

Vaccine Tips

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August is National Immunization Awareness Month



It's important to remind people that immunizations aren't just for babies.

NIAM highlights the importance of immunizations for people of
all ages—including adolescents and young adults.

Three messages are central to NIAM:

- 1. A strong recommendation from the doctor or nurse is one of the best ways to ensure patients get the vaccines they need on time.
- 2. Vaccines protect against dangerous and sometimes deadly diseases.
- 3. Vaccines are important throughout our lives.



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