



May Immunization Action Month: Week 1 Call Your State Senator in Support of Priority Vaccine Policies

As part of May Immunization Action Month, we're asking all Let's Get Immunized NY partners and vaccine advocates to call your State Senator this week about three key bills pending in the Senate that will strengthen immunization policies in New York. Your voice can help get them over the finish line!

Call Your State Senator This Week!

1. Find your State Senator using this link: [Find My Senator](#)
2. Call the **Senate Switchboard** and ask to be connected to their office: **518-455-2800**
3. When talking with your Senator's office, be sure to introduce yourself, noting that you are a constituent, and use the talking points below to ask them to co-sponsor and support the following bills which have already been passed by the NYS Assembly:
 - **S9893, Krueger/ A765, McDonald:** This legislation would require vaccine providers to report all adult immunizations to the NYS or NYC immunization registries, similar to what is already in place for the pediatric population. The bill allows adults to opt out of having their vaccines reported, if they choose, but in general, this bill will help maintain complete, accurate immunization histories for patients to ensure they get vaccines they need and prevent duplicate vaccinations.
 - **S9604, Hinchey/ A9140, Rosenthal:** This legislation would extend liability protections for clinicians administering vaccines in accordance with state guidance. This bill is important to ensure vaccine providers can continue to deliver this preventive care amid federal policy changes that heighten their liability risk.
 - **S9599, Bailey/ A10710, Paulin:** This legislation would require commercial insurance coverage without cost sharing of state-recommended vaccines, in line with generally accepted medical standards. This will prevent financial barriers from limiting patient access to vaccines amid federal policy changes that risk this coverage.

Make sure you share why these bills are important to you, your organization, or your community.

Thank you for your advocacy!