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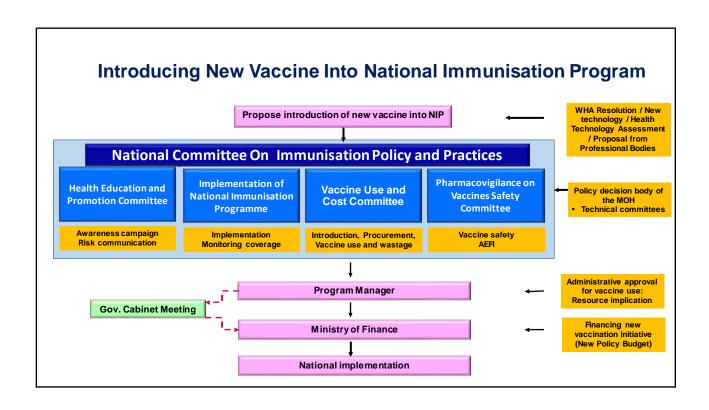
Session 4: Establishing and Sustaining Political Will and Public Support for Cervical Cancer Prevention and Control

HPV Vaccination Programme in Malaysia

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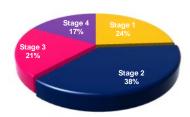


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Why HPV vaccination ?: Gaining political support

Cervix, Uteri stage at diagnosis among Malaysian citizen 2008



Why HPV vaccination become part of Cervical Cancer strategy?

- Low Cervical smear uptake among high risk women
- · Delay in seeking treatment
- WHO endorsed on safe HPV vaccine to prevent Cervical Cancer

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	Ca Cervix	HPV Vaccination
Budget/ Target	1,627 cases (2003)	266,000 girls (2009)
Cost	RM 381.8 millions RM 2.8 millions for pre invasive RM 285 millions for treating new cases (invasive) RM 94 millions for treating old cases	RM 322.2 millions Vaccine RM319.2 million Additional Cost RM 3 millions (Health Education, Training and logistic
Cost/ person	RM 234,665.02	RM 1,211.28
Incidence	19.7 /100,000 women- unchanged	8/1,000,000 (estimate vaccine efficacy at 98%)

Source: Aljunid, 2007. HUKM

Communication Strategies: Gaining Public Support

Theme: HPV Vaccine as Cervical Cancer Vaccine

Media Campaign Based on Health Belief Model

- Cervical cancer is preventable
- 2. Parental awareness on voluntary vaccination
- 3. Persuade girls to complete 2 doses of vaccination as scheduled

Public Access to Interactive Information

- 1. Social Media
 - HPV Facebook
 - HPV twitter
- 2. Phone Hot line
- 3. Email
- 4. Print and electronic advertisement

Rumours Surveillance and Program Monitoring

- 1. Response to media and public queries
- 2. Provide guideline to implementers
- Monitor potential program threat and proposed counter measures

Addressing the religious and cultural aspect of the HPV vaccination

Leading to establishment of Fatwa or religious ruling on HPV vaccination for the Muslim.

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