

HPV vaccines indicator

Acceptability to stakeholders

Acceptability of the vaccine and of vaccination against the disease

Based on 86 studies worldwide, parents generally supported HPV vaccinations for their children, with HPV vaccine acceptance rates varying from 12% to 98%. Geographical variations were seen in pooled acceptance rates, highest in Africa (79.6%; 95% CI: 73.5–85.2%) and lowest in North America (56.7%; 95% CI: 49.3–64.0%). Knowledge levels of HPV vaccination varied widely (6.5% to 100%) between world regions. ¹

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