



RIZE Monthly

A newsletter for **Rise to Immunize™**, AMGA Foundation's national campaign aimed at improving routine adult immunization rates



January 2023 Edition

[Join us](#) March 28-30 for the AMGA 2023 Annual Conference in Chicago! This year's program focuses on how leadership affects organizational culture; the impact of technology and innovation in healthcare; how patient-centered care offers a holistic approach to an individual's health needs and desired health outcomes; and operations, finance, and workforce issues affecting health systems and medical groups. By attending, you'll be sure to make connections and learn from other high-performing medical groups and health systems!

While in Chicago, the Rise to Immunize™ (RIZE) campaign is excited to host the "RIZE Meet and Greet Breakfast" on Mar. 30. The breakfast is a great way to meet your fellow campaign participants and network with RIZE leadership. We encourage all participating medical groups and health systems to join us and connect with your peers on the same journey to improve adult immunization care. More details regarding time and location are forthcoming. This breakfast is hosted by Pfizer, Inc. to encourage peer-to-peer learning and is only open to representatives from medical groups and health systems enrolled in RIZE.

[Register](#) for the annual conference now to secure early bird rates.

As always, if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact RiseToImmunize@amga.org.

Best,
- The RIZE Team

Webinar Preview

"Operationalizing CDC's Adult Immunization Schedule"



The January webinar will feature [Litjen \(L.J.\) Tan, MS, PhD](#), who is the chief policy and partnerships officer at Immunize.org, and co-founder and co-chair of the National Adult and Influenza Immunization Summit (NAIIS). Dr. Tan has over two decades of experience as a leader in the infectious diseases and immunization spaces. He has served on countless immunization steering committees, advisory boards, national and international technical committees, working groups, and panels for organizations including The Joint Commission and Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. Additionally, Dr. Tan is a part of the National Advisory Committee for RIZE. He provides expertise on a range of vaccine issues including vaccine hesitancy, immunization quality measurement development, adult immunizations, and immunization access and delivery. [Join us](#) on January 19 to learn about operationalizing CDC's Adult Immunization Schedule from Dr. Tan.



Upcoming Dates

Jan. 1 – Part D-covered adult vaccines recommended by ACIP available with no cost to people with Medicare prescription drug coverage ([Learn more](#))

Jan. 17 – Deadline to submit quarterly data ([Learn more](#)).

Jan. 19 – Monthly campaign webinar: "Operationalizing CDC's Adult Immunization Schedule" at 2 pm ET ([Register](#))

Feb. 16 – Monthly campaign webinar: "Setting up Your Clinic for Success: A Patient Safety Program" at 2 pm ET ([Register](#))



Campaign Spotlight

We're pleased to welcome our newest campaign partner, [Unity Consortium](#) (Unity). Unity—in conjunction with trusted partners in both private and public sectors—provides action-oriented leadership, innovation, and education on preventive health and immunization for adolescents and young adults. The organization brings impressive subject matter expertise, resources, communications channels, and more to help us eliminate misinformation and collectively improve immunization rates—particularly among the young adult population. We look forward to working with Unity throughout the campaign and continuing to connect you with valuable resources from all of [our partners!](#)



Resource of the Month

This month's resource is the National Foundation for Infectious Diseases' (NFID) podcast, *Infected IDEas*. The podcast series is where leading experts join NFID leaders for thought-provoking conversations that lead to infectious ideas. Guests include humble heroes and future leaders working together toward a shared vision of healthier lives through effective prevention and treatment. Past interviews have included topics on predicting flu season severity, building vaccine confidence, addressing health disparities and vaccine hesitancy, and more. Check out [Infected IDEas](#) and learn more from these insightful interviews!



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