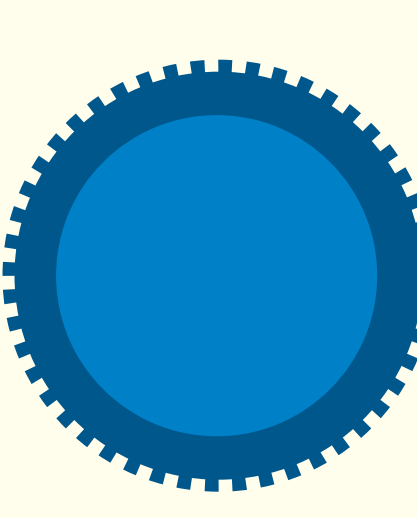
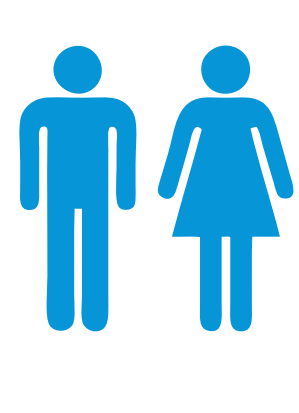

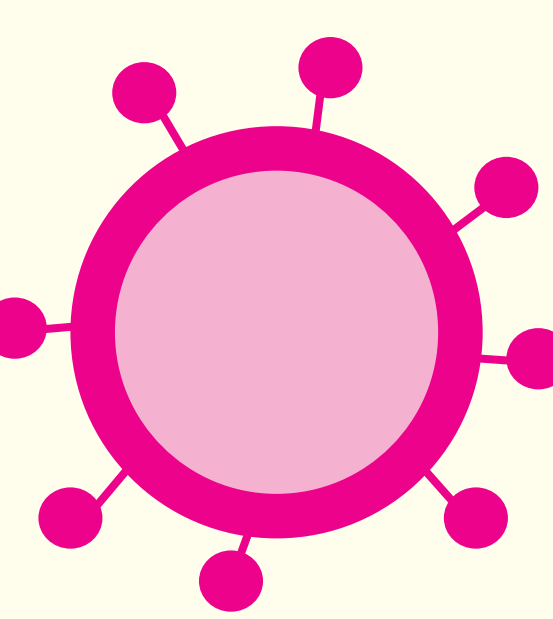
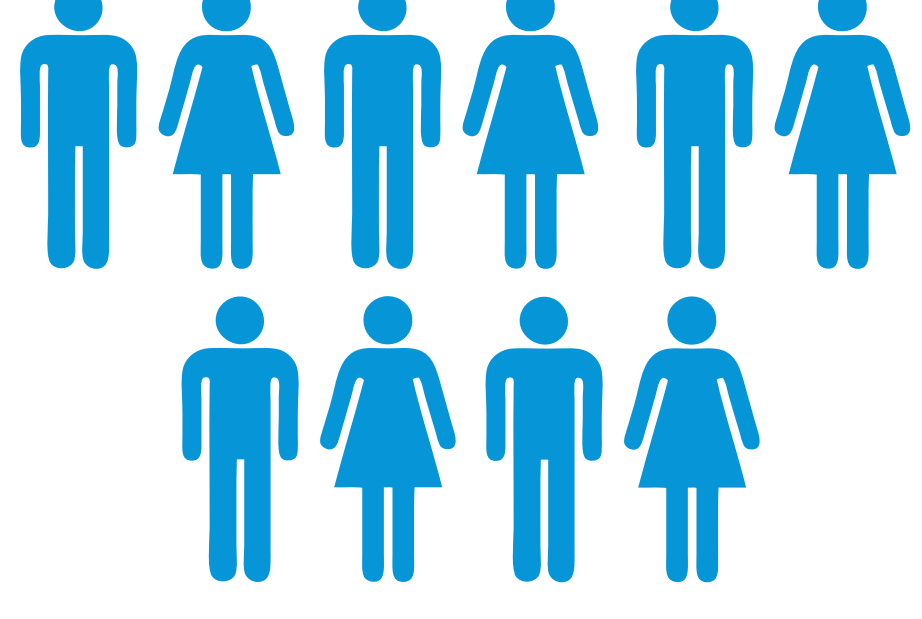
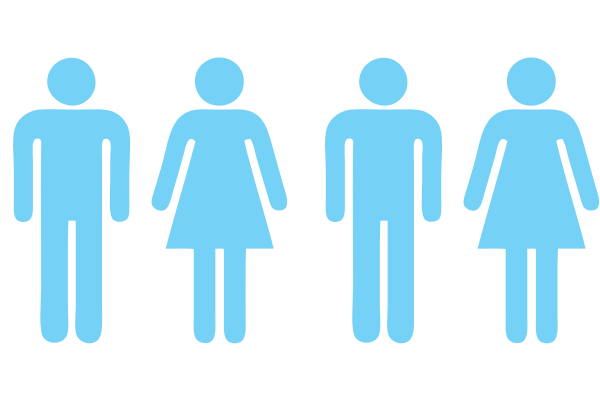

