



## GARDASIL®

[Human Papillomavirus Quadrivalent (Types 6, 11, 16, and 18) Vaccine, Recombinant]

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- 51 • take any medicines, even those you can buy over the counter.

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53 Your health care provider will help decide if you should get the vaccine.

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### 55 **How is GARDASIL given?**

56 GARDASIL is a shot that is usually given in the arm muscle. You will need 3 shots given on the following  
57 schedule:

- 58 • Dose 1: at a date you and your health care provider choose.
- 59 • Dose 2: 2 months after Dose 1.
- 60 • Dose 3: 6 months after Dose 1.

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62 Fainting can happen after getting GARDASIL. Sometimes people who faint can fall and hurt themselves.  
63 For this reason, your health care provider may ask you to sit or lie down for 15 minutes after you get  
64 GARDASIL. Some people who faint might shake or become stiff. This may require evaluation or  
65 treatment by your health care provider.

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67 Make sure that you get all 3 doses on time so that you get the best protection. If you miss a dose, talk to  
68 your health care provider.

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### 70 **Can other vaccines and medications be given at the same time as GARDASIL?**

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72 GARDASIL can be given at the same time as RECOMBIVAX HB®<sup>1</sup> [hepatitis B vaccine (recombinant)] or  
73 Menactra [Meningococcal (Groups A, C, Y and W-135) Polysaccharide Diphtheria Toxoid Conjugate  
74 Vaccine] and Adacel [Tetanus Toxoid, Reduced Diphtheria Toxoid and Acellular Pertussis Vaccine  
75 Adsorbed (Tdap)].

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### 77 **What are the possible side effects of GARDASIL?**

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79 The most common side effects with GARDASIL are:

- 80 • pain, swelling, itching, bruising, and redness at the injection site
- 81 • headache
- 82 • fever
- 83 • nausea
- 84 • dizziness
- 85 • vomiting
- 86 • fainting

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88 There was no increase in side effects when GARDASIL was given at the same time as RECOMBIVAX HB  
89 [hepatitis B vaccine (recombinant)].

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91 There was more injection-site swelling at the injection site for GARDASIL when GARDASIL was given at  
92 the same time as Menactra [Meningococcal (Groups A, C, Y and W-135) Polysaccharide Diphtheria Toxoid  
93 Conjugate Vaccine] and Adacel [Tetanus Toxoid, Reduced Diphtheria Toxoid and Acellular Pertussis  
94 Vaccine Adsorbed (Tdap)].

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96 Tell your health care provider if you have any of the following problems because these may be signs of an  
97 allergic reaction:

- 98 • difficulty breathing
- 99 • wheezing (bronchospasm)
- 100 • hives
- 101 • rash

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- 103 Tell your health care provider if you have:
- 104 • swollen glands (neck, armpit, or groin)
  - 105 • joint pain
  - 106 • unusual tiredness, weakness, or confusion
  - 107 • chills
  - 108 • generally feeling unwell
  - 109 • leg pain
  - 110 • shortness of breath
  - 111 • chest pain
  - 112 • aching muscles
  - 113 • muscle weakness
  - 114 • seizure
  - 115 • bad stomach ache
  - 116 • bleeding or bruising more easily than normal
  - 117 • skin infection

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119 Contact your health care provider right away if you get any symptoms that concern you, even several

120 months after getting the vaccine.

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122 For a more complete list of side effects, ask your health care provider.

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124 **What are the ingredients in GARDASIL?**

125 The ingredients are proteins of HPV Types 6, 11, 16, and 18, amorphous aluminum hydroxyphosphate

126 sulfate, yeast protein, sodium chloride, L-histidine, polysorbate 80, sodium borate, and water for injection.

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128 This leaflet is a summary of information about GARDASIL. If you would like more information, please talk

129 to your health care provider or visit [www.gardasil.com](http://www.gardasil.com).

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