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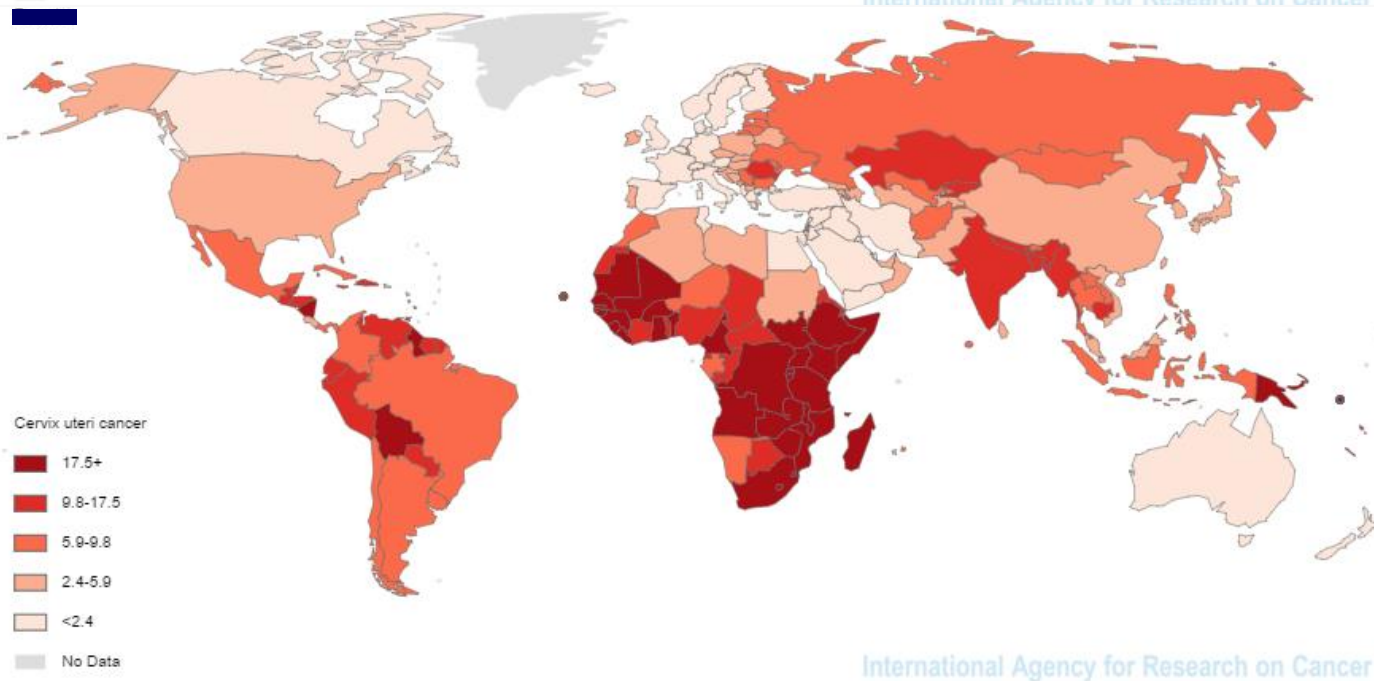
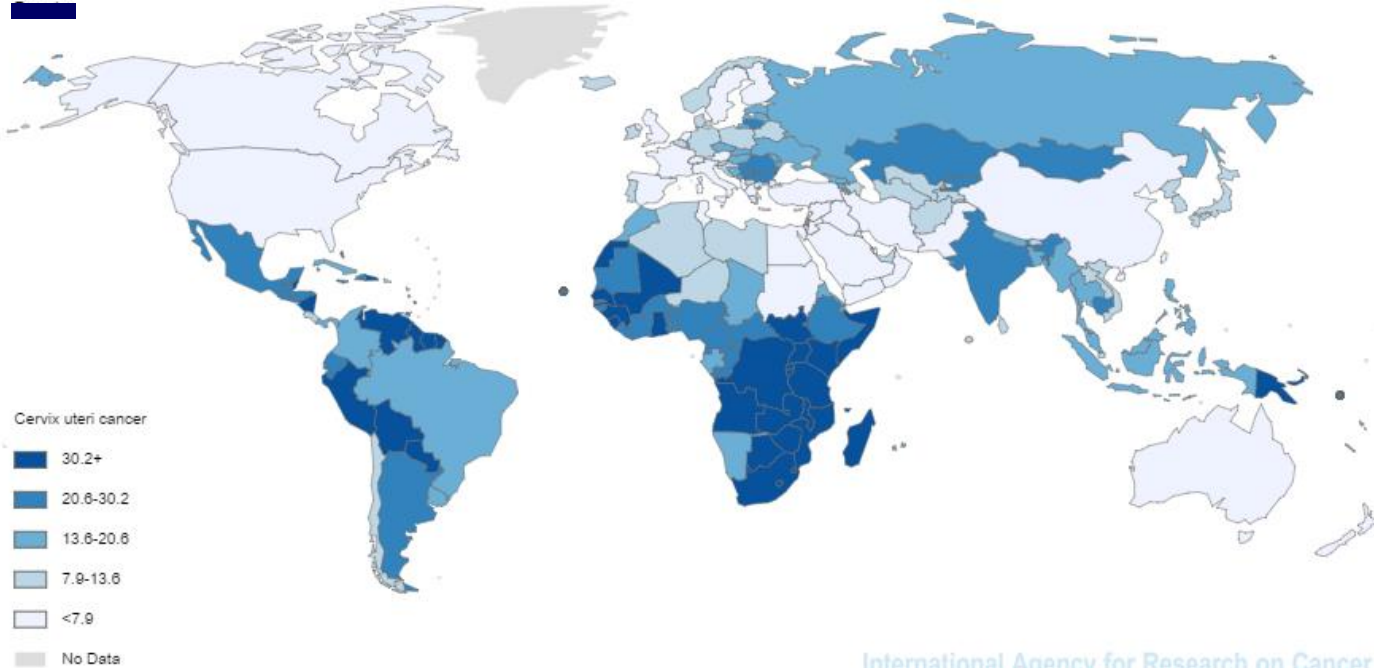
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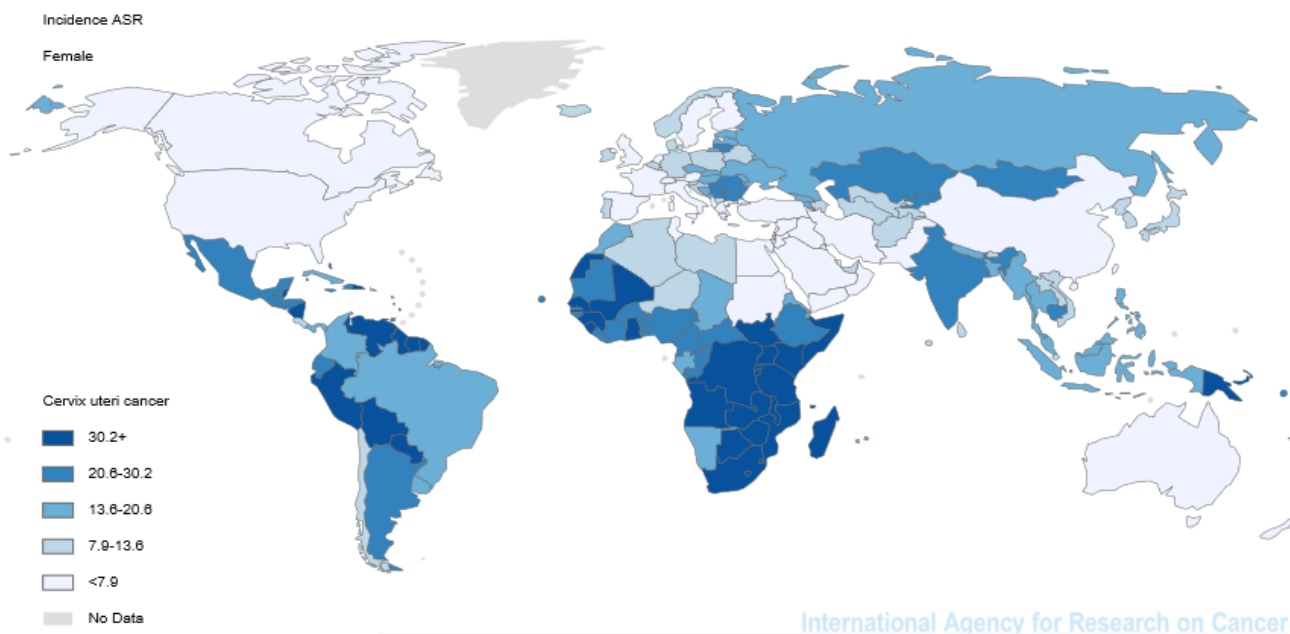
- I have received commercial HPV tests for research at a reduced or no cost from Roche, Qiagen, Norchip, BD, AVC, & mtm.
- I have been compensated as a member of a Merck Data and Safety Monitoring Board for HPV vaccines.
- I have been paid as consultant for BD, Gen-Probe/Hologic, Roche, Cepheid, ClearPath, Guided Therapeutics, Teva Pharmaceuticals, Inovio, & GE Healthcare.

