

Which HPV vaccines are available in Canada?

There are two HPV vaccines approved for use in Canada: the HPV2 vaccine and the HPV9 vaccine. Both vaccines protect against high-risk HPV types 16 and 18 – the two types that cause the majority of HPV-related cancers.

The HPV9 vaccine additionally protects against high-risk, cancer-causing types 31, 33, 45, 52, and 58, as well as low-risk types 6 and 11 (both of which can lead to genital warts).

Vaccine availability differs by province and territory.



Talk to your doctor, nurse, pharmacist, or local public health office about getting immunized against HPV.