

## **PROCLAMATION: NATIONAL IMMUNIZATION AWARENESS WEEK 2025**

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**WHEREAS** 

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Canadian Association of Perinatal and Women's Health Nurses

Canadian Association of Science Centres

Canadian Center for Vaccinology Canadian Lung Association

Canadian Medical Association

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**Obesity Canada** 

Public Health Physicians of Canada

Society of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists of Canada

Public Health Agency of Canada

Public Health Ontario Indigenous Services Canada

has identified immunization in Canada as an important public health measure for all Canadians;

AND WHEREAS Parents and health care providers in every community have a responsibility to ensure that children are immunized on time and receive the full schedule of vaccinations required to protect them from serious diseases;

AND WHEREAS A week profiling the importance of immunization in Canada would increase public awareness that many diseases are effectively and safely controlled by immunization, thereby reducing the burden of illness in our communities for people of all ages;

AND WHEREAS Immunization is considered to be the most cost-beneficial health intervention and one of the few that systematically demonstrates far more benefits than costs;

AND WHEREAS Canada is joining other countries around the world to encourage childhood immunization around World Immunization Week, sponsored by the World Health Organization,

NOW I,,	
Mayor of the City of	_,
DO HEREBY PROCLAIM the week of <b>April 21-30, 2025 National Immunization Awareness Week</b> .	
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