

HPV

What is it?

HPV, or human papillomavirus, is a very common type of virus that can cause multiple kinds of cancer.

What happens if my child does not get it?

Unvaccinated kids miss out on protection against 6 different cancers, including cervical, anal, and oropharyngeal (throat) cancers. These infections don't always cause symptoms, so people may not know they are at risk!



When does my child get it?

It is recommended that children get their first dose between 9 and 12 years old, with a second dose at least 6 months after the first.

**AS ALWAYS, TALK TO YOUR
CHILD'S PEDIATRICIAN IF
YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS**