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Pediatric COVID-19 Vaccine Opinions: Pediatricians



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Methodology

METHOD	1-minute survey via InCrowd Platform
FIELDING PERIOD	Oct 29 th , 2021 4:52 p.m. – 9:51 p.m. ET
CROWDS	n=120 Pediatricians
SCREENING CRITERIA	Respondents had to have plans to administer the FDA authorized pediatric COVID-19 vaccine for patients ages 5-11

OBJECTIVES

Following the FDA emergency use authorization of the Pfizer-BioNTech pediatric COVID-19 vaccine for patients ages 5-11, InCrowd set out to survey US pediatricians about the vaccine with the following objectives:

- Explore how pediatricians feel about their age-appropriate patients receiving the vaccine as well as the youngest and oldest age cohorts of this group
- Understand how many patients are expected to get vaccinated
- Learn how physicians are discussing the vaccine with parents and how they are allaying their concerns

FINDINGS

1. Almost all US pediatricians recommend that their 5-11-year-old patients obtain a COVID-19 vaccine as soon as possible.
2. Respondents do NOT recommend that children at the age margins wait to receive their vaccines.
3. Most respondents expect to begin administering the vaccine to their appropriate patients as soon as possible.

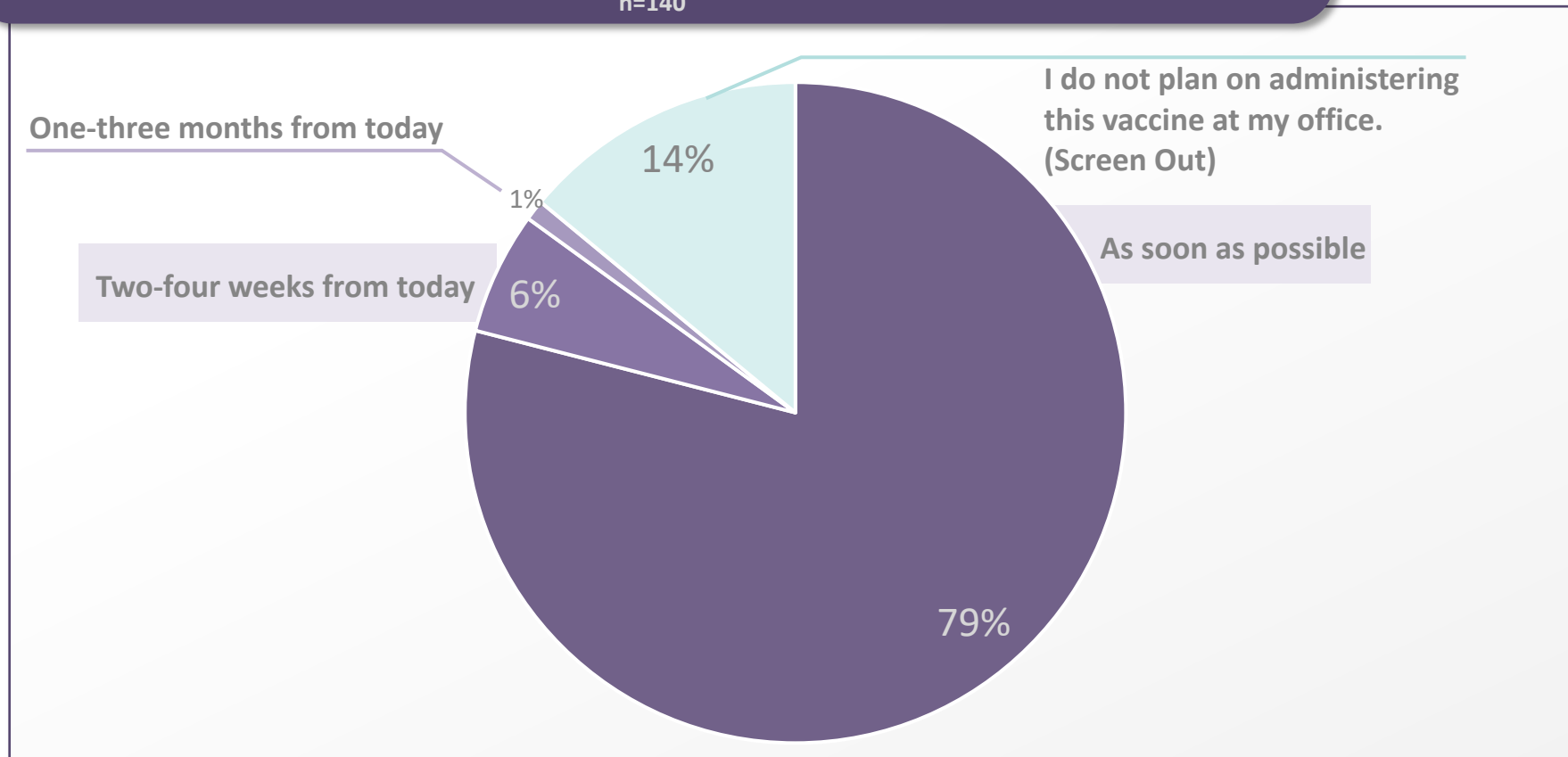


Plans for Pediatric Vaccine Administration (screener)

Over three-quarters of US pediatricians plan to administer the pediatric COVID-19 vaccine to their 5-11-year-old patients as soon as possible.

