



Adolescent Immunization Action Week

April 1 - 5, 2024

Public Immunization Events in Connecticut

Adolescent Immunization Action Week (#AIAW24) is a yearly observance with the goal of motivating adolescents and young adults to stay up to date on their recommended immunizations. [View AIAW resources here](#)

Below are the local Immunization Action Plan (IAP) Coordinators' events located throughout the state!

Bridgeport, Stamford and Greenwich IAP

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April 1-5, 2024, Check us out on social media for updates, educational information, and resources all week:

- [Southwestern AHEC's Facebook Page](#)
- Instagram: [@swahec_ct](#)

April 1, 2024, 9:30am-12pm Bridgeport Optimus WIC Office 1450 Barnum Ave #205, Bridgeport. Distribution of immunization information to parents highlighting the importance of adolescent immunization.

April 3, 2024, 9:30am-12pm Stamford WIC Office 805 Atlantic St, Stamford. Distribution of immunization information and giveaways to parents highlighting the importance of adolescent immunization.

Hartford and Greater Hartford Area IAP

Contact: Deborah Cruz, IAP Coordinator (860) 527-0856 ext.1415
deborahc@hispanichealthcouncil.org

April 1-5, 2024, HPV materials will be promoted during this week on our social media:

- hispanichealthcouncil.org
- Facebook [@HispanicHealthCouncil](#)
- Instagram [@hispanichealthcouncil_ct](#)

April 3, 2024, Maria Sanchez Elementary School 176 Babcock St, Hartford. General immunization Presentation and Jeopardy Game to the after-school program.

April 5, 2024, Maria Sanchez Elementary School 176 Babcock St, Hartford. HPV Presentation and Game to the after-school program.

Ledge Light Health District IAP

Contact: Cindy Barry, IAP Coordinator (860) 448-4882 ext. 1302 cbarry@llhd.org

April 1-5, 2024, Please view our Social Media Campaign:

- llhd.org
- Facebook [@LedgeLightHD](#)
- Instagram [@ledgelighthd](#)
- Twitter [@LedgeLightHD](#)



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April 1-5, 2024, Listen for an Adolescent Immunization Action Week Campaign on WCTY radio and look for the ad in 'The Day' newspaper.

April 4-30, 2024, Distribution of adolescent immunization educational materials: posters, bookmarks and bags of materials will be held at the following locations:

- Lyme Youth Service, 59 Lyme St, Old Lyme, CT 06371
- East Lyme Youth Service Bureau, 41 Society Road, Niantic, CT 06357
- Groton Youth Service Bureau, 2 Fort Hill Rd, Groton, CT 06340
- Waterford Youth Service Bureau, 200 Boston Post Rd, Waterford, CT 06385
- New London Youth Affairs - 111 Union Street - New London CT 06320
- Stonington Youth and Family Services, 166 South Broad Street Pawcatuck, CT
- Ledyard Youth Service Bureau, 741 Colonel Ledyard Hwy, Ledyard, CT 06339
- Ledge Light Health District Community Wellness Center, 61 Fort Hill Rd, Groton, CT 06340

Naugatuck Valley Health District IAP

Contact: Elizabeth Mester, IAP Coordinator (203) 881-3255 emester@nvhd.org

April 1-5, 2024, Look for Adolescent Immunization Action Week (AIAW24) resources on NVHD's Social Media Sites:

- [Facebook](#)
- [X \(Twitter\)](#)
- [Instagram](#)
- [Naugatuck Valley Health District website](#)

New Britain Health Department IAP

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April 2, 2024, 2pm-5:30pm YWCA New Britain- 19 Franklin Square, New Britain. Table will be set up with educational materials regarding immunizations for adolescents and parents. IAP staff will be present to answer questions.

April 4, 2024, 8:15am-11:00am YWCA New Britain- 19 Franklin Square, New Britain. Table will be set up with educational materials regarding immunizations for adolescents and parents. IAP staff will be present to answer questions.

April 3 and April 5, 2024 10am-1pm New Britain Public Library- 20 High St, New Britain. Table will be set up with educational materials regarding immunizations for adolescents and parents. IAP staff will be present to answer questions.

