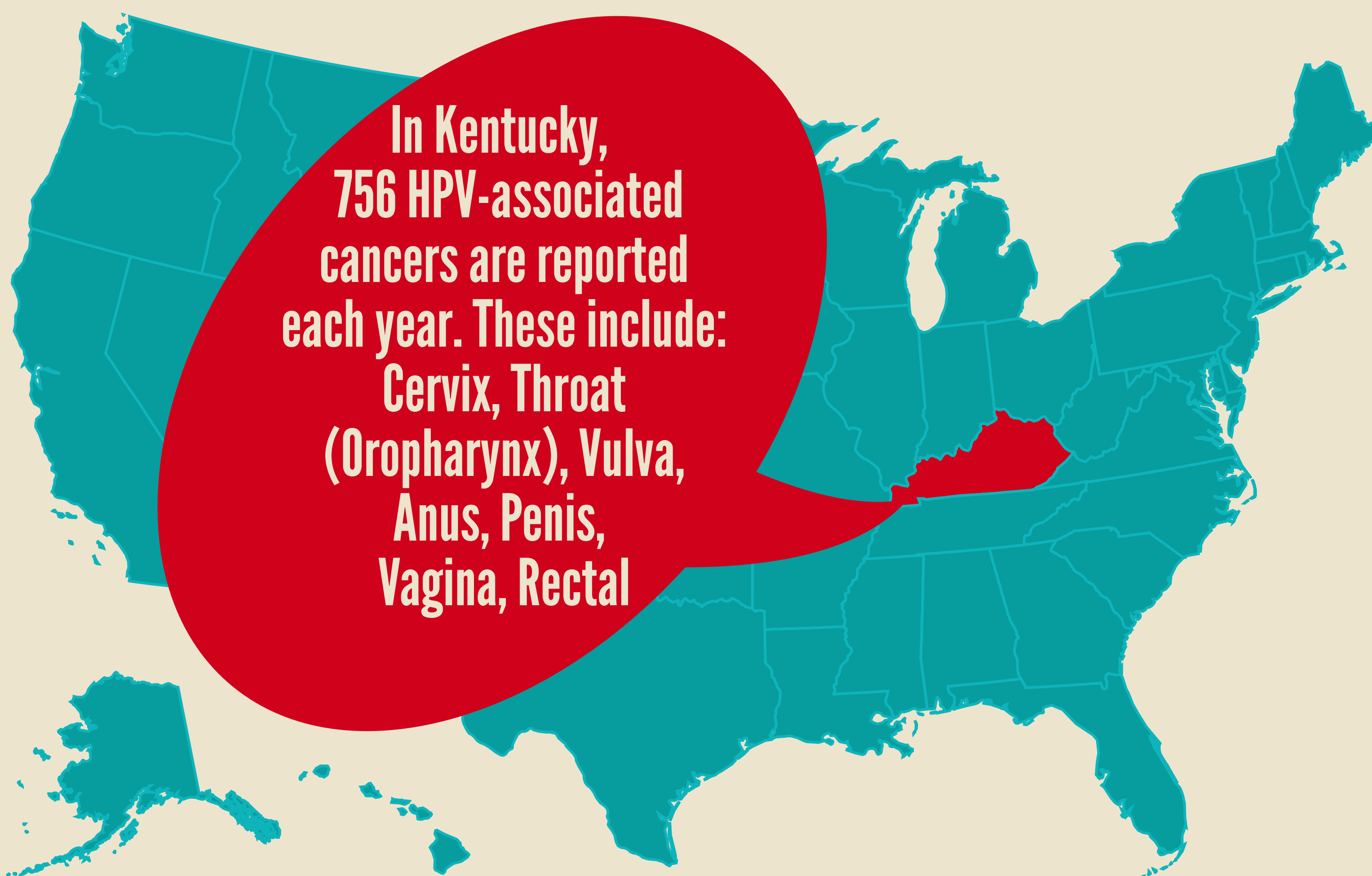




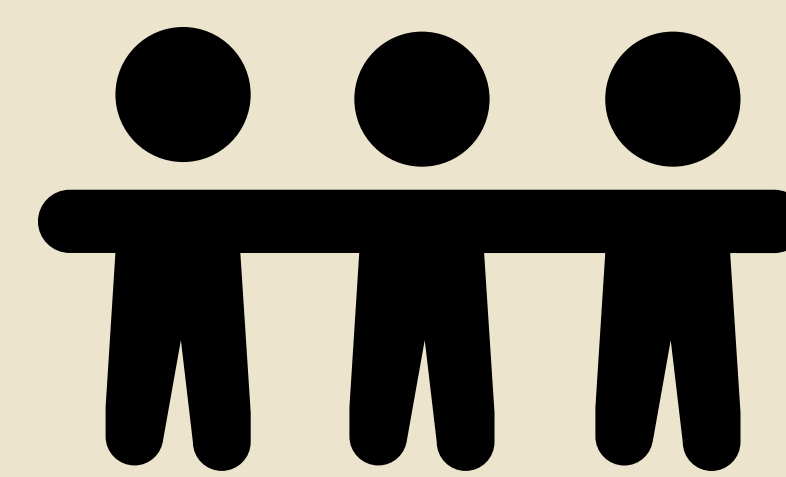
# HPV VACCINATION is the best way to PROTECT YOUR CHILDREN from CANCERS caused by HPV

