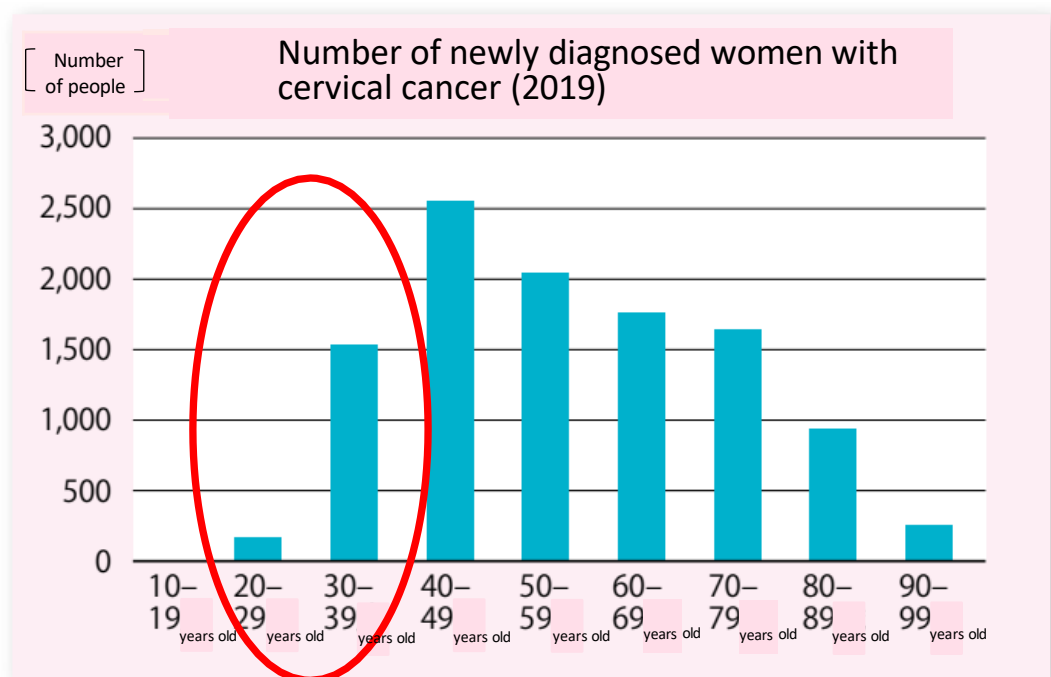


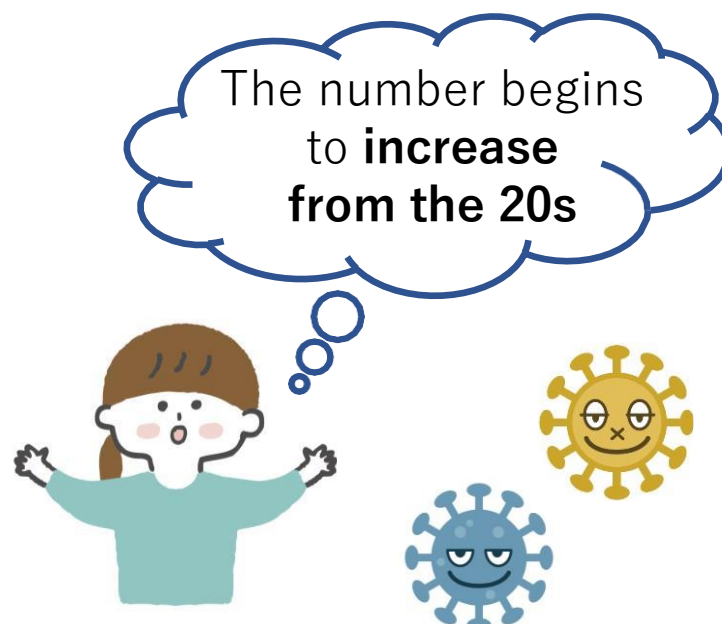
# Cervical cancer can be prevented !

In Japan, **10,000** people get cervical cancer every year, and about **3,000** people die from it.

Approximately **1,000** people a year lose their uterus due to treatment by the time they reach their 30s.



※Data from the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare leaflet



## Most are caused by human papillomavirus (HPV) !

Many women are infected once in their life with the virus, but in **most people the virus will disappear naturally**, but unfortunately it ends up becoming a "cancer" in some people.

### Preventing uterine cervix cancer...

1 **HPV vaccine**

&

2 **Pap smear**  
\* Make sure to receive it **every two years** if **over 20 years old!**



\* Students in Grades 6 through Year 1 of high school are eligible for publicly funded vaccinations!

If the first vaccination is completed by the 15<sup>th</sup> birthday, the number of vaccination required is two!

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For women  
born between April 2, 1997

and April 1, 2007

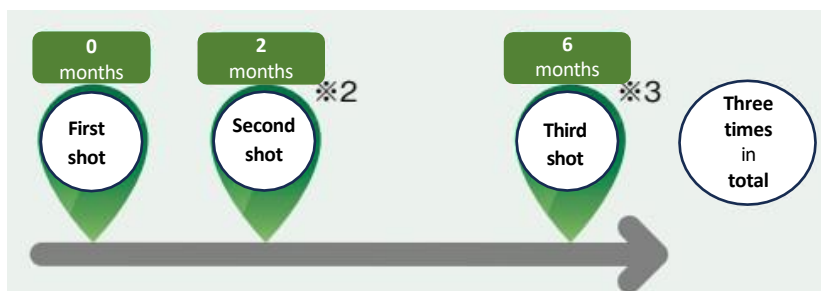
You can receive the  
**HPV vaccination at  
public expense  
(free of charge)!**

※For more information,  
please contact the municipality  
where you are certified as a  
resident.

You must receive  
your first vaccination  
by **September  
2024**  
in order to complete it  
in time.

Time limit is  
**March  
2025**

《 Inoculation schedule for the HPV vaccine 》



Please **casually  
consult a  
gynecologist** if you  
are worried about  
anything

For the catch-up  
generation.  
Please cooperate with  
the questionnaire



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