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Human Papillomavirus (HPV): Questions and Answers

Information about the disease and vaccines

What is HPV?
Human papillomavirus (HPV) is the most common sexually transmitted infection (STI) in the United States. There are more than 100 different types of HPV. Some types of HPV can cause genital warts and other genital lesions. Some types of HPV can cause cervical cancer, anal cancer, and oropharyngeal cancer. HPV is most commonly spread through sexual contact with the skin of the penis, vagina, or anus. HPV can also be spread through oral sex. HPV is not spread through casual contact, such as hugging, shaking hands, or sharing a toilet seat. HPV is not spread through blood or saliva. HPV is not spread through insect bites or animal bites. HPV is not spread through swimming pools, hot tubs, or saunas. HPV is not spread through sharing needles or syringes. HPV is not spread through sharing razors or toothbrushes. HPV is not spread through sharing towels or clothing. HPV is not spread through sharing food or drinks. HPV is not spread through sharing cigarettes or cigars. HPV is not spread through sharing alcohol. HPV is not spread through sharing drugs. HPV is not spread through sharing needles or syringes. HPV is not spread through sharing razors or toothbrushes. HPV is not spread through sharing towels or clothing. HPV is not spread through sharing food or drinks. HPV is not spread through sharing cigarettes or cigars. HPV is not spread through sharing alcohol. HPV is not spread through sharing drugs.

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