# Can Texas Lead the Nation to Protect our Communities from HPV Cancers?

Laws, Policies and the HPV Vaccine

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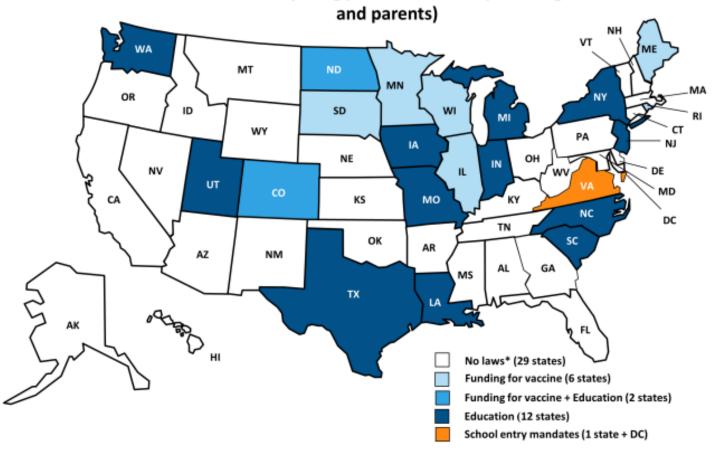






#### **HPV Vaccination Policies- Mandates, Education, and Funding**

State laws requiring HPV vaccinations for school entry, providing funding to cover the cost of the vaccine, or requiring public education (including for school children



NOTES: \*States may have other laws relating to the HPV vaccine, such as insurance coverage mandates and research initiatives. SOURCE: National Conference of State Legislatures. (2014). HPV vaccine: state legislation and statues.





## **HPV Vaccination**

# States with *highest* >3 dose HPV vaccination rates (females) – NIS, 2013

- 1. Rhode Island\* − 56.5%
- 2. Delaware 51.7%
- 3. Pennsylvania 45.9%
- 4. Maine\* -45.8%
- 5. California 45.8%

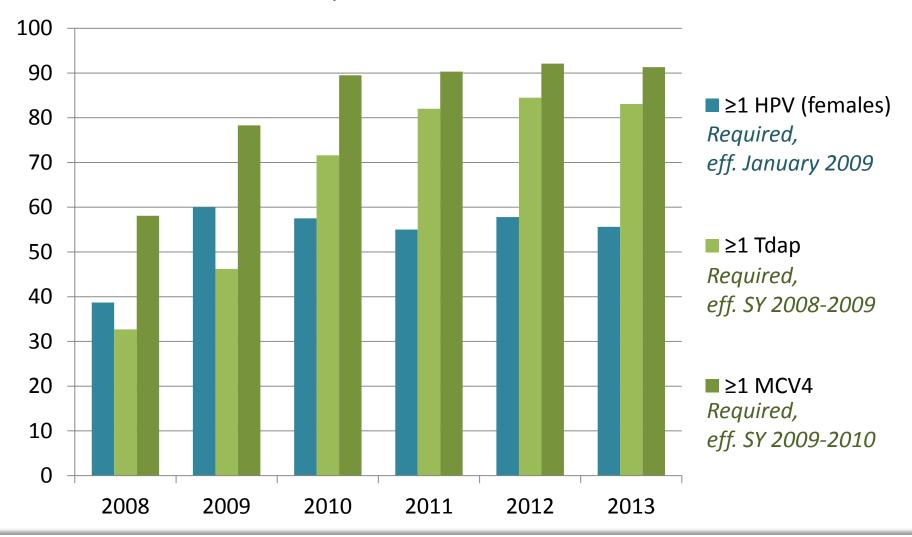
# States with *lowest* >3 dose HPV vaccination rates (females) – NIS, 2013

- 1. Utah -20.5%
- 2. Kansas -21.0%
- 3. Arkansas -24.4%
- 4. Mississippi -25.2%
- 5. Kentucky 26.8%



<sup>\*</sup> Enacted legislation to improve HPV vaccination rates prior to 2013

## Adolescent Vaccination Rates Among 13-17 Year Olds in the District of Columbia, 2008-2013





Sources: National Immunization Survey-Teen, United States, 2008-2013 Immunization Action Coalition, http://www.immunize.org/laws/hpv.asp Kaiser Family Foundation, http://kff.org/womens-health-policy/fact-sheet/the-hpv-vaccine-access-and-use-in

**HPV** Vaccination Related Legislatic Texas History







"There's a woman who came up crying to me tonight after the debate. She said her daughter was given that vaccine. She told me her daughter suffered mental retardation as a result. There are very dangerous consequences."

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## Women's Health Cuts

#### **Planned Parenthood Statistics**

TEXAS	Texas Female Family Planning Patients	Texas Dysplasia Patients	HPV Vaccines	Pap Tests	Biopsies, Colposcopies, Cryos and LEEPs
8/1/10-7/31/11	39,703	1,191	446	12,403	1,335
8/1/11-7/31/12*	38,476	1,516	498	11,345	1,654
8/1/12-7/31/13**	33,951	2,364	407	7,968	1,397
8/1/13-7/31/14	25,972	925	353	4,379	696
*Title X Cut 8/2011 **WHP Cut 1/2013					



Source: Planned Parenthood Gulf Coast

# Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act

 Requires new private insurance plans to cover vaccines recommended by ACIP without consumer cost-sharing including HPV vaccination



## Breaking News from the Front Line

### • HB 1282

- Tasks the Department of State Health Services with:
  - developing a strategic plan to significantly reduce morbidity and mortality from human papillomavirus-associated cancer
  - collaborating with the CPRIT (Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas) and convening any necessary workgroups



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# Thank you!

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