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## Increasing Tdap Immunization Rates and Running an Efficient Immunization Practice: Tips from California Obs

Free Webinar! 1 CME or 1 CEU for 60 minute program Wednesday, August 27, 2014 12:30 (PT)

## **Presenters:**

- Robert Schechter, MD
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Co-sponsored by the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Immunization Branch and The Perinatal Advisory Council: Leadership Advocacy and Consultation (PAC/LAC)



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## After completing this program you will be able to:

- Describe the current ACIP/ACOG recommendation for Tdap for pregnant women and the rationale behind it.
- List 2 strategies you can apply to implement a Tdap program in your prenatal practice.

• Communicate at least 2 key training resources to medical assistants and other office staff on vaccine administration, and vaccine storage and handling.

During this program, panelists will describe their experiences integrating Tdap immunization into their busy, California-based OB-GYN practices. Experts from the California Department of Public Health's Immunization Branch will discuss clinical and practical information providers can apply in practice. This presentation will include the latest data and resources providers can utilize in their efforts to ensure adherence to Tdap vaccine recommendations during pregnancy; and how to access free online training and job aids to support vaccine administration, vaccine storage and handling, and other nuts and bolts of maximizing the efficiency of your immunization practice.

## Who should attend?

- OBGYN physicians, nurses, and midwives interested in resources to support Tdap maternal immunization recommendations and in incorporating Tdap into their immunization program.
- Medical assistants and office staff involved in vaccine administration, ordering, storage, and reimbursement.

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