New Haven Health Department IAP/ West Haven IAP

Contact: Jennifer Hall, IAP Coordinator (203) 946-7257 JHall@newhavenct.gov

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- newhavenct.gov
- Facebook [@NHPublicHealth](https://www.facebook.com/NHPublicHealth)
- X (Twitter) [@NHPublicHealth](https://twitter.com/NHPublicHealth)

April 2, 2024, 2:00pm-4:30pm WHEAT, Inc. 674 Washington Ave, West Haven Greater New Haven IAP staff will host an educational table disseminating immunization educational materials and giveaways. (Open to the Public)

April 6, 2024, 10am - 2pm ML Keefe Community Center 11 Pine St, Hamden Greater New Haven IAP staff will host an educational table disseminating immunization educational materials and giveaways. (Open to the Public)

Norwalk Health Department IAP/ Danbury Area IAP

Contacts: Pam Bates, Norwalk area IAP Coordinator (203) 216-0575 ptb50@aol.com

Sarah Foristel, IAP Outreach worker (203) 940-5220 sforistel@norwalkct.org

April 1-5, 2024, Check out posts on our social media: about adolescent immunizations on our social media pages:

- [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/NorwalkHealthDept)
- [X \(Twitter\)](https://twitter.com/NorwalkHealthDept)
- [Instagram](https://www.instagram.com/NorwalkHealthDept)

April 1-5, 2024, Information about the childhood and adolescent immunization program, immunization schedules, and CT WiZ can be found on the Norwalk Health Department's website: www.norwalkct.org/health

April 1-5, 2024, Immunization information for pre-teens and teens will be posted and available for the taking at the Norwalk Health Dept, Main lobby, 137 East Avenue, Norwalk, CT and Danbury Health and Human Services Main lobby, 155 Deer Hill Avenue, Danbury, CT.

Torrington Area Health District IAP

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April 1-5, 2024, Adolescent Immunization Action Week will be promoted all week on our social media:

- tahd.org/immunization
- Facebook [@TAHD1967](https://www.facebook.com/TAHD1967)

April 1-5, 2024, Please take note of our billboard located at 350 Main Street in Torrington promoting Adolescent Immunization Action Week.

April 1-5, 2024, Educational materials on all adolescent vaccines, including HPV vaccine bookmarks and brochures, will be available at the following locations:

- TAHD, Family Strides Lobby, and WIC, 350 Main St., Torrington
- Community Health and Wellness, 469 Migeon Ave., Torrington
- Litchfield Hills Family Med, 434 Prospect St, Torrington



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- FISH, 332 S Main St, Torrington
- ABC Pediatrics – Torrington, 52 Peck Rd Ste g, Torrington
- Litchfield County Pediatrics, 20 Felicity Ln, Torrington
- Dr. Magda and Dr. Curio, 30 Peck Rd # 1101, Torrington
- Winsted Pediatrics, 115 Spencer St #3, Winsted
- Northwest Hills Pediatrics, 49 Spencer St, Winsted

April 1-5, 2024, Listen for a CDC PSA for adolescent specific vaccinations on the FM 97.3 WZBG radio station.

April 1-5, 2024, Friendly Hands Food Bank Inc., 50 King St, Torrington and The Salvation Army of Torrington, 234 Oak Ave, Torrington, will have an outreach worker distributing educational materials on adolescent immunizations.

Waterbury Health Department IAP

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April 1, 2024 -April 5, 2024, Waterbury Immunization Program will actively promote Adolescent Immunization Action Week (AIAW). Immunization staff will post educational materials on the importance of adolescent vaccinations.

Daily Online Activities can be found here:

- [Facebook](#)
- waterburyct.org/health
- [Instagram](#)

April 1, 2024–April 5, 2024, Check out our messaging placed on 6 different City of Waterbury buses, promoting the importance of immunizations. You can see these messages throughout April–June.



April 2, 2024, 2:30pm-4pm TEAM, Inc. Slocum Center 25 Rumford St. Waterbury. Waterbury Immunization Program will have an interactive display table filled with educational brochures & items for students. IAP staff will be present to answer questions. The event is *not* open to public.

April 4, 2024, 3:30pm-5:30pm Silas Bronson Library 267 Grand St Waterbury. Waterbury Immunization Program will have an interactive display table filled with educational brochures & items for students. IAP staff will be present to answer questions. Event is open to public.