

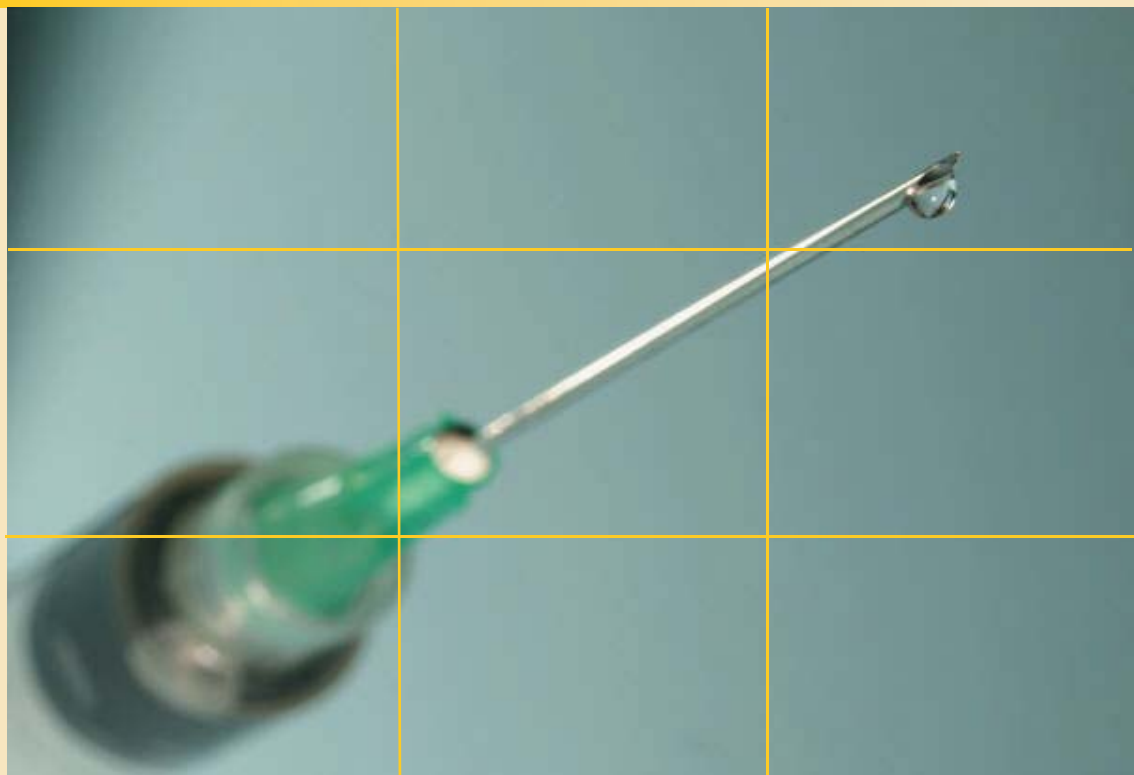


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*Third Thursday  
Breakfast Broadcast*



**Thursday, October 15, 2009, 9:00 - 10:00 am ET**

## Vaccine Acceptance

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Last year saw the largest outbreak of measles cases in recent times. This year, the public braces for an onslaught of the H1N1 influenza virus. As a growing number of people opt out of immunizations, some herd immunity is lost. This puts the general population – particularly those who cannot receive immunizations – at higher risk of developing preventable diseases. This program examines the benefits of health care worker and child immunization while addressing myths that may lead an individual to avoid vaccination.

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**Intended Audience: Public health nurses, doctors, public health practitioners, policy makers, educators and parents.**

### Learning Objectives

**At the end of this program participants will be able to:**

- Explain the major benefits of immunization and herd immunity.
- Name two vaccine-preventable diseases that have affected children in recent years.
- Explain the argument that rejects thimerosal as an autism-inducing agent.

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