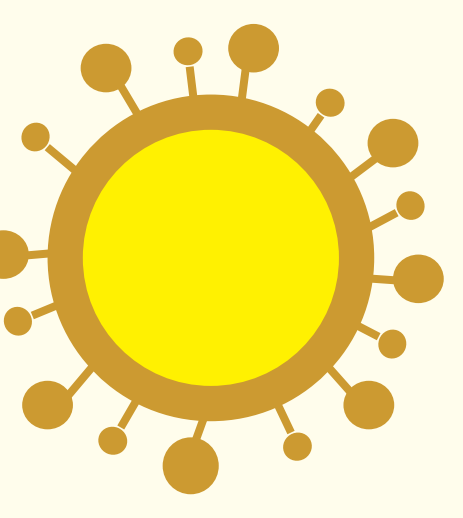
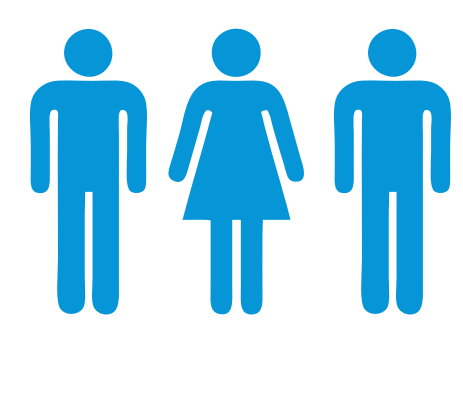
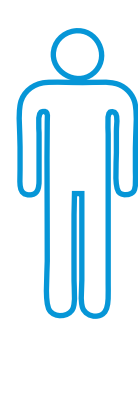

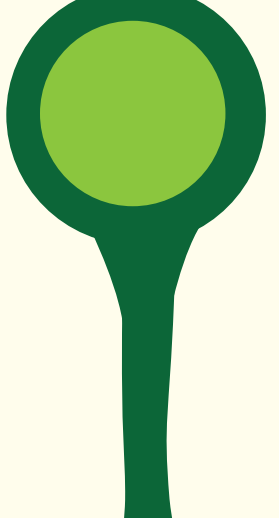
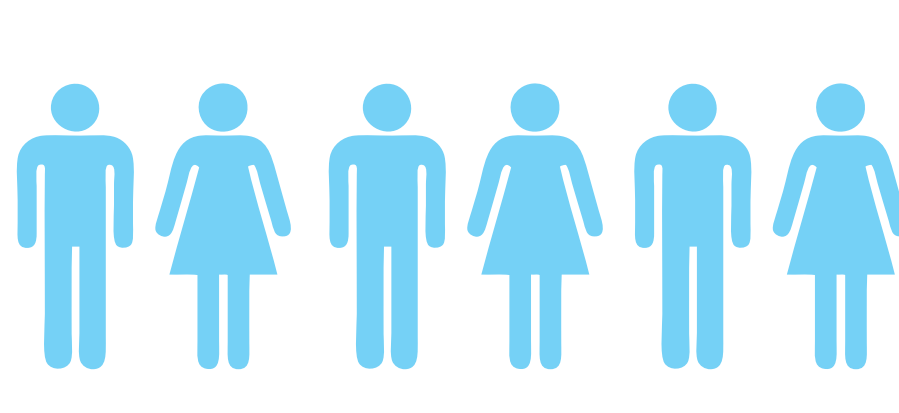
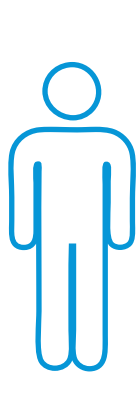