Today's Talk

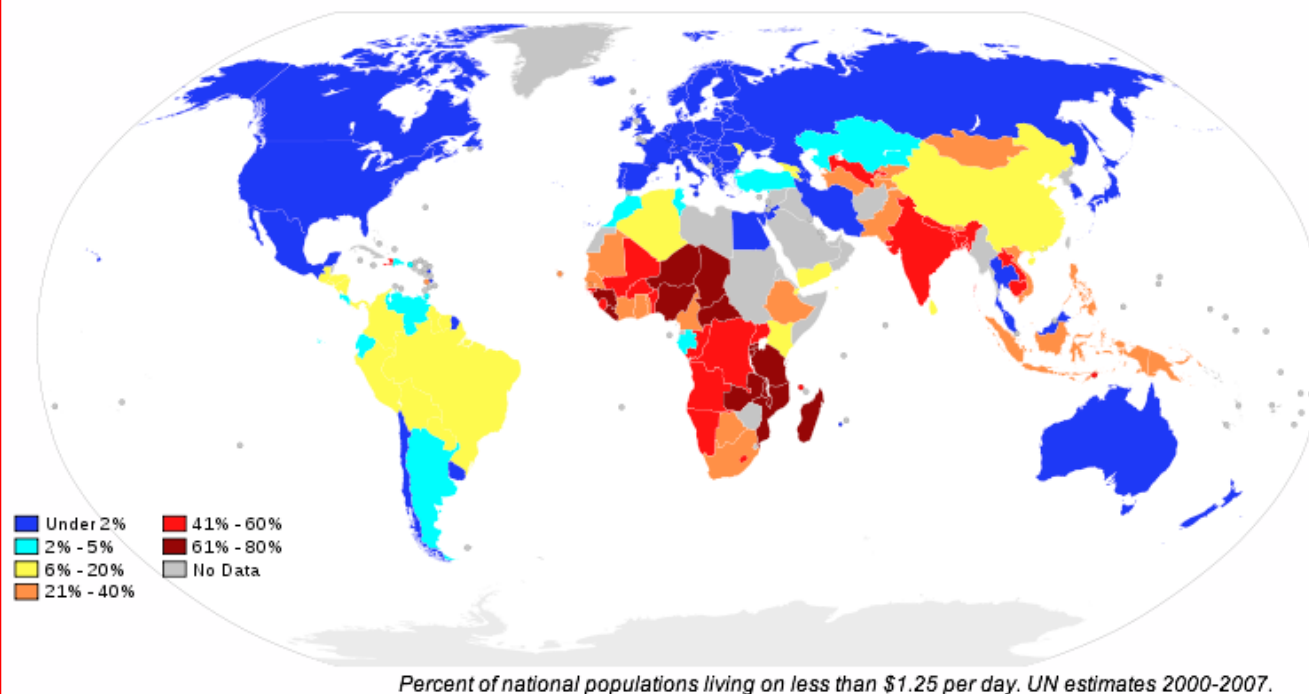
1. Global Cervical Cancer Burden
2. Natural History Of HPV: The Rational Basis For Cervical Cancer Prevention
3. 1° Prevention: HPV Vaccination
4. 2° Prevention: Screening
5. Global CxCa Prevention And Control: How Do We Make It Available To Everyone?

