

Health Disparities and Vaccines

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Presentation Overview

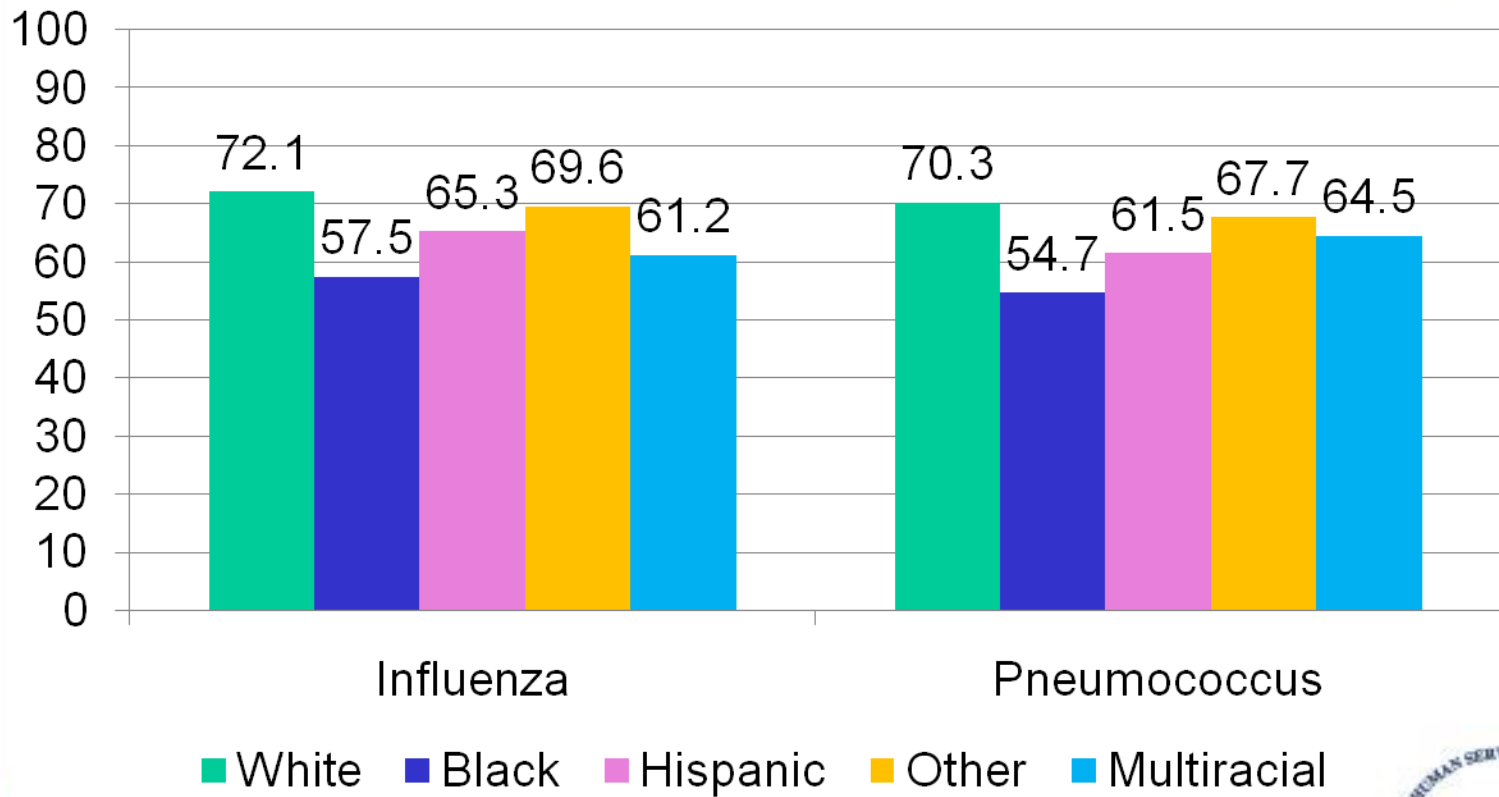
- **Affordable Care Act Provisions**
 - **Preventive Services**
- **2009 Vaccination Rates**
- **Improving Vaccination Rates**

Preventive Services

- **Elimination of Part B Deductible and Coinsurance starting January 1, 2011**
 - If received from a doctor or other health care provider who accepts assignment
 - Services must have an “A” or “B” rating by the United States Preventive Services Task Force

