

## Human Papilloma Virus Vaccination

### 'Beating Cervical Cancer' – the Human Papilloma Virus Vaccine

The Human Papilloma Virus (HPV) vaccine is available to all female students in year 8 and is free on the NHS. The first dose will be given in year 8 and the second, usually one year later, in year 9.

By having this vaccination, your child will be protected against the commonest causes of cervical cancer. The vaccine also offers protection from the two types of HPV that cause the majority of genital warts. In order to get the best protection, it is essential that your child receives both vaccinations.

### Please complete the Consent Form

<https://immunisation.cambscommunityservices.nhs.uk/HPV?id=79048ded-9a01-447b-b6b5-22d46f790227>

The consent form portal will close on: **30/01/2019**

There is an option to decline the vaccination

If you do not submit a consent form, we will contact you in order to confirm that you do not wish your child to receive the vaccine. If students are absent on the day of vaccinations, a further attempt will be made to offer the vaccine at a later date. Please enter a valid mobile number and email address on the form so that we can contact you with medical queries if necessary.

**THE FORM MUST BE SIGNED BY SOMEONE WITH LEGAL PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE YOUNG PERSON.**

For information or advice, please contact the Immunisation team on: **01603 779390 or 0300 555 5055** or email: **[ccs.norfolk.immunisationteam@nhs.net](mailto:ccs.norfolk.immunisationteam@nhs.net)**

Further HPV vaccine information:

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We provide this service to help protect the health of your child as part of our public task as a health service provider. Your child's school has provided us with your contact details. We will update your child's electronic health record and/or notify your GP of the immunisation.

We may contact you via SMS; if you do not wish to be contacted via text, please let us know.