Global Cervical Cancer Burden



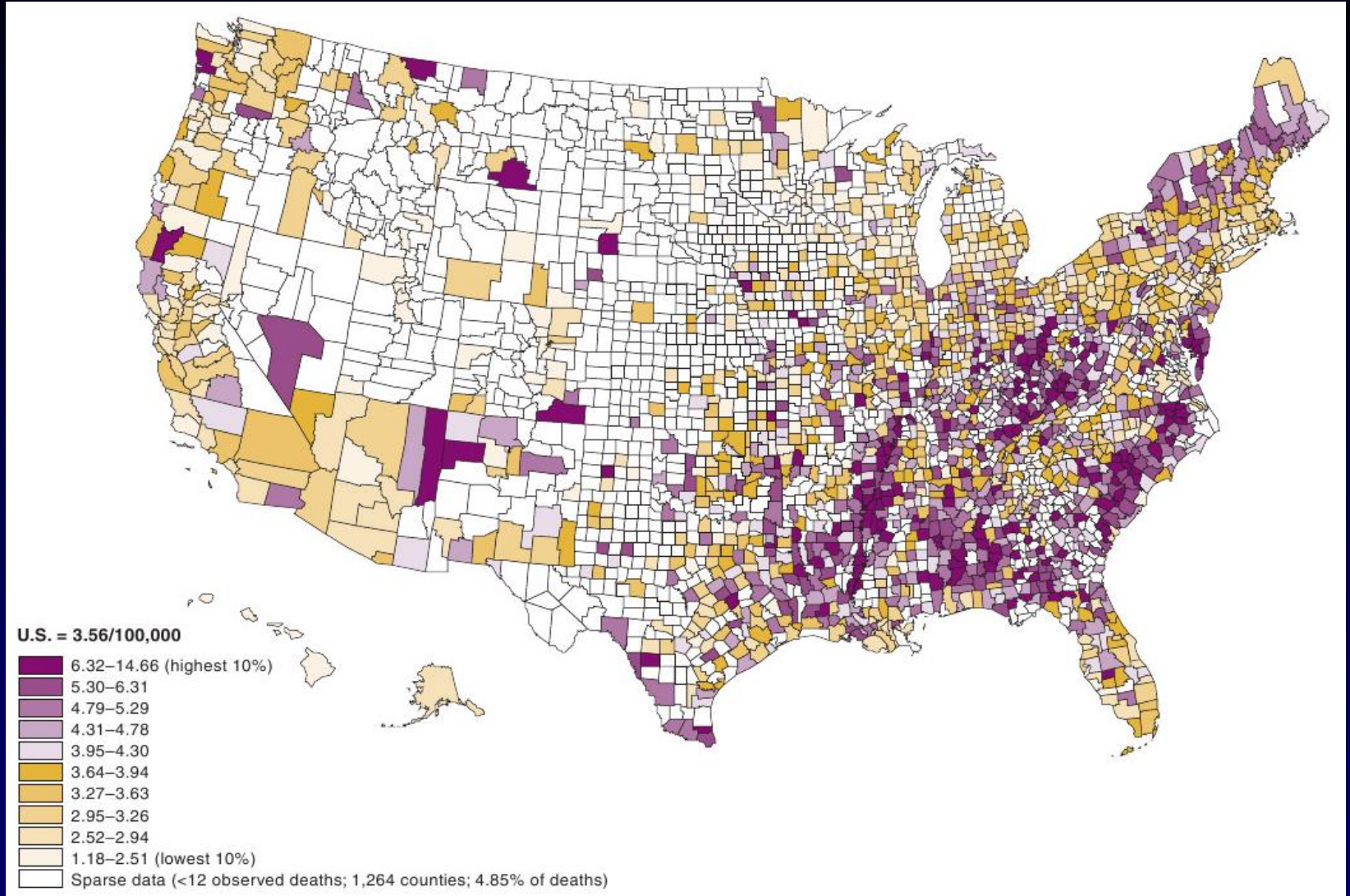


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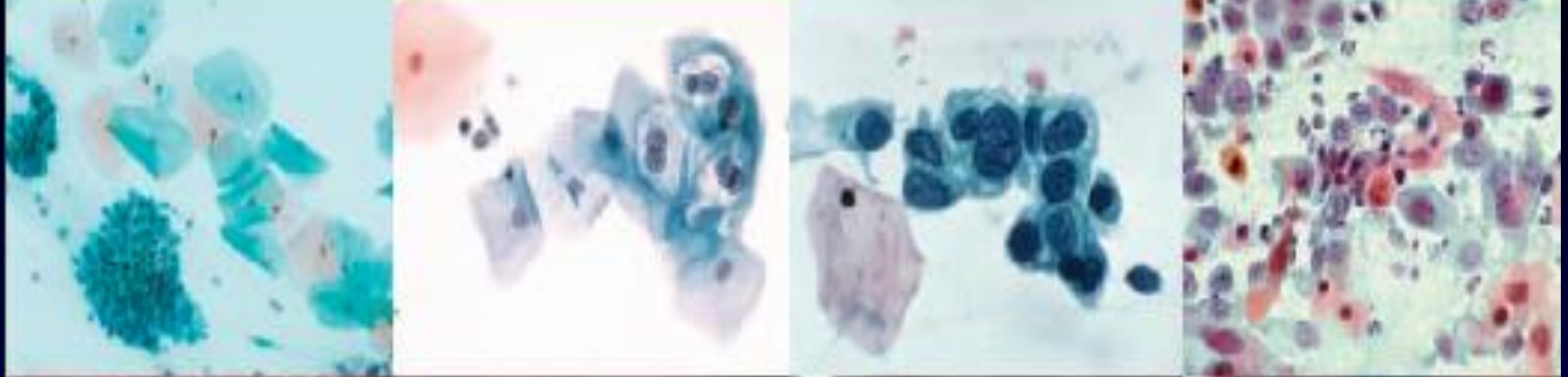
Global Cervical Cancer & Poverty

U.S. Cervical Cancer Mortality Map



Freeman HP, Wingrove BK. Excess Cervical Cancer Mortality: A Marker for Low Access to Health Care in Poor Communities. Rockville, MD: National Cancer Institute, Center to Reduce Cancer Health Disparities, May 2005. NIH Pub. No.

