.	1 dose – Aged 14 until attain the age of 25 years	Opportunistic or if requested
Individuals who are immunocompromised must receive HPV as outlined in column 2.	A 3-dose schedule of HPV is required	Opportunistic or if requested

For each vaccination dose delivered, a £10.06 item of service fee is payable under the General Medical Service Contract. For more information [click here](#)

NHS England » General practice vaccination and immunisation services: standards and core contractual requirements

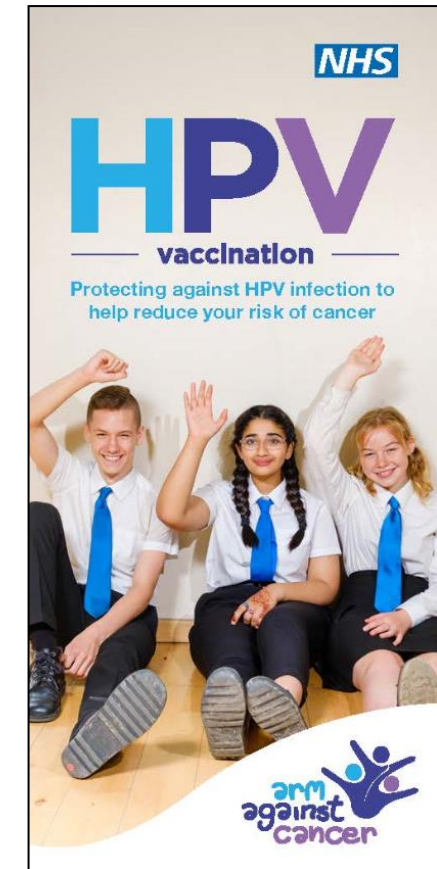
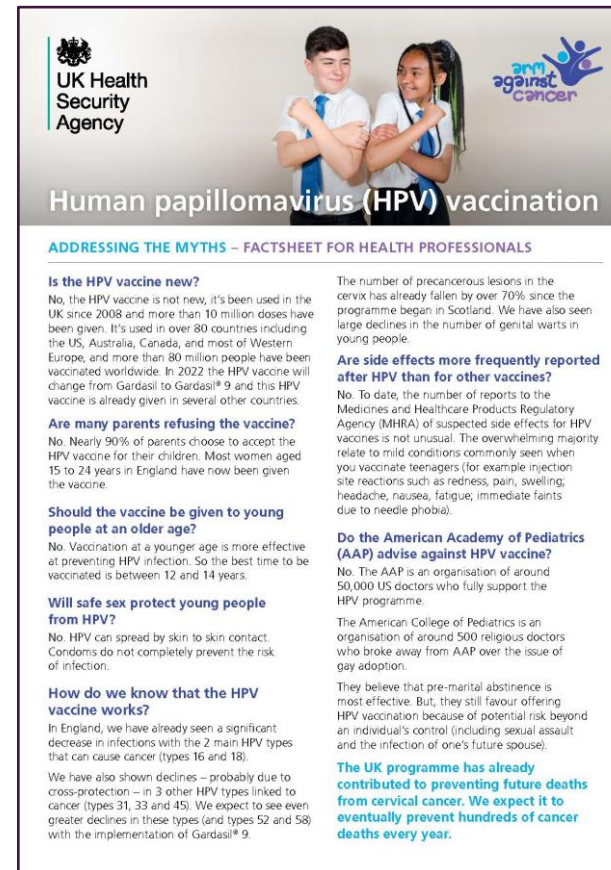
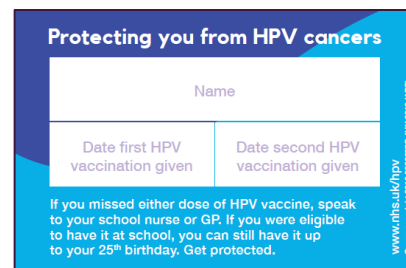
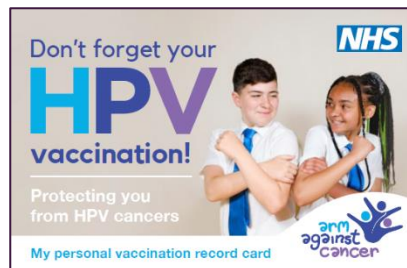
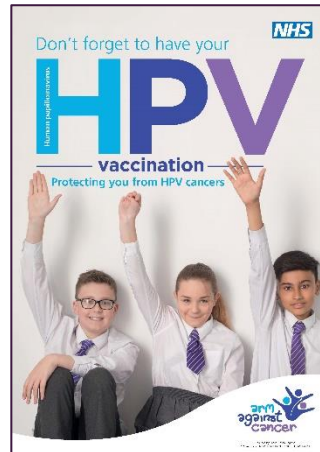
HPV Vaccine Information materials

Health professionals

- Green Book HPV chapter 18a
- Patient Group Direction (PGD)
- factsheet
- consent form

Parents and young people

- posters
- leaflet
- record card
- digital resources



Leaflets available to download and order at: [Healthpublications.gov.uk](https://www.healthpublications.gov.uk)