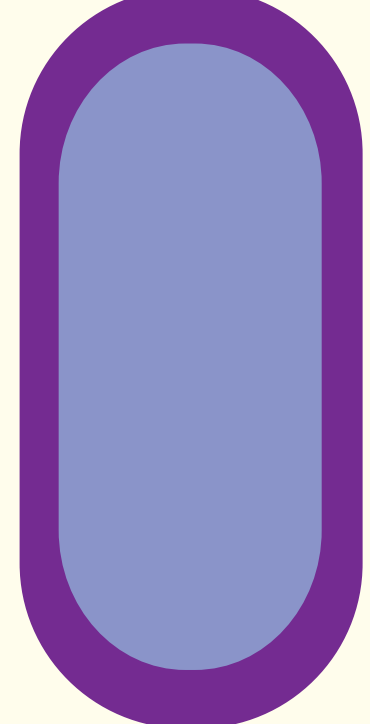
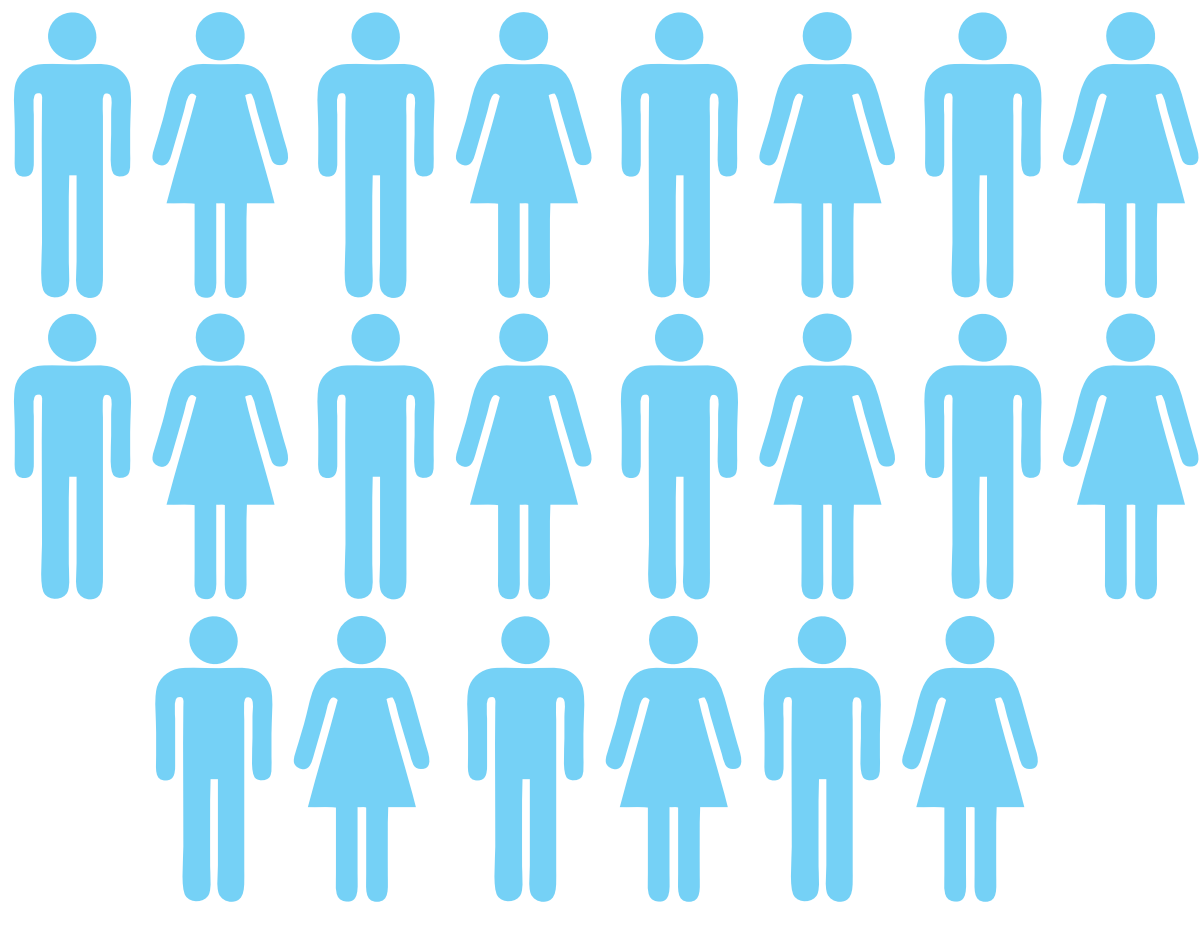


