

# Review of: "[Viewpoint] World Immunization Week: Immunization of Healthcare Workers – A reminder"

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Improving vaccination coverage also in HCW is very necessary. Congratulations for disseminate this reminder for good practices. In addition, the document it is easy to read and clear. I would point out some considerations:

- I would find interesting to show some data related to the amount of HCW without vaccination, such as vaccination coverage or incidence of some of those preventable diseases (if it is possible).
- In the 2nd paragraph, sentence "For prevention...." It seems quite long, and I would propose two sentences, instead of one. Therefore, it would be clearer, on the one hand the importance of vaccination, and on the other hand, other measures to consider (control measures like hand hygiene...).
- Finally, I also believe that it could be interesting to point out the importance of consider barriers and/or facilitator in the implementation of immunization programs among HCW, complementing in that way the reference of the guideline on the implementation of occupational health and safety programs for HCWs by the ILO and WHO.