

SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICE Rv07/22

To: Parents/Guardians of children and young people attending Year 9 and Year 10 (2nd & 3rd Year)



HUMAN PAPILLOMAVIRUS VACCINE (HPV)

Human Papillomavirus Vaccine (HPV) is being offered to all eligible children and young people attending Year 9 in school (2nd form). Children and young people who miss this vaccine in Year 9 are being offered a further opportunity to receive the vaccine in Year 10 (3rd form).

An information pack about **HPV** has been delivered to your child's school this week. Your child will be given this pack by their form teacher to bring home to you.

The information pack contains a **HPV** consent form with your child's name printed on the form, a Q&A information leaflet for you and your child, information on 'Who Can Sign A Consent for Immunisation' and contact details for the School Immunisation Team should you have any queries.

Please complete and sign the HPV consent form and return to school in the envelope provided.

PLEASE RETURN THE CONSENT FORM TO SCHOOL BY:

MONDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER

For further information on **HPV**, please visit the Public Health Agency website at **pha.site/hpv** or click on the hyperlink below.

https://www.publichealth.hscni.net/sites/default/files/2021-09/5.HPV%20A5%20Parents%20Leaflet%20FINAL%200921.pdf

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