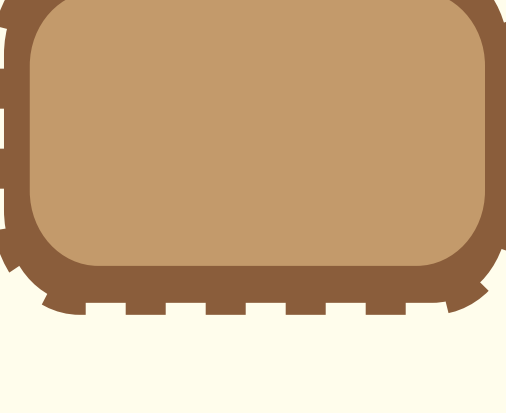
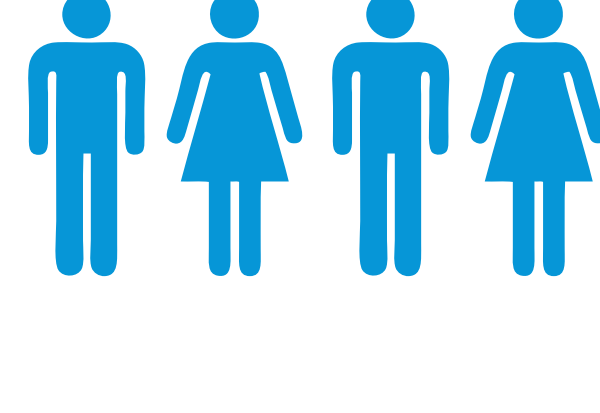
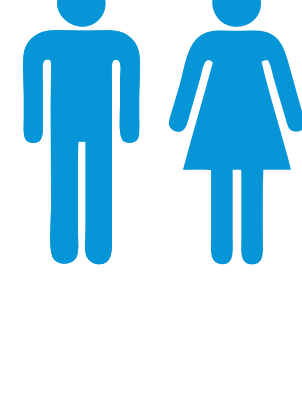



