

Vaccination against human papillomavirus (HPV)

Dear parents and guardians

Dear students

More than 70 out of 100 sexually active people become infected with human papillomavirus (HPV) in the course of their lives, usually without knowing or realizing it. You can find more information on this via the QR code on the declaration of consent, which refers to the FOPH flyer "Cancer and genital warts, HPV vaccination for young people".

Human papillomaviruses are the most common cause of sexually transmitted infections worldwide. Infection is also possible through skin or mucous membrane contact, which is why the use of condoms does not offer complete protection against HPV infection.

The HPV vaccination offers reliable protection against virus types that are among the most common causes of these diseases. It is recommended between the ages of 11 and 26 and should be given before the first sexual contact if possible.

The vaccination service of Lungenliga Aargau carries out vaccination campaigns at all elementary school in Aargau in collaboration with school doctors as part of the cantonal HPV vaccination program. Missed vaccinations can be made up at the outpatient clinic of the Aargau Lung League vaccination service in Aarau. Interested young adults up to the age of 26 can also be vaccinated against HPV free of charge at the outpatient clinic. The vaccination service will only vaccinate minors with the written consent of their parents or legal guardians.

The Lungenliga Aargau vaccination service will be happy to answer any questions you may have. You can reach us by telephone on 062 832 40 04 or by e-mail at impfdienst@llaq.ch.

Best regards,



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