When US Pediatricians Plan to Begin Administering the Pediatric COVID-19 Vaccine

n=140



Pediatric COVID-19 Vaccination Opinions

Almost all pediatrician respondents recommend that their 5-11-year-old patients obtain a COVID-19 vaccine as soon as possible. Two-thirds feel their practices are equipped to begin vaccination knowing the dose is smaller.

Please rate your agreement level of the following statements regarding the upcoming availability of pediatric COVID-19 vaccinations.

n=120

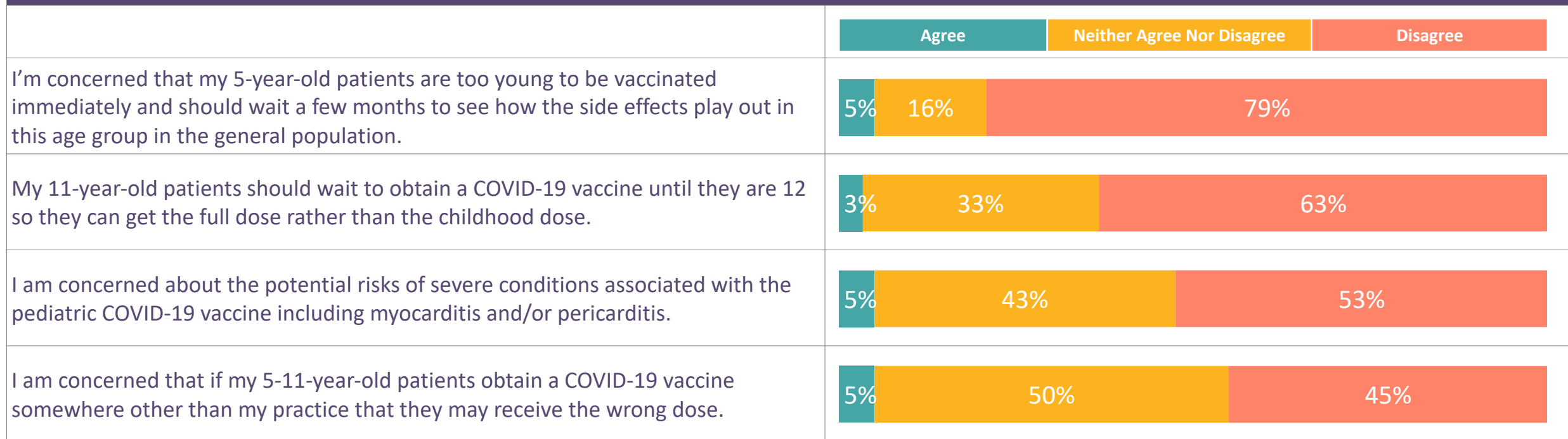
	Agree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Disagree
I recommend that all my 5-11-year-old patients obtain a COVID-19 vaccine as soon as possible upon availability.	88%	9%	3%
Knowing that COVID-19 vaccines for younger patients are 1/3 the dose of the adult vaccine my practice is equipped to begin pediatric COVID-19 vaccinations for patients ages 5-11.	63%	30%	8%
Now that a COVID-19 vaccine is available for 5-11-year-olds, schools should mandate vaccination for all students.	51%	33%	16%
I prefer that my patients ages 5-11 obtain a COVID-19 vaccine from my practice rather than in the community to ensure they get the right dose.	38%	38%	24%
My office is doing extra outreach to the families of our patients of color ages 5-11 to ensure they receive their vaccinations as soon as possible.	30%	46%	24%
My patients' parents will be more comfortable getting their 5-11-year-old children vaccinated once full FDA authorization is achieved rather than just emergency use authorization.	27%	63%	10%



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Most respondents are **not** concerned that their 5-year-old patients are too young to be vaccinated. Two-thirds do **not** feel their 11-year-old patients should wait to obtain a full-dose until they turn 12.

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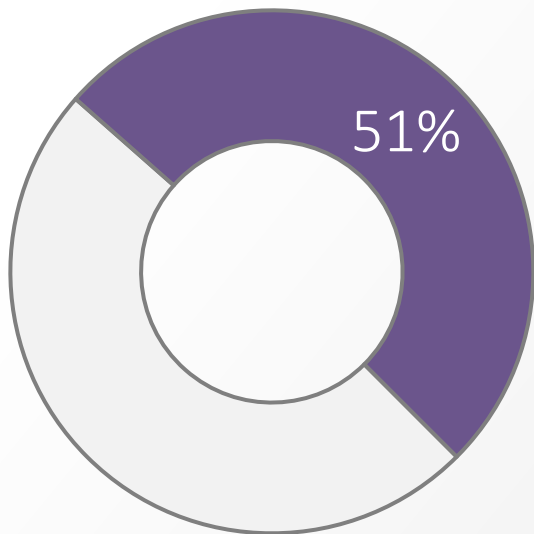


5-11-Year-Old Patients Expected to Get Vaccinated

US peds expect just over half of their 5-11-year-old patients to get vaccinated and plan to encourage parents to vaccinate their children by explaining the safety and efficacy.

% of 5-11-Year-Old Patients Expected to Get Vaccinated

n=120



Pediatrician Vaccine Encouragement Comments to Parents

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“That there were no complications of note in the study and that the vaccine can prevent illness and the risk of MIS-C. Additionally, vaccinated children will be less likely to spread Covid-19 to immunocompromised individuals”

*-Female, Academic Pediatrician
Age 48, NE*

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“I’m telling them I have a child who is 6 years old and I can’t wait for him to get vaccinated”

*-Female, