Working with Partners to Address Vaccine Hesitancy

Erica DeWald *Director of Advocacy* Vaccinate Your Family: The Next Generation of Every Child By Two

Finding Parents Where They Are, When They're Ready



Traditional Media

Social Media

In-Person Interactions



Traditional Media Still Matters



Social Media is Evolving

VYF Uses a Nonjudgmental Tone with Easy-to-Understand Science & Personal Stories

Vaccinate Your Family

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Vaccines won't make you fly or give you super human strength, but they can help you prevent deadly diseases! As your children get ready to head back to school, don't forget to talk to their healthcare providers about which vaccines they may need to help them stay healthy this year. https://bit.ly/2Xo5ztU

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CHECK IT OUT ...

"The Anti-Anti-Vax-Vaccine" Episode 1 of a New Public Health Podcast Series Featuring Dr. Abdul El-Sayed



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> Who monitors the safety of vaccines in the U.S.?

Get the facts at Vaccinateyourfamily.org

The Next Generation of Every Child By Two



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The kids are #BacktoSchool! It's not too late to catch our latest blog post to help keep them healthy! From preschool to college, we've got lists of ageappropriate #vaccines and other tips for keeping your kids healthy this year: bit.ly/2H7BMQD #vaccineswork



Social Media Platforms are Taking Steps to Address Disinformation



Reworking algorithms, pop up boxes re-direct to CDC, WHO other credible medical groups & VYF pages

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Perceived anti-vaccine channels/videos cannot advertise



Search results will redirect to CDC, AAP, WHO and the Vaccine Safety Net



In Person Interactions are the Final Puzzle Piece



Helping Parents Before They Choose



"We educate parents at any point in their journey some are expecting their first, others have tweens that haven't received a single shot. The big overriding theme for us is love: Parents want the best for their kids, and we help them sort through the noise of misinformation & disinformation. We don't tell parents what to do: we simply listen to their concerns and provide evidencebased information without fear or judgment."

Getting Back on the Right Path



"EMES recognizes that personal, cultural, environmental, policy, religious, and institutional factors influence health related decisions. This is why we created community based, culturally sensitive, health educational programs taught by nurses that look similar to, or are from, the ultra Orthodox community population. EMES has learned we are most likely to succeed to improve health decisions in a community workshop setting. Community based workshops work because they are designed to teach people outside of a traditional health care setting, using an existing social structure. They also allow high levels of contact with the workshop leader(s), increasing information sharing, greater peer social interaction and greater social impact. These workshops are a necessary and timely program to make changes within an existing system in the ultra-Orthodox Jewish communities, that was in the midst of experiencing a measles outbreak. EMES had several hundred ultra Orthodox women in attendance in a variety of settings: intimate living room style and larger events."