



**News Advisory**  
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## **SLVHD, Mayor Corroon and Intermountain Healthcare to Announce Major Immunization Partnership**

**What:** The Salt Lake Valley Health Department, Mayor Peter Corroon and Intermountain Healthcare will announce their partnership in a new county-wide immunization initiative.

**This initiative is estimated to be one of the largest childhood immunization projects ever implemented in Salt Lake County.**

**Why:** Utah continues to rank low in the nation for infant vaccine adequacy. This means that children in Salt Lake County fall far below the required vaccination levels needed to be protected from disease or from spreading diseases to others in the community.

**Who:** Salt Lake County Mayor Peter Corroon  
Bill Nelson, President and CEO, Intermountain Healthcare  
Gary Edwards, Executive Director, SLVHD  
Audrey Stevenson, Family Health Services Director, SLVHD

**When:** Monday, April 16, 2007  
10:45 a.m.

**Where:** SLVHD South Main Public Health Clinic  
3195 South Main Street, Salt Lake City  
WIC Program Playroom

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***National Infant Immunization Week is April 21 - 28***