Review of: "Review: Human papillomavirus (HPV)"

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This review article is comprehensive and gives a good overview of HPV and its advances. However, I would like to add how HPV was detected by an Italian doctor who worked with nuns to the introduction. Also, in the vaccines section, I would add the Cervarix (bivalent) vaccine too. In addition to that, I would add a note on cervical cancer screening and the tests that are used in screening. Despite the vaccines, we have realized that we still need to continue screening the population as the incidence of cancer increases with age. I think it is mandatory, especially since it is a review article. I would also cite the Globocan status on the prevalence and incidence of HPV-related cancers or cervical cancer.