



HPV VACCINE DISCUSSION OF BARRIERS AND HESITANCY

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PROGRAM FORMAT

- Add the Mentimeter link to
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participation
- Participant discussion

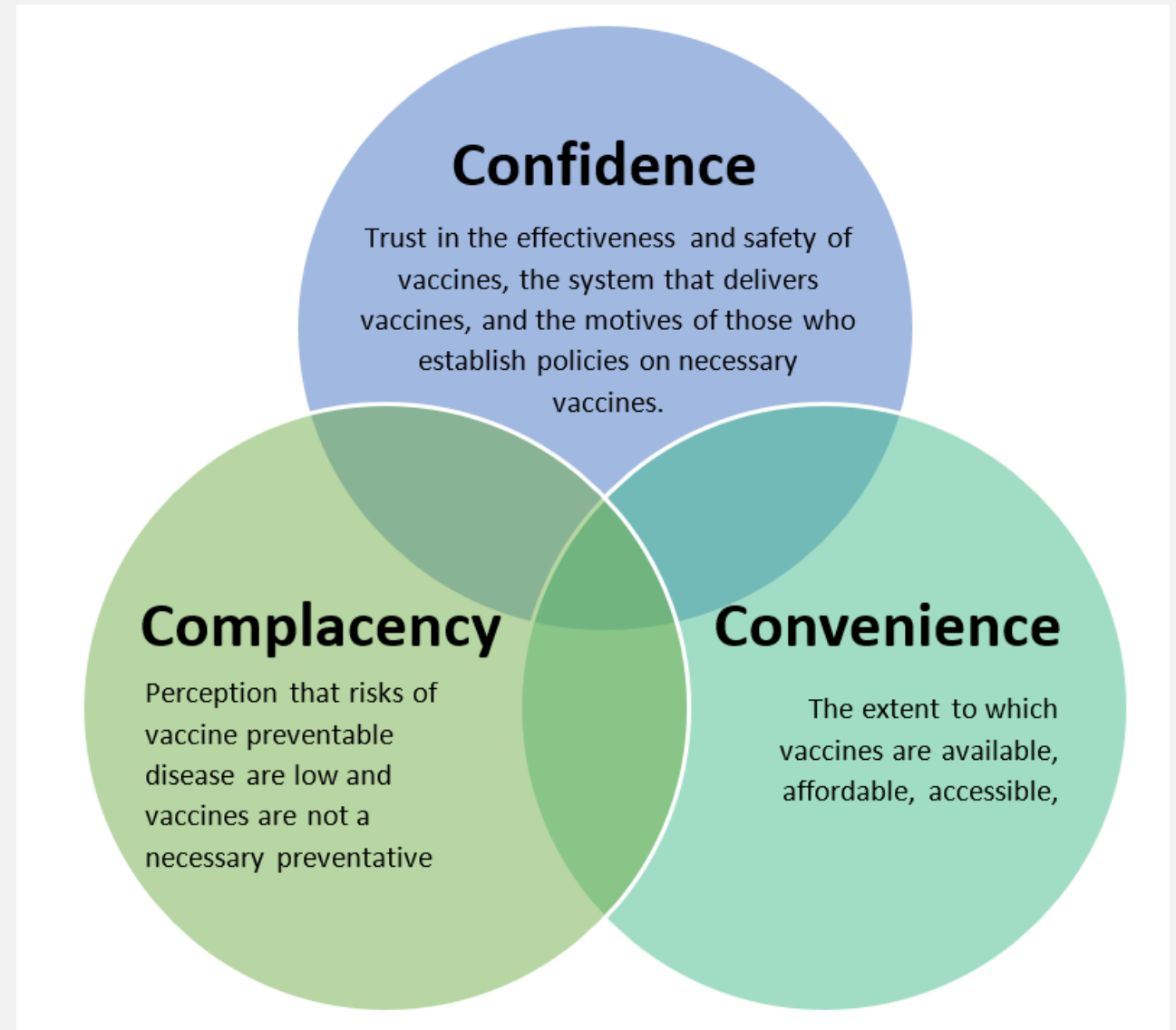
PRACTICE QUESTION



- Did you give an HPV vaccine this week?
- Go to [menti.com](https://www.menti.com) and enter code 56396405 to answer

VACCINE HESITANCY

- The WHO defines vaccine hesitancy as ‘the delay in acceptance or refusal of safe vaccine despite availability of vaccine services.’¹
 - Complex and Context specific- varies across time, place and vaccines
 - Influenced by factors- misinformation, complacency, convenience and confidence





HISTORY OF VACCINE HESITANCY

- Dates back to the first vaccinations in 1721 performed by Dr. Zabidiel Boylston.
- To date...major, global issue
- Closely connected with increasing importance of the internet, new information and communication technologies