New Model of Cervical Carcinogenesis



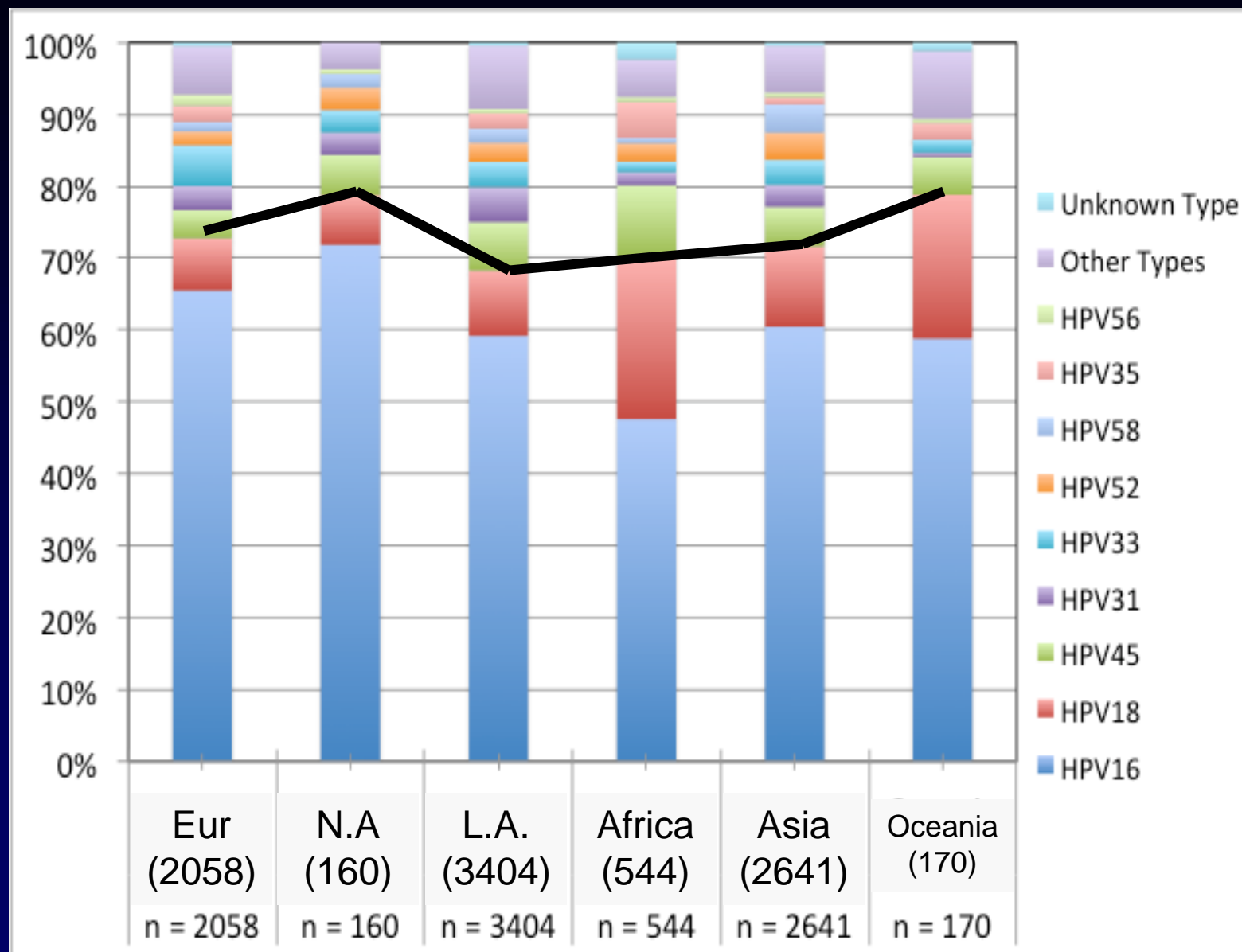
Transient infection

Persistent HPV

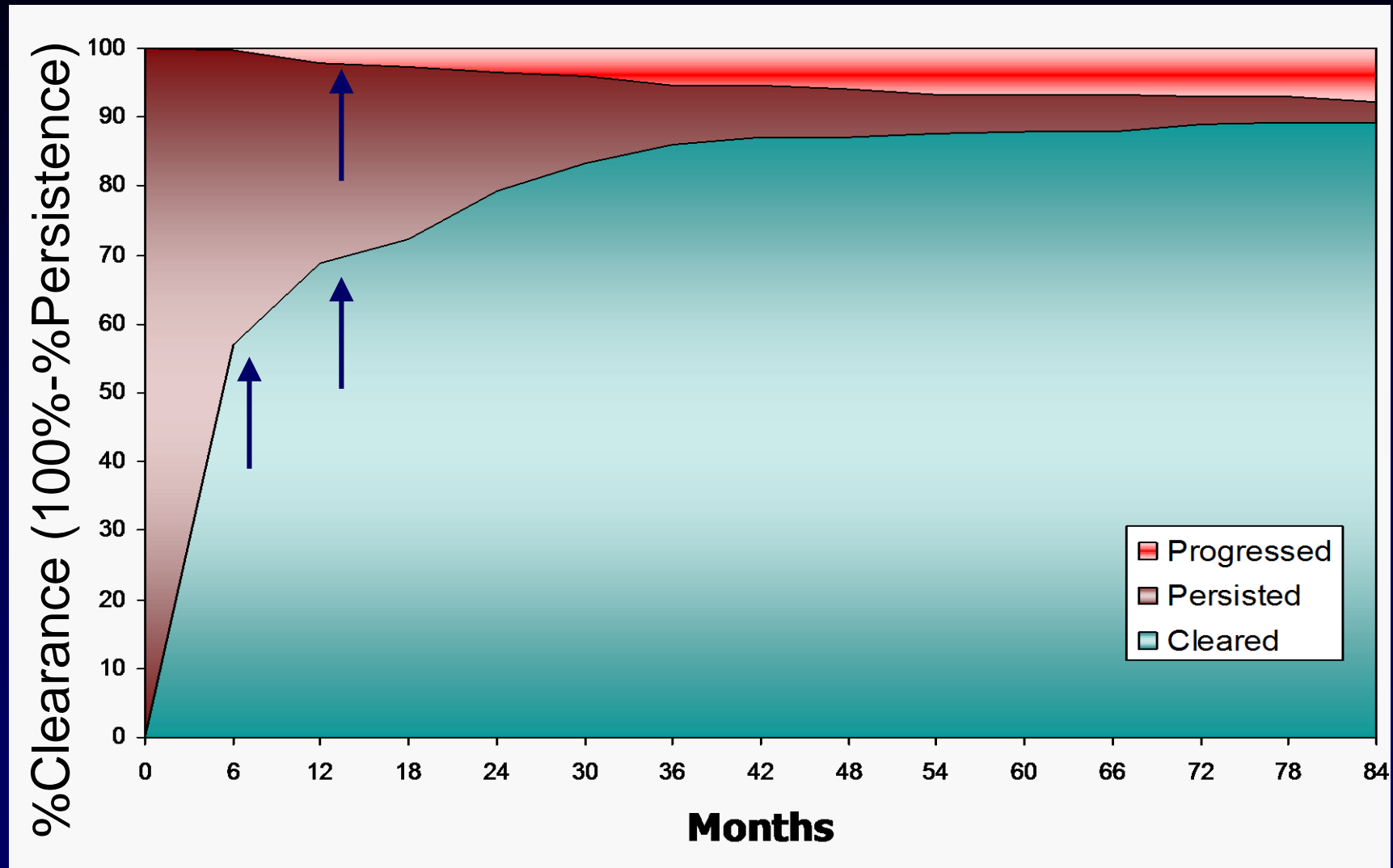


Schiffman et al., Lancet, 2007

Global Variation of HPV Genotypes in CxCa



Natural History Profile of Prevalent HPV



Risk Factors for Cervical Cancer

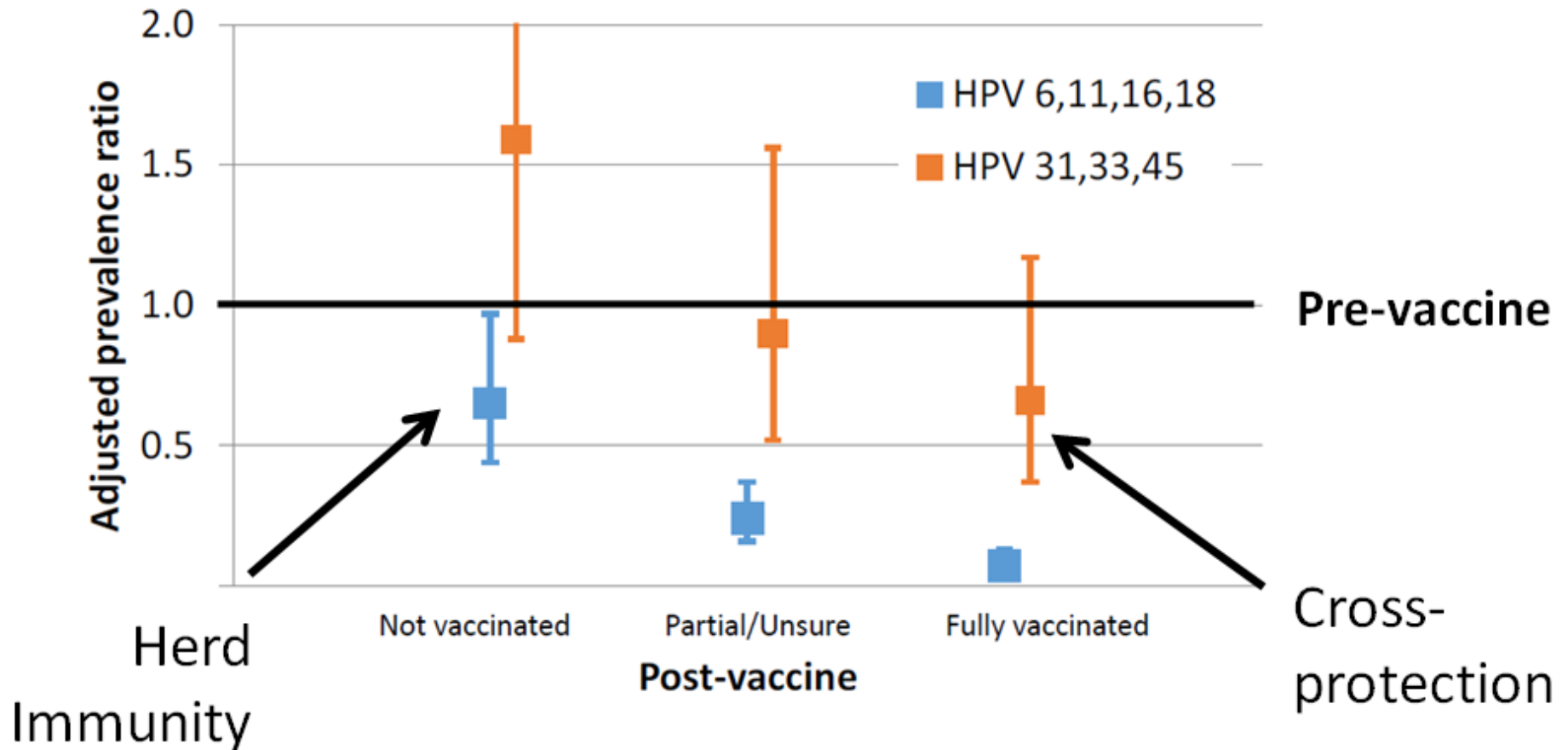
Risk Factor	Association	Absolute Risk
Having a cervix (SCJ)	Nearly Infinite	Low
Persistent HPV	Infinite	High
Lack of Preventive Services	Infinite	Low
Having Sex/Exposure to HPV	Infinite	Low
HPV16 Detection	500	High
HR-HPV (pooled) Detection	100	Medium
Abnormal Pap	25-50	Medium
AIDS	10-20	Medium
HIV	5-10	Medium
Parity (vs. none)	2-4	Low
Oral Contraceptive Use (vs. none)	2-4	Low
Smoking	2-5	Low
Immunogenetics (e.g., HLA)	2-5	Low

