

2008: Good
(12 out of 22 points)
2007: Good
(10 out of 18 points)

VERMONT

POPULATION: 623,908			
Incidence & Mortality		2008 Score	2007 Score
Cervical Cancer Incidence Rate:	7.3/100,000 ▼	2	1
Cervical Cancer Incidence Rate/Race:	White: 7.4		
Cervical Cancer Mortality Rate:	2.5/100,000 ▲	1	1
Cervical Cancer Mortality Rate/Race:	White: 2.6		
Screening		2008 Score	2007 Score
Cervical Cancer Screening Rate:	87.1% ▼	2	2
Cervical Cancer Screening Rate/Race:	White: 87.6%		
% Uninsured/Unscreened:	23.9%	1	1
Medicaid Coverage HPV Testing:	Unrestricted	2	2
Healthcare Access		2008 Score	2007 Score
Rate Uninsured Women:	13% –	1	1
% Low Income/Uninsured Women:	23%		
Policy Initiatives and Infrastructure		2008 Score	Cumulative Score (2005–2008)
Screening Requirements			
• There are no new screening requirements.		0	0
Task Forces			
• There is no new cervical cancer prevention task force legislation.		0	2
Access to HPV Vaccines			
• HB 256/SB 139 would require girls entering 6th grade to show evidence of HPV vaccination or require parents objecting on religious/moral grounds to sign a statement acknowledging receipt of information about connection between HPV and cervical cancer; to House Committee on Human Services/ Senate Committee on Health and Welfare.		1	1
HPV Vaccine Information Programs			
• There is no HPV vaccine information activity.		0	0
Miscellaneous			
• There is no new miscellaneous cervical cancer prevention activity.		0	0

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

Additional Notes: \$2,054,155 was appropriated to the state Department of Health to provide the HPV vaccine for girls aged nine to 18.