MOST COMMON
REASONS FOR HPV
VACCINE HESITANCY³

Safety concern/side effects

Lack of necessity

Reporting adolescent is up-to-date
with vaccines (HPV vaccine is elective)

Reporting adolescent is not sexually
active

Lack of provider recommendation

Lack of knowledge

SAFETY
CONCERNS AND
SIDE EFFECTS OF
HPV VACCINE

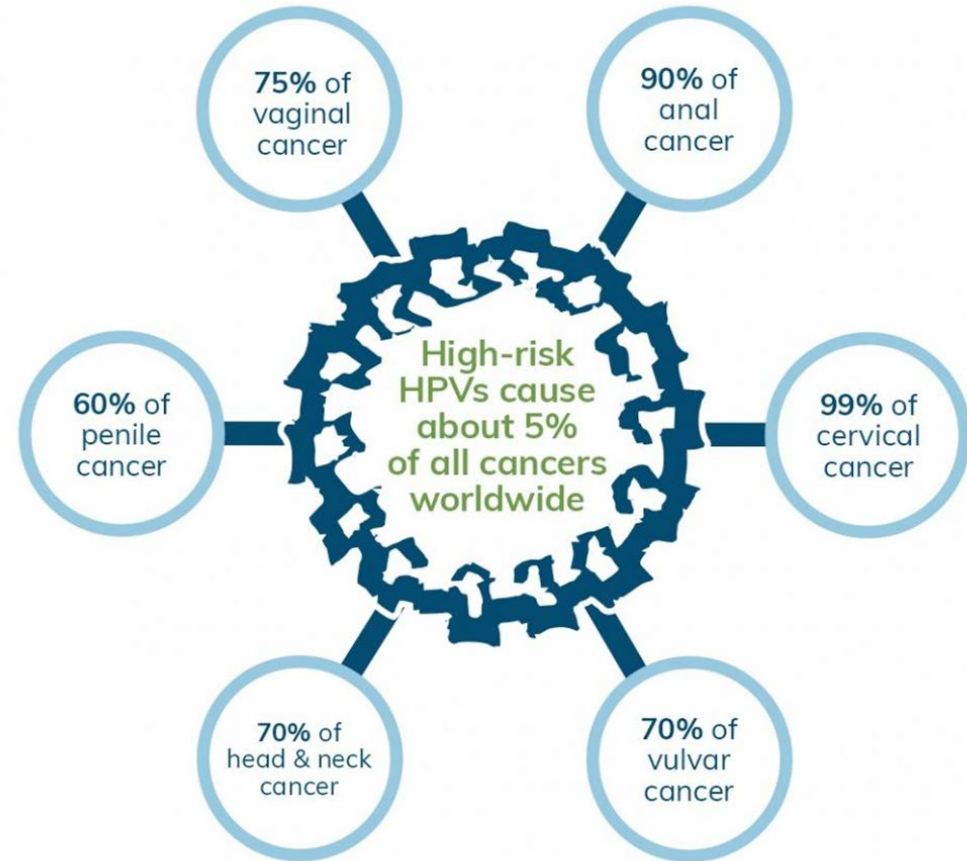
**What do you think is
the most commonly
perceived HPV
vaccine safety
concern?**