Australian Vaccine Program: Coverage

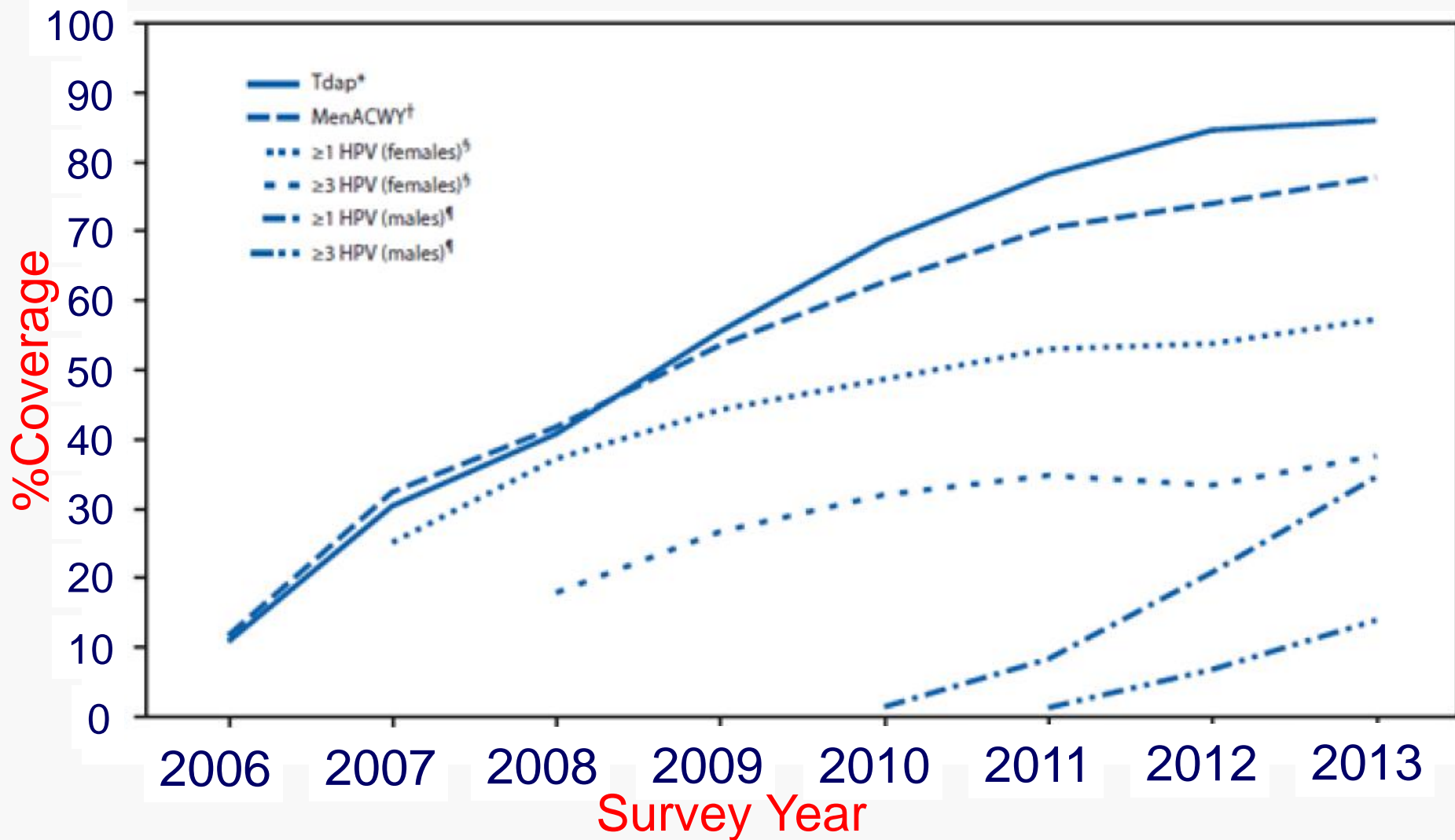


- Reminder: 2006 US FDA Approval
- Mostly Gardasil in Australia

Australian Vaccine Program: Impact



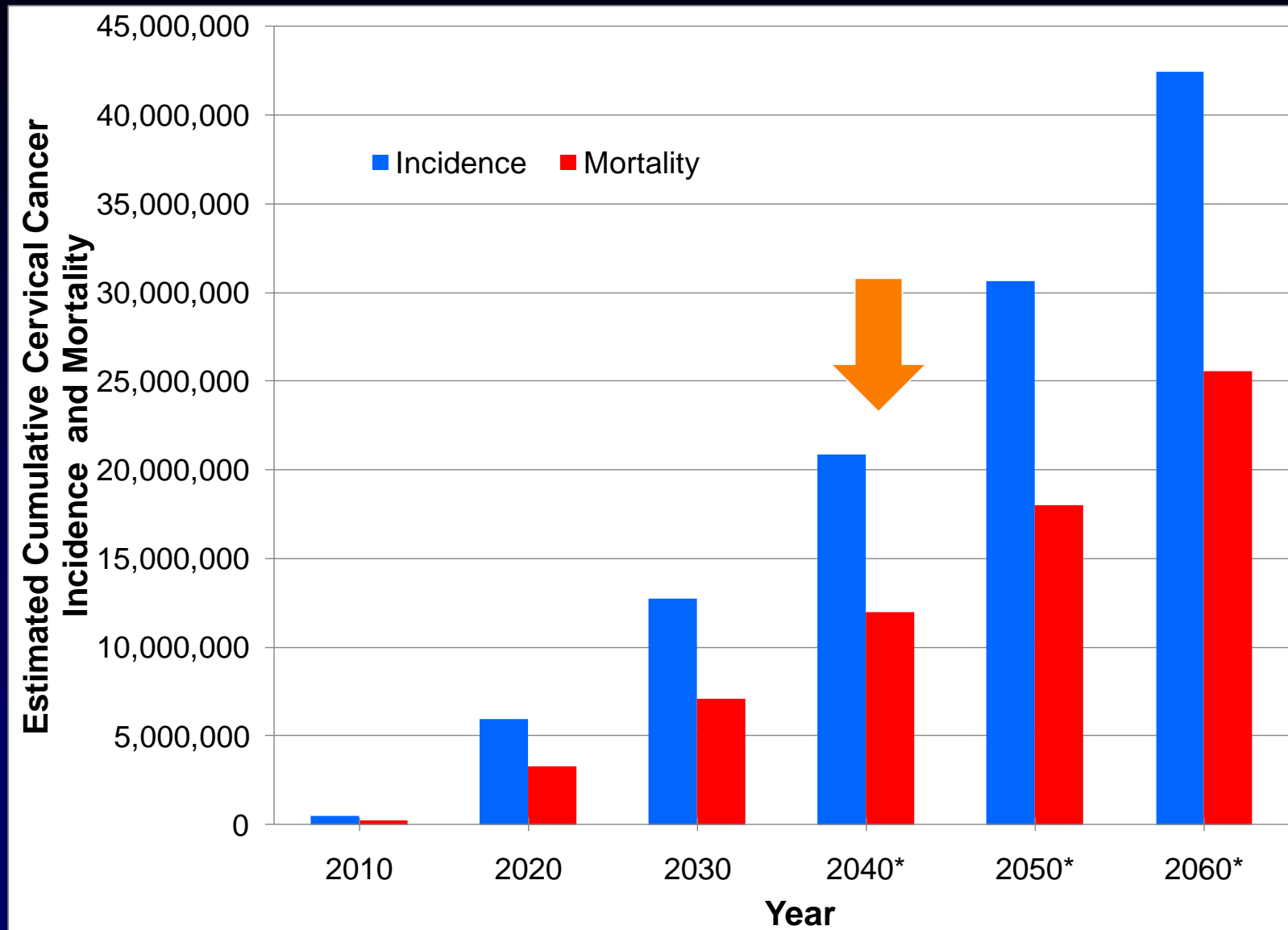
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Safety

As stated by the World Health Organization's Global Advisory Committee on Vaccine Safety on March 12, 2014, "We continue to closely monitor the safety of HPV vaccines and, based on a careful examination of the available evidence, continue to affirm that its benefit-risk profile remains favorable. The Committee is concerned, however, by the claims of harm that are being raised on the basis of anecdotal observations and reports in the absence of biological or epidemiological substantiation."

