

HPV VACCINE DELIVERY - LIBERIA

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Presentation Structure

HPV Introduction in Liberia

Current HPV Delivery Strategy

Restoration of HPV Vaccination Coverage amid Covid-19 pandemic interruption

HPV Introduction in Liberia

Demonstration – In 2016 an HPV Demonstration was conducted in two counties (i.e., Bong & Nimba) with the aim of vaccinating 10 years old girls through the concept of "Learning By Doing".

 PIE & Coverage Survey were conducted at the end of the demonstration project

Introduction into Routine Immunization – November 25, 2019, HPV vaccine was officially introduced into routine immunization targeting 9 years old girls in and out of schools in Liberia.

HPV Vaccine Delivery Strategy

In order to ensure the successful delivery of HPV vaccine in Liberia, the following were instituted:

- Identification of an HPV Focal Point
- Reviewing of recommendations from PIE & Coverage Survey
- Identification of practical delivery strategies:
 - School-based vaccination strategy - An effective method to reaching adolescents population
 - Fixed, Outreach, & Mobile Strategies

Restoration of HPV Vaccine Coverage

Conduct a root cause analysis to document reason(s) responsible for low coverage

Categorization of factors affecting HPV vaccine into levels of priorities

Develop a resilient & sustainable improvement plan for HPV vaccine considering future public health emergency

Operationalization of the HPV improvement plan