Vaccination




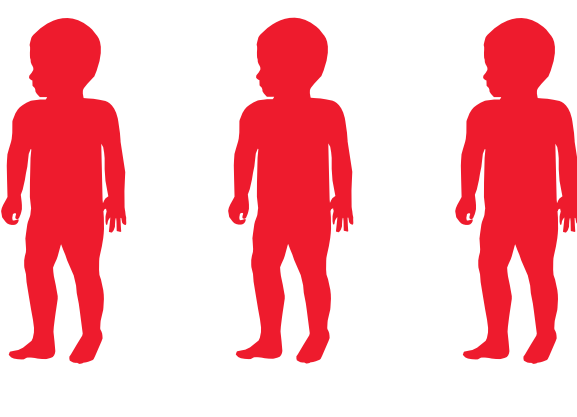

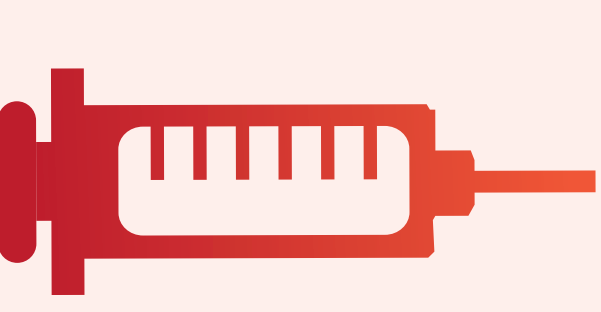
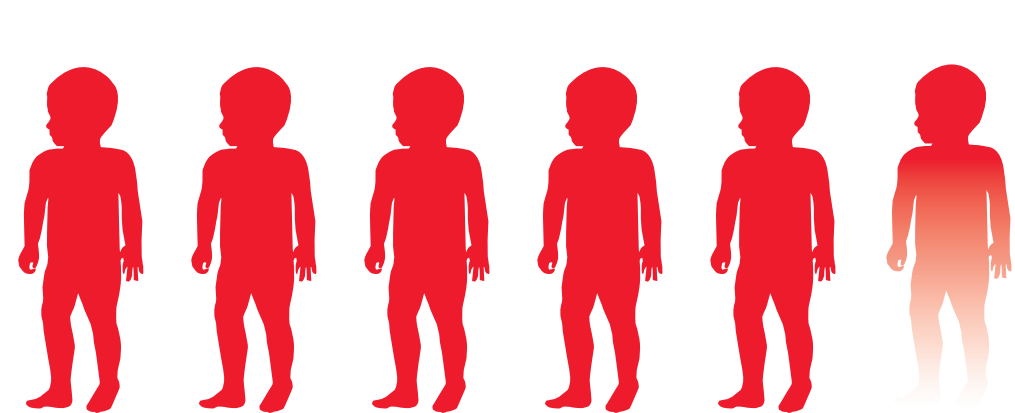

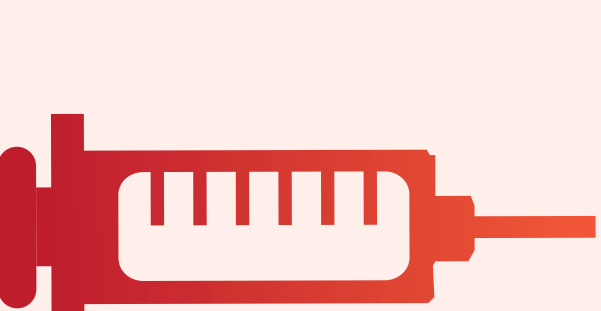
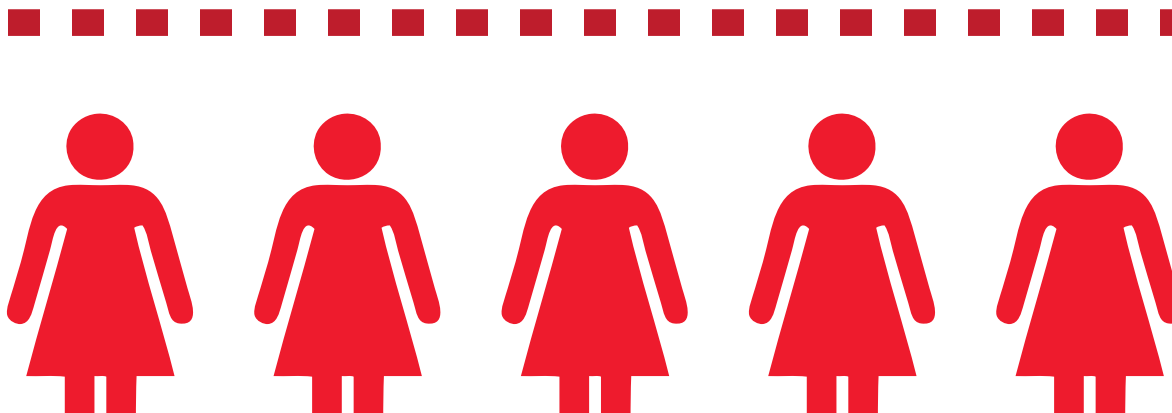

