



# Cancer Prevention & Control Program

## COLLOQUIUM SERIES

### Progress and Research Opportunities: HPV Vaccination in South Carolina

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Dr. Heather Brandt is an associate professor in the Department of Health Promotion, Education, and Behavior and Statewide Cancer Prevention and Control Program in the Arnold School of Public Health at the USC. She is also a faculty affiliate in the Women's and Gender Studies Program. Since 1997, she has conducted cancer educational programs and research in South Carolina in partnership with other researchers and community partners to address cancer-related health disparities. Dr. Brandt is a social and behavioral scientist whose research interests focus on using multi-level and community-based strategies to address cancer disparities in cancer prevention and control, particularly HPV and HPV-associated cancers.

#### Leanne S. Bailey, RN, MPH, Director

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Leanne Bailey is the Director of the SCDHEC Division of Immunizations. Ms. Bailey has a Master's Degree in Public Health from the USC. She is a 2006 graduate of the UNC Management Academy for Public Health and holds a Bachelor of Science in Nursing from MUSC. Ms. Bailey is a member of the South Carolina Public Health Association, Southern Health Association, South Carolina Nurses Association, American Nurses Association, South Carolina State Employee Association, and Sigma Theta Tau National Honor Society for Nurses.

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