

AgaliaZO Society of Volunteers Against Cancer 1976 - 2014

Cervical Cancer

Advocacy and Best Practice on the Prevention of Cervical Cancer

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Best Practice:

Cervical Cancer



- 1996 2006 Awareness campaigns about Cervical Cancer
- 2007 Picketing in Athens' Parliament Square
- 2008 Position paper on the importance of vaccination
- 2009 Vaccination of girls aged 12-26 re-imbursed by Social Insurance Funds
- 2010 Collection of 3200 signatures in favor of the Screening Check-Up Program.





- 2011 National campaign and Survey on Cervical Cancer and Importance of Vaccination
- Survey results strengthened the following years 2012 campaigns
- Awareness Campaigns on the importance of 2013 – 2014 the vaccination of girls and young women

Today in Greece:

- * The vaccine is Re-Imbursed for all women aged 12 26
- * 30-32% of women have been vaccinated

Goals



- * Continue awareness campaigns for the prevention of Cervical Cancer
- * Awareness programs for secondary education students on Cervical Cancer
- * Access to vaccination for boys under National Vaccination Program

AgaliaZO Always near Cancer Patients



Cervical Cancer Awareness Campaigns and Vaccination Program for girls as part of the country's National Vaccination Policy, is only one of the many programs AgaliaZO has been running successfully over the years.

AgaliaZO, Greece's oldest and one of the best known cancer patient organizations, will continue to care and advocate for cancer patients rights.