Impact of Vaccines in the Americas

Disease	Before Vaccines	After Vaccines	Achievements
 Polio	 234,240 (1951-1955)	0 (1994-2017)	 ELIMINATED
 Measles	 1,004,272 (1980-1984)	 4,924 (2010-2016)	 ELIMINATED
 Rubella	 370,567 (1997-2001)	 66 (2010-2016)	 ELIMINATED
 Neonatal Tetanus	 6,532 (1997-2001)	 121 (2010-2016)	 ELIMINATED
 Diphtheria	 22,238 (1997-2001)	 180 (2010-2016)	 UNDER CONTROL
 Pertussis	 459,717 (1997-2001)	 284,883 (2010-2016)	 UNDER CONTROL

People reported sick  = 100,000  = 1,000  = 100

Source: Country reports to PAHO

Introducing New Vaccines in the Americas

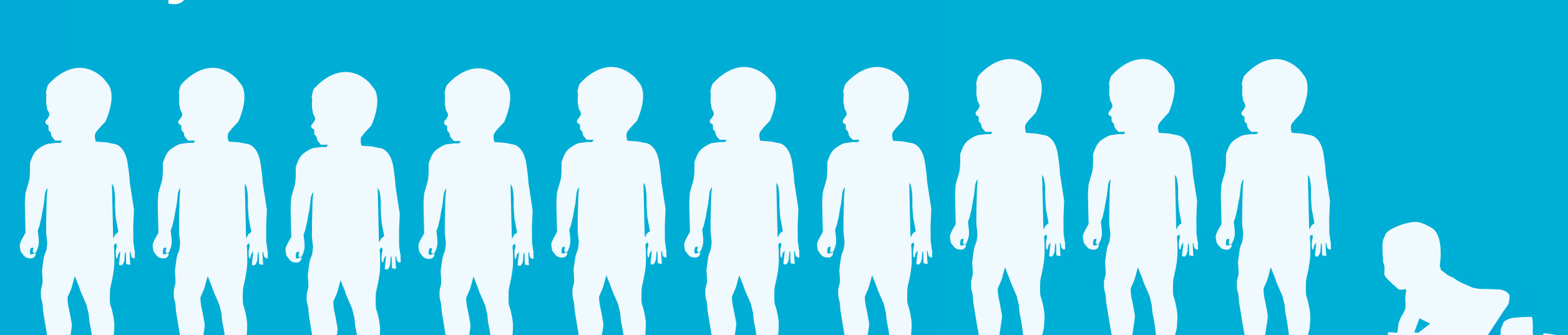
Vaccine	Deaths Before Vaccine Introduction	Countries and Territories Using The Vaccine in Routine Vaccination Programs (4)
 Rotavirus	 ~15,000 deaths in < 5 years (1)	 = 20
 Pneumococcus	 12,000 to 28,000 deaths in < 5 years (2)	 = 30
 Human Papillomavirus (HPV)	 24,526 deaths due to cervical cancer in the Americas (3)	 = 30

1: De Oliveira LH, Danovaro-Holliday C, Ruiz Matus C, Andrus JK. Rotavirus vaccine introduction in the Americas: progress and lessons learned. Expert Rev Vaccines 2008; 7:345-353.
 2: The burden of pneumococcal disease among Latin American and Caribbean children: review of the evidence. Rev Salud Panam Publica. 2009;25(3):270-9
 3. Bull World Health Organ 2013; 91:640-649
 4: Country reports to PAHO-WHO/UNICEF (JRF), June 2013

 = 5,000

There is still work to be done

1.4 million children in the Region of the Americas do not complete their basic vaccination schedule each year



Vaccination Week in the Americas

Each April since 2003, Vaccination Week in the Americas (VWA) draws attention to the work of national Immunization programs and their efforts to improve access to life-saving vaccines.

More than **700 million** people have been vaccinated under the umbrella of this initiative.

In subsequent years, other regions of the world have joined forces to create similar initiatives and the first World Immunization Week was celebrated in 2012.