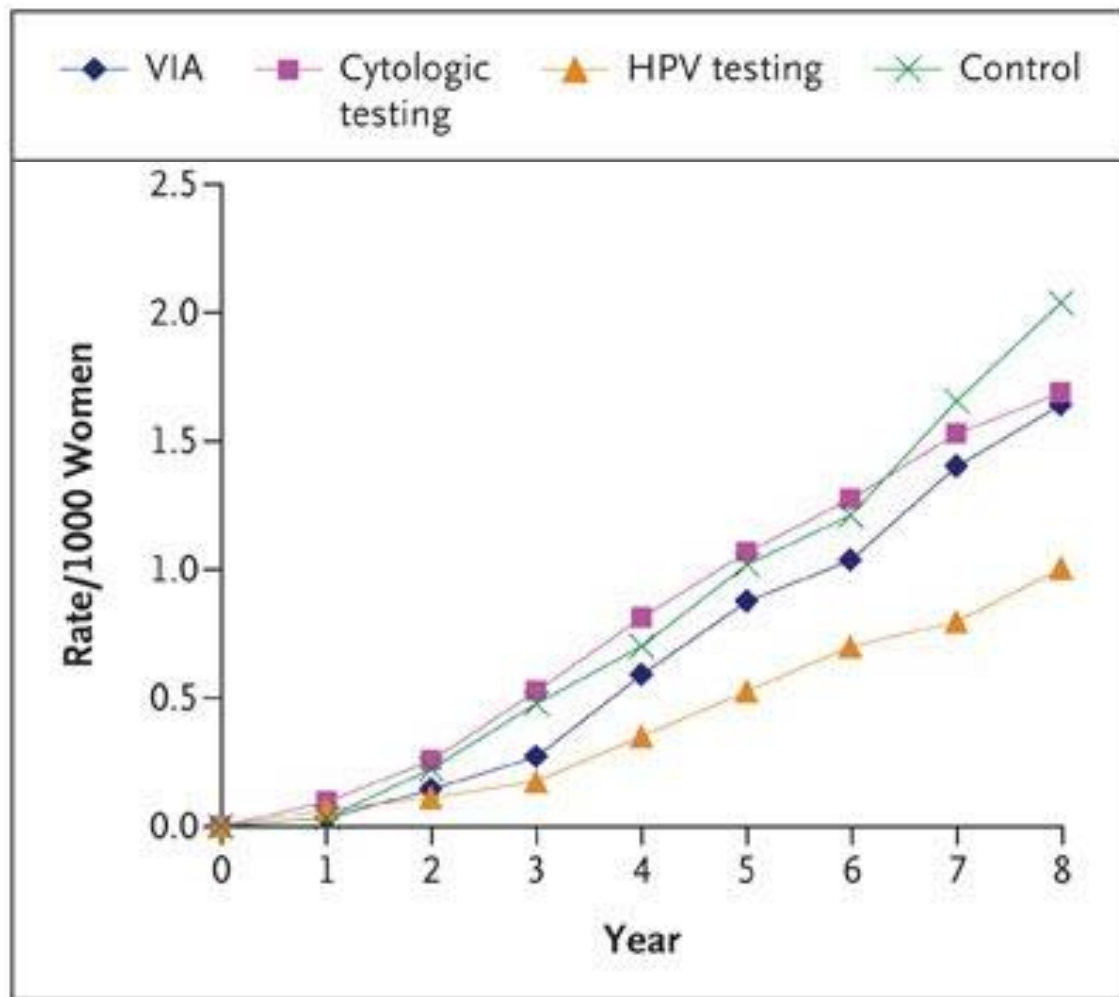
The Forecast Calls For Pain



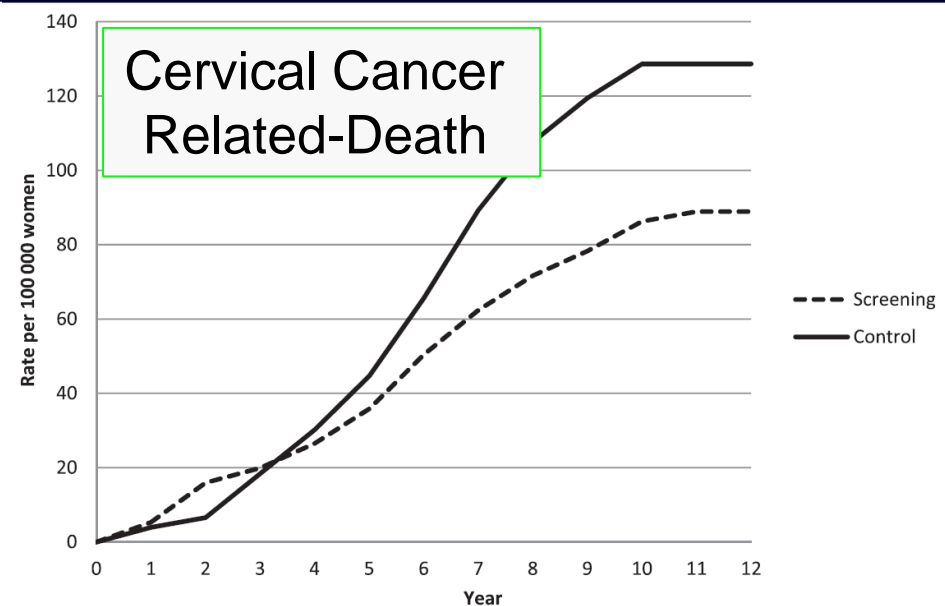
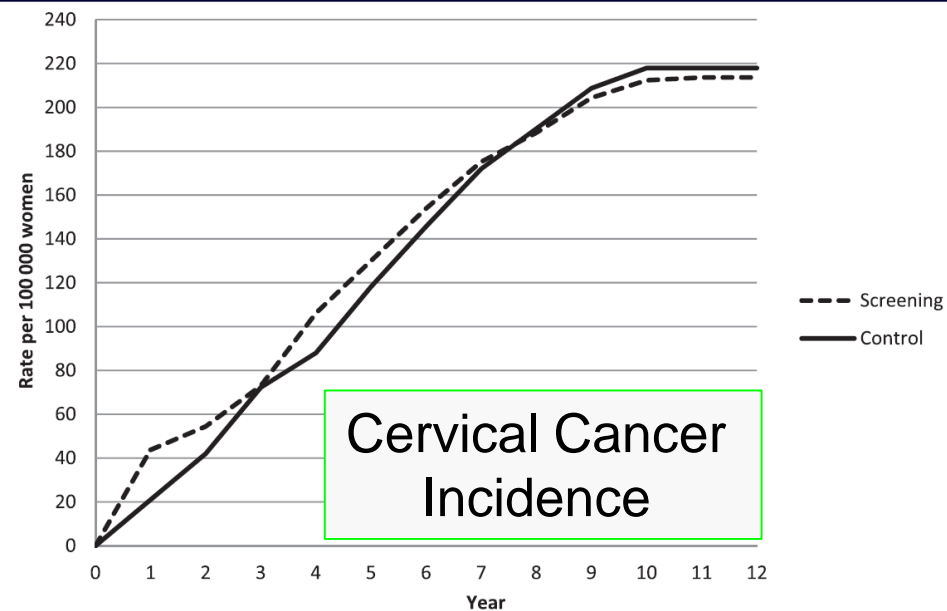
The Menu of Options

STEPS	OPTIONS	STRENGTHS	ISSUES/LIMITATIONS
Sampling	Clinician	Better Se and SP	Requires most personnel, disposables, clinic time and space; transportation
	Self @ home	Logistically easier	Specimen transport & acceptability
	Self @ clinic	Help available (vs. @ home)	Clinic time and space; transportation
Testing	Pap	Well-accepted; considered standard of care	Difficult to establish and maintain; facility; chemicals
	VIA	Lowest cost; well suited to screen&treat strategy	Detects on the most large and obvious lesions; reliability?
	HPV DNA	Best Se; proven with self-collection	More expensive than VIA; laboratory needed; disposables
	Biomarkers (E6; p16)	May provide a good tradeoff of Se and Sp; Triage	Large-scale validation needed; more specific, less long-term impact
Management	Colposcopy	Well-accepted; diagnostic confirmation	Requires trained personnel and equipment: colposcopy misses small precancerous lesions
	Triage to Colposcopy	Reduces colposcopy; more specific	Requires a more Sp test that still has reasonably high Se; losses to follow-up
	Treatment	Limits losses to follow-up	Over-treatment
	Triage to Treatment	Reduces over-treatment	Reduces over-treatment; losses to follow-up in triage-negative women
Treatment	Excision	Most efficacious (90-95%)	Requires trained personnel; Excessive bleeding
	Cryotherapy	Can be implemented by any health worker	Selected population; risk of HIV infection?; acceptability; CO ₂ ?

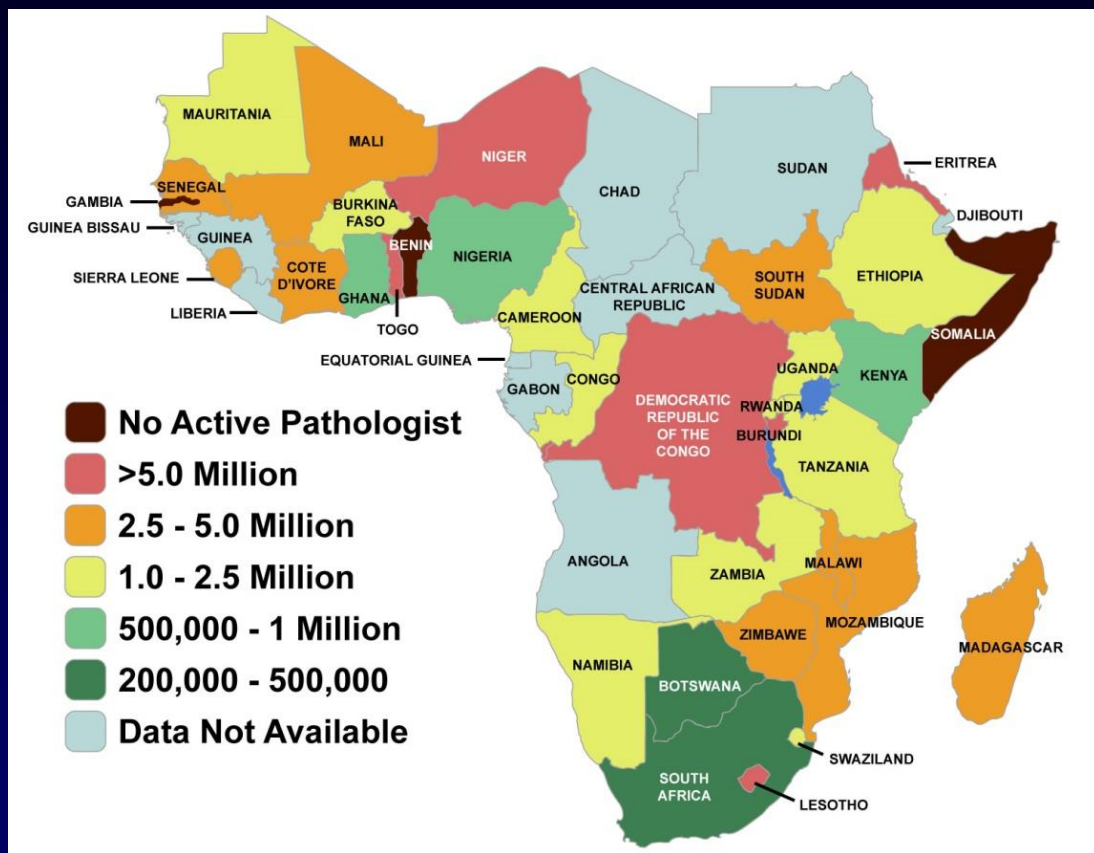
HPV Testing Reduces the Risk of Cervical Cancer Related Death (India)



Four Rounds of VIA: Success or Failure?



