

# Role of community cancer centers in promotion of HPV vaccination

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# St. Luke's Health System



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It all began in 2012...



Image: <http://myhrpartnerinc.com/wp-content/uploads/2011/12/2012.jpg>

# Needed a population-based effort

*To support efforts already happening in community*



Image: <http://pcsm-cpmh.org/en/>

# Community Level Impact

Intervention directed toward an entire population within a community



# Roles for Community Cancer Centers

## *Community focus*

- Support existing community efforts
- Be present at prevention and immunization coalitions at State and National levels



# Roles for Community Cancer Centers

## *Community focus*

- Speak out and tell the story of HPV cancers
- Share local cancer data making association with prevention efforts





# Systems Level Impact

Interventions that impact the systems which impact health



# Roles for Community Cancer Centers

## *Systems focus*

- Become an active member of System organization structure for committees
- Lead efforts to make HPV immunization a PI/QI measure



# Roles for Community Cancer Centers

## *Systems focus*

- Insure EHR prompts are being utilized to facilitate HPV immunization
- Advocate for inclusion of HPV measures in the Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA)



# Roles for Community Cancer Centers

## *Systems focus*

- Encourage providers to determine their HPV rates
- Think outside-your-box for disciplines that could be HPV advocates and partners



# Individual Level Impact

Interventions directed at individuals, alone or as part of a family, class or group because belong to population at risk



# Roles for Community Cancer Centers

## *Individual focus*

- Educate future workforce on HPV impacts



# Roles for Community Cancer Centers

## *Individual focus*

- Talk with existing patients about cancer prevention immunizations and to share the information with their family



Journey continues in 2018...





# Partnerships are essential



Idaho Department of Health & Welfare  

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# Trending upward

- Local HPV immunization rates trending upward
- State rates have statistically significant improvement 2010-2016 (source: NIS Teen 2016)



# Future plans

- Continue to work with partners to improve rates
- Working with community groups
- Facilitate collaborations and initiatives within the St. Luke's Health System



# Role of Community Cancer Centers

*Let's put a stop to HPV associated cancers*

- Be there
- Be an active participant
- Be a vocal advocate

