

2008: Very Good
(17 out of 22 points)

2007: Excellent
(15 out of 18 points)



MINNESOTA

POPULATION: 5,167,101			
Incidence & Mortality		2008 Score	2007 Score
Cervical Cancer Incidence Rate:	6.7/100,000 ▼	2	2
Cervical Cancer Incidence Rate/Race:	White: 6.3 Black: 12.5 Hispanic: 14.0		
Cervical Cancer Mortality Rate:	1.9/100,000 ▲	2	2
Cervical Cancer Mortality Rate/Race:	White: 1.9 Black: 3.8		
Screening		2008 Score	2007 Score
Cervical Cancer Screening Rate:	86.2% ▼	2	2
Cervical Cancer Screening Rate/Race:	White: 86.6%		
% Uninsured/Unscreened:	26.6%	1	1
Medicaid Coverage HPV Testing:	Unrestricted	2	2
Healthcare Access		2008 Score	2007 Score
Rate Uninsured Women:	9% -	2	2
% Low Income/Uninsured Women:	22%		
Policy Initiatives and Infrastructure		2008 Score	Cumulative Score (2005–2008)
Screening Requirements			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> There are no new screening requirements. 		0	1
Task Forces			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> There is no new cervical cancer prevention task force legislation. 		0	2
Access to HPV Vaccines			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> HB 530/SB 243 would require female children 12 years and older to receive the HPV vaccine to enroll in school, with provision of exemption upon submission of notarized statement by parents; and the commissioner of health to develop HPV and HPV vaccine education materials for schools; referred to Health and Human Services Committee. 		1	1
HPV Vaccine Information Programs			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> There is no HPV vaccine information activity. 		0	0
Miscellaneous			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> HB 1078 requires the commissioner of health to conduct a study on the risks and benefits of the HPV vaccine; the availability and effectiveness of the vaccine; the extent to which health plan companies cover the cost of the vaccination; and ways to cover the cost of vaccination for persons without coverage. The commissioner will submit a report to the legislature by February 2008 on the findings of the study and recommendations as to whether the HPV vaccine should be made mandatory statewide; signed by Gov. Pawlenty. 		2	2

- ▲ rate increased over last report
- ▼ rate decreased over last report
- rate stayed the same since last report