Availability of Pathologists



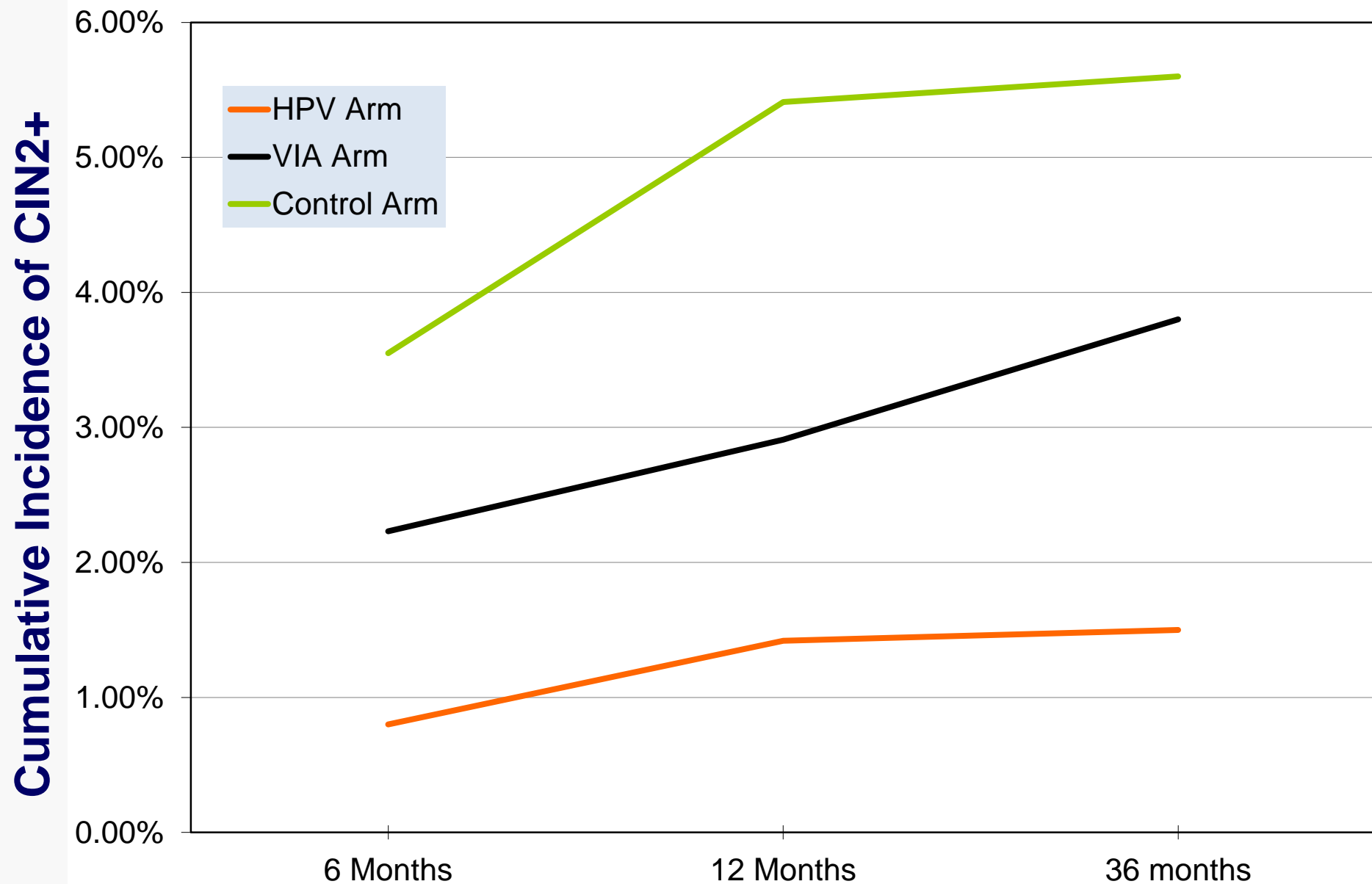
Number of people per pathologist:

- UK: 15,108*
- U.S.: 19,232**

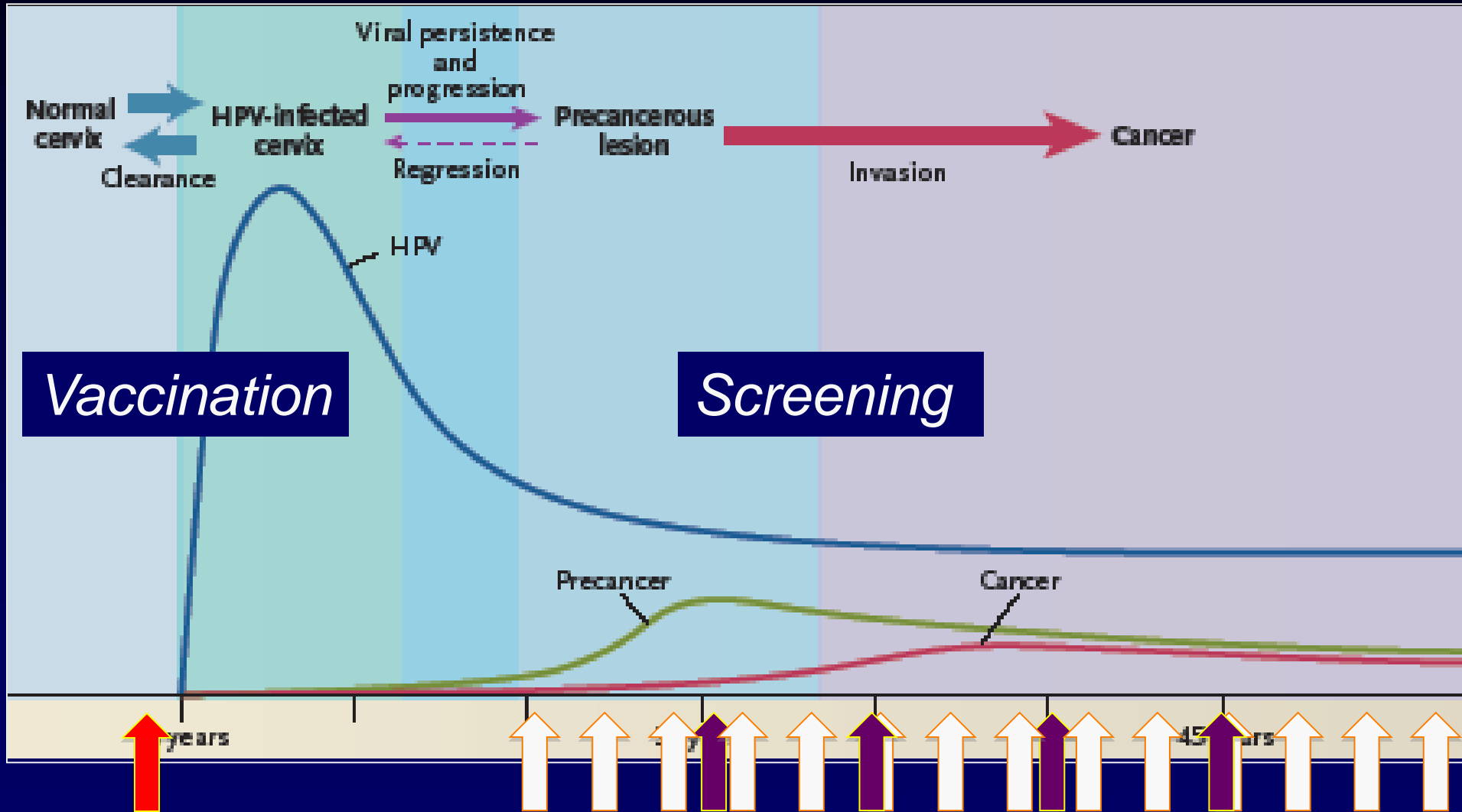
*Royal college of Pathologists, 2012

**Anatomic and Clinical Pathologists, AAMC, 2007

Screen and Treat in South Africa



The Promise of Cervical Cancer Prevention



Reality Check

- **HPV Vaccination:** 300 million girls aged 10-14 y. need vaccination now; another 30 million girls aged 5-9 years will become eligible for HPV vaccination in the next 5 years.
- **Screening:** 500 million need screening, 200 million have been poorly screened; another 200 million aged 25-29 y. will become of screening age.
- **Cancer Management:** 550,000 women will be diagnosed with cervical cancer annually and need cancer care or palliation, 90% of which live in LMICs. By 2020, another 2 million women living in LMICs will be diagnosed with cervical cancer