LACK OF NECESSITY

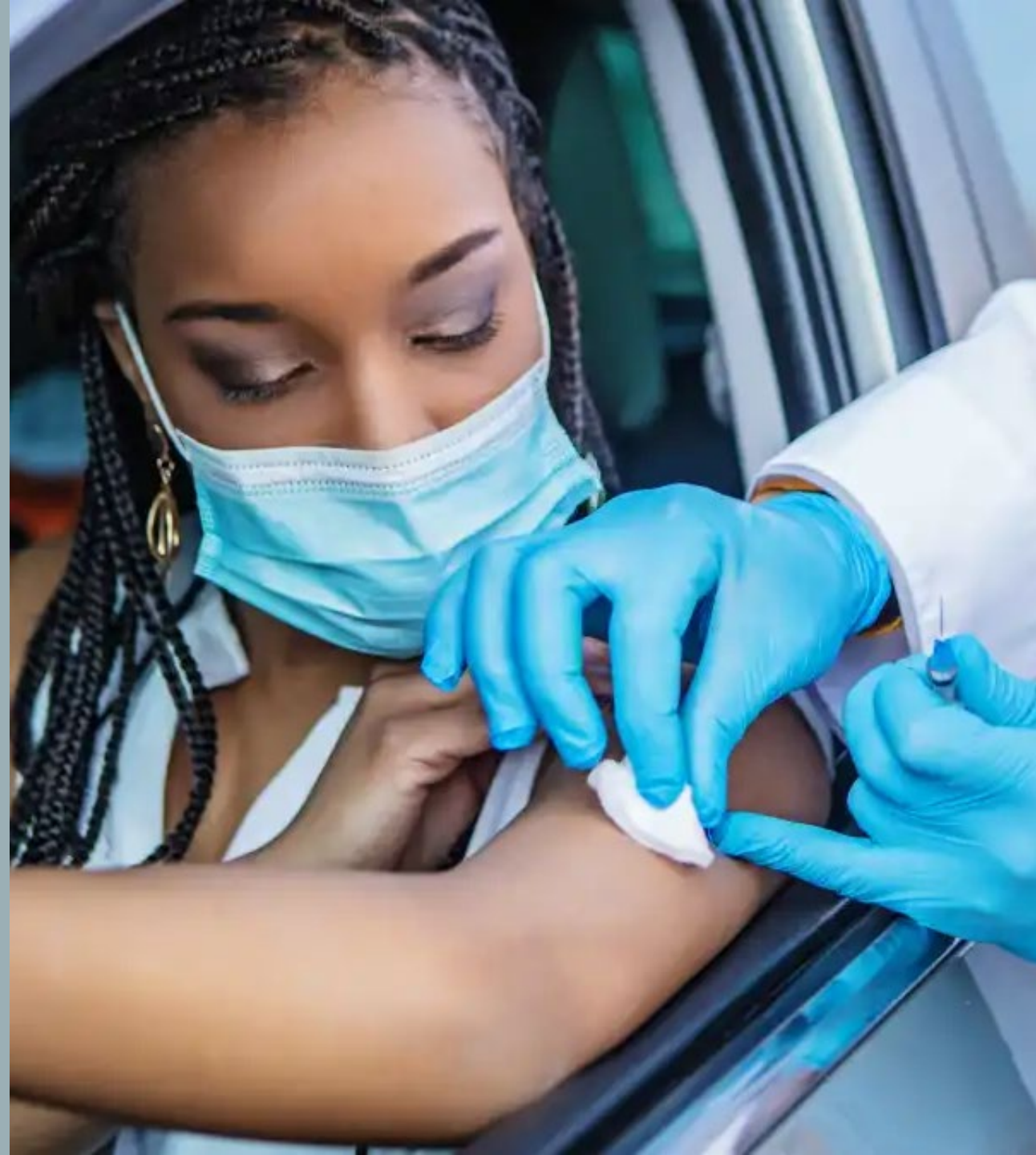
Why is the HPV Vaccine a necessity?

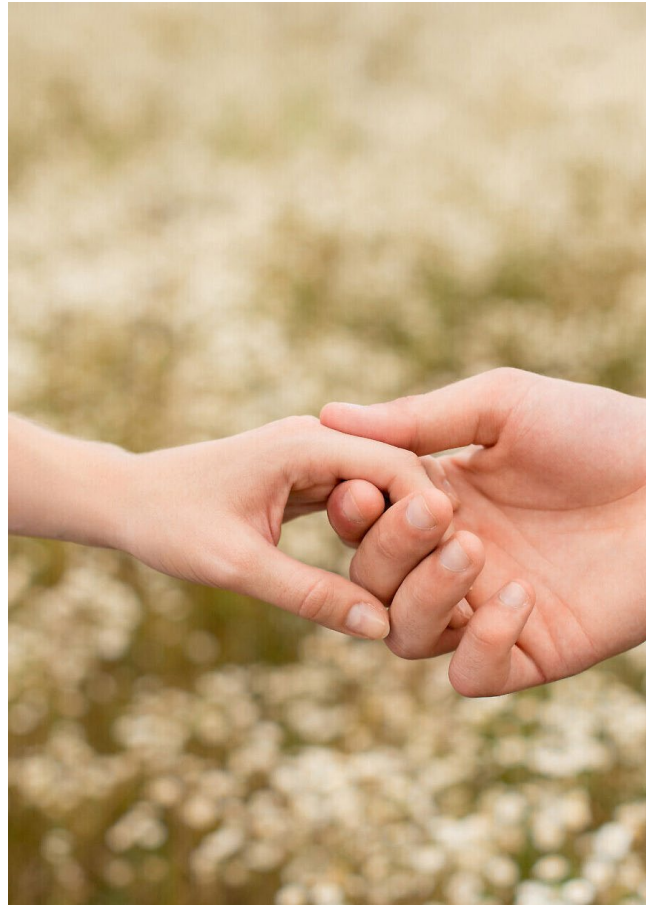
Cancers caused by HPV infection



HPV VACCINE IS ELECTIVE
'REPORTING UP TO DATE'

**What do you think is
the best way to
increase elective
vaccines such as HPV?**





SEXUAL ACTIVITY AND THE HPV VACCINE

**Debunking HPV vaccine
relationship with sexual
activity.**

Open thoughts?

PROVIDER
RECOMMENDATIONS

What can
providers do to
boost HPV
vaccination
rates?





LACK OF
KNOWLEDGE

**What ways can
we increase
knowledge
about the HPV
Vaccine?**



THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION!

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