

Black Maternal
Health Momnibus
Act of 2023

S.1603/H.R.3348

MATERNAL VACCINATIONS ACT



VACCINATIONS

Maternal vaccinations are critical to the health of pregnant people and infants, yet there are glaring racial disparities in vaccination rates.



This legislation seeks to increase awareness of and access to vaccines during pregnancy, with a focus on culturally-congruent resources.

This bill funds a national campaign to raise awareness and increase rates of maternal vaccinations. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) must consult with various stakeholders to carry out this campaign. In addition, the CDC must focus on increasing vaccination rates among communities with historically high rates of unvaccinated individuals. The CDC must also make publicly available any materials and resources developed for the campaign.

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