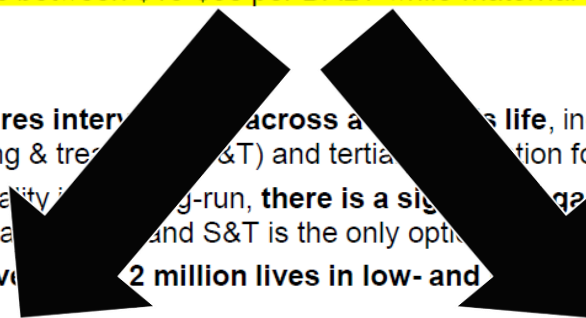
Executive summary (1/2)

The global burden of cervical cancer

- Prevention of CaCx is one component of a comprehensive approach to women's health, especially **in the developing world, where a woman is at least four times as likely to die from CaCx as in the US and this mortality gap is projected to increase**
- **CaCx spending is low relative to other leading causes of death for women despite the cost-effectiveness of CaCx prevention; global spending on CaCx was just 2 USD per DALY compared to 91 USD per DALY for maternal conditions in 2010, even though CaCx prevention costs between \$15-\$50 per DALY while maternal care costs between \$77-\$255 per DALY**

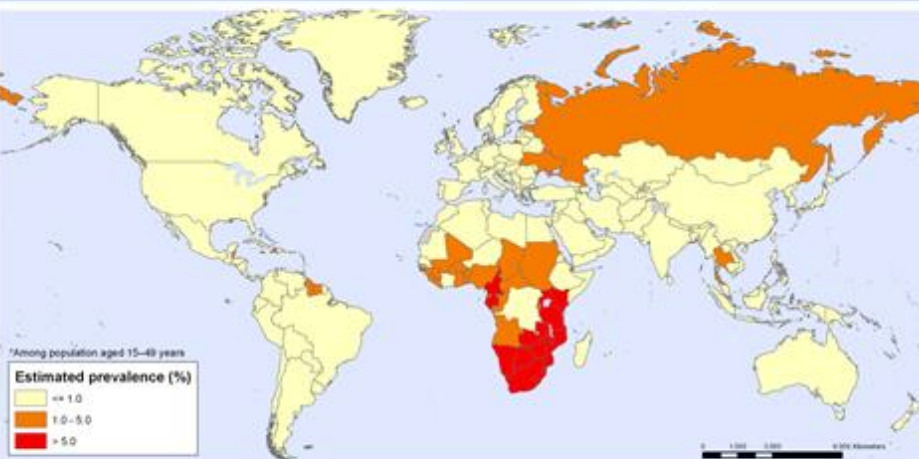
The role of secondary prevention

- **Addressing CaCx mortality requires intervention across a woman's life**, including primary prevention through vaccination, secondary prevention with screening & treatment (S&T) and tertiary prevention for women with invasive cervical cancer
- While the HPV Vx can reduce mortality in the long-run, **there is a significant gap in women that will not receive the Vx and are at risk for CaCx**; further, roll-out of S&T is the only option for women who will never be vaccinated
- As a result, **scaling S&T could save 2 million lives in low- and middle-income countries in the next 40 years**



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HIV, estimated prevalence*, 2009

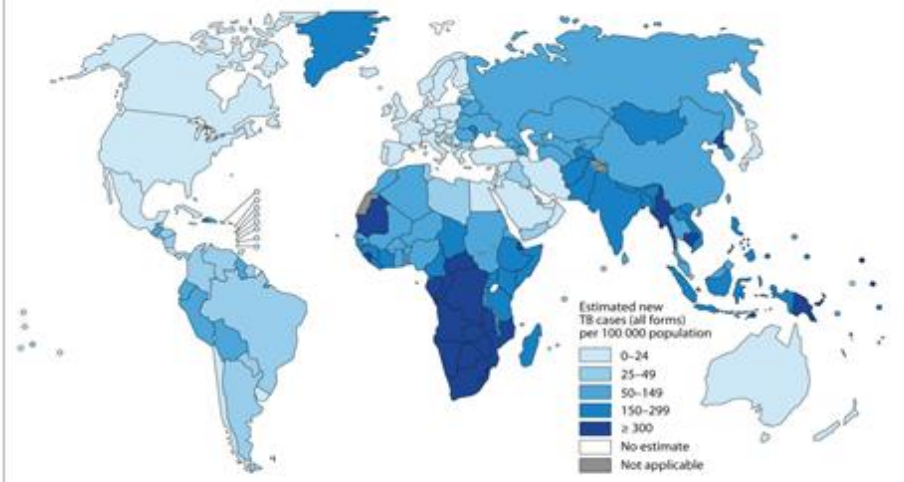


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Estimated tuberculosis (TB) incidence rates, 2011

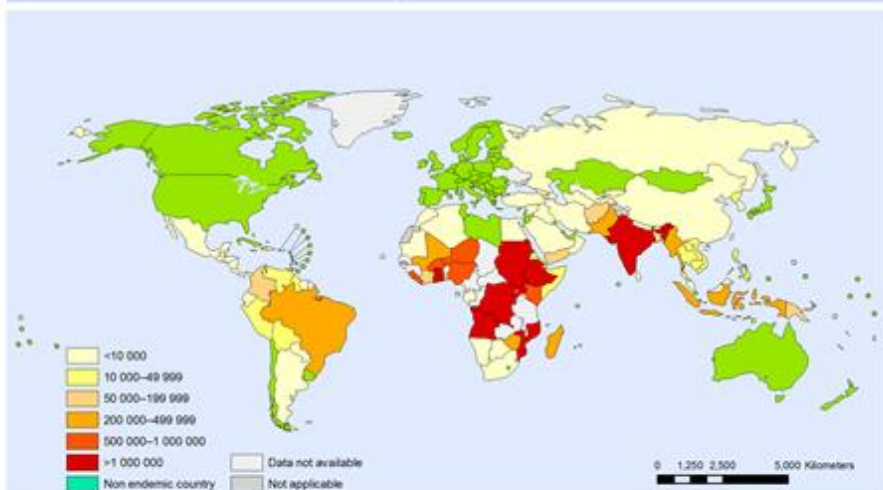


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Source: Global Tuberculosis Report 2012, WHO, 2012.

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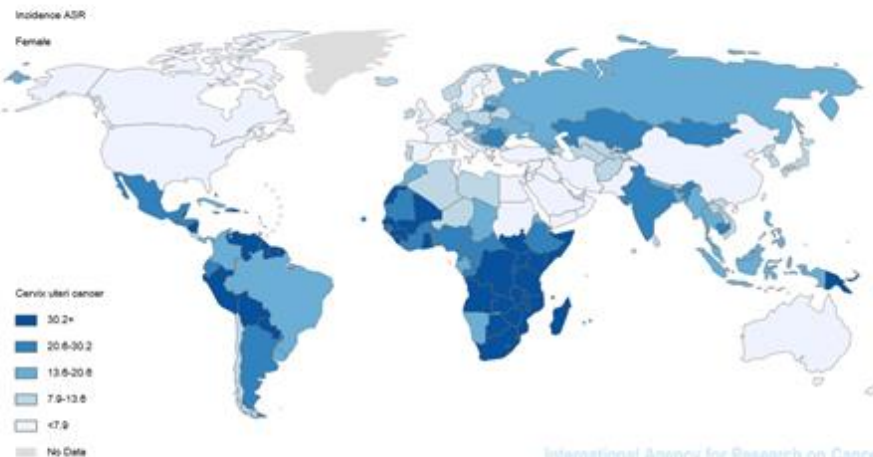
Number of malaria reported confirmed cases, 2010



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Source: GLOBOCAN 2012 (IARC)

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Final Comments

1. Prophylactic HPV Vaccination will likely be the ultimate cervical cancer prevention strategy. But there are 2-3 generations of at risk (HPV+) women who will not benefit greatly from and will not be targeted for HPV vaccination. Screening will be needed for the foreseeable future.
2. Screening can reduce the incidence of cervical cancer within a few years and mortality in a few more after that. Investment in screening builds infrastructure for other care.
3. Let's not forget about those who already have cancer. We can help them live and die with dignity and a high quality of life.
4. None of this will happen without significant increases in commitments and investment.