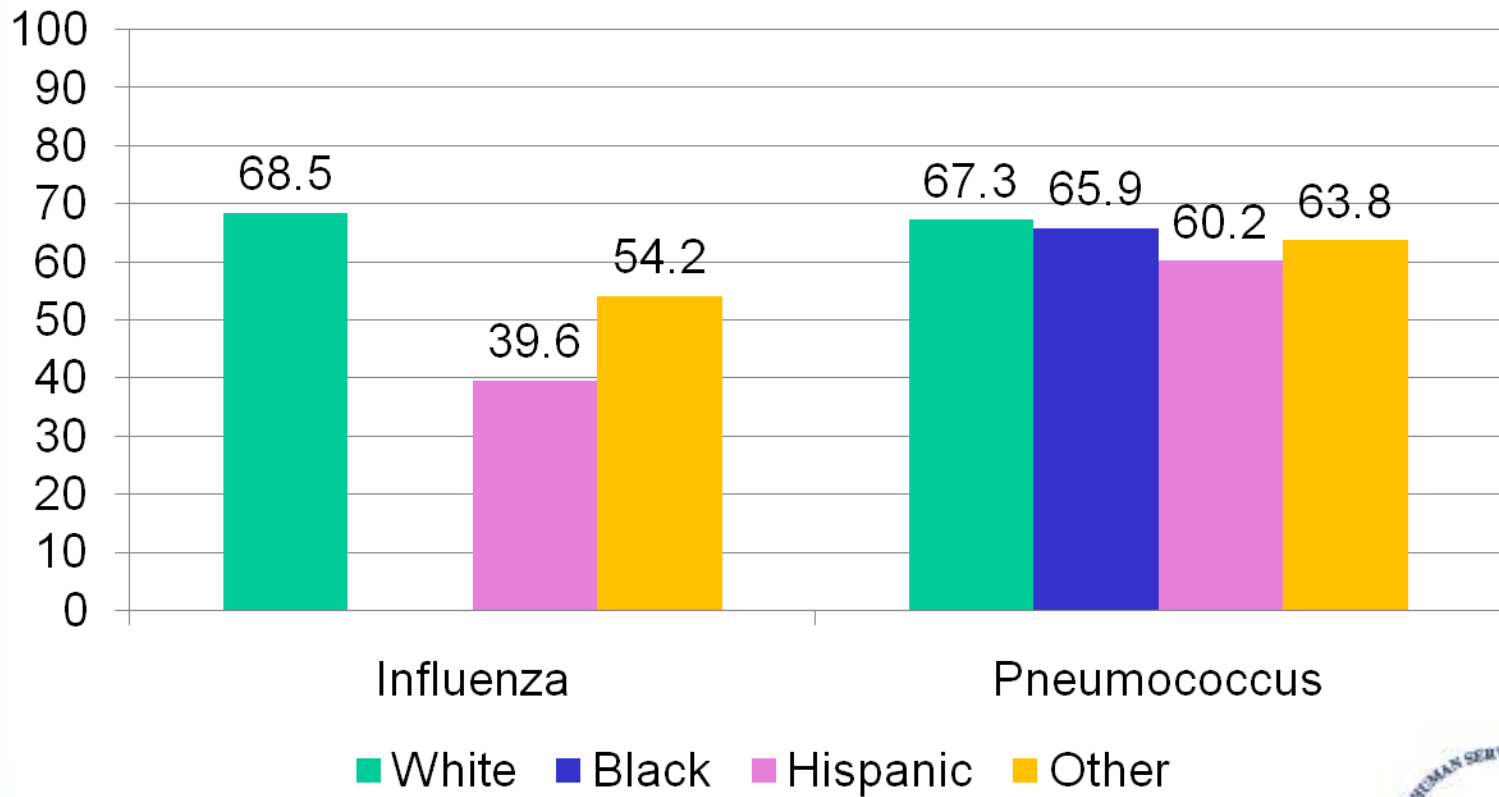
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U.S. Vaccination Rates 2009 BRFSS



■ White ■ Black ■ Hispanic ■ Other ■ Multiracial

California Vaccination Rates 2009 BRFSS



How to Improve Vaccination Rates

- **Standing orders!**
 - Immunization Action Coalition
www.immunize.org
 - CDC Resources
 - March 24, 2000 MMWR
 - The Community Guide
www.thecommunityguide.org
- **Reminders!**

Summary

- We live in exciting times
- Health reform is built on quality and value and requires:
 - Meaningful use of EMRs
 - Expanded coverage
 - Improved value
 - All of us working together
- Many opportunities and challenges ahead – stay tuned!

Resources

- <http://www.cms.gov/EHRIncentivePrograms/>
EHR incentive program
- <http://www.healthcare.gov/>
Affordable Care Act

Questions? Comments?

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