**KENTUCKY HAS THE HIGHEST INCIDENCE RATE OF HPV RELATED CANCERS IN THE U.S.**

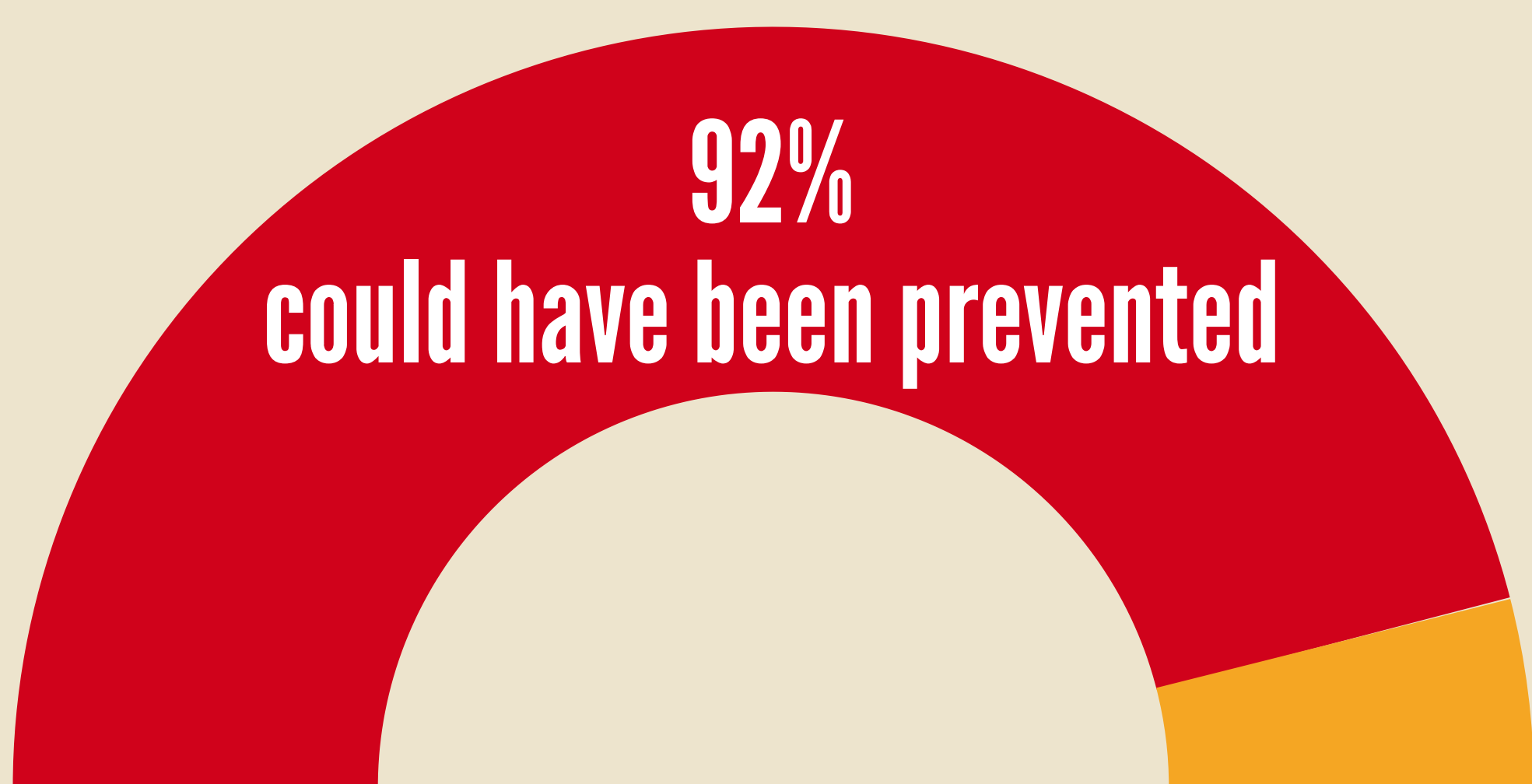


- The Human Papilloma Virus (HPV) infection is widespread in the U.S.
- More than 43% of American adults ages 18-59 are infected with genital HPV, with higher rates among men than women.
- Almost half of new infections occur in adults ages 15-24. Like all vaccines, we want to give HPV vaccine earlier rather than later.
- **Getting the vaccine now (age 11 or 12) protects your child long before they are ever exposed to the HPV virus.**
- **We can stop cancer before it starts!**

**9 out of 10 (92%) new HPV-associated cancer cases** diagnosed each year in Kentucky could be prevented by HPV vaccination.



**We can protect Kentucky's children from cancers caused by HPV infection.**



**Talk to your child's doctor or nurse today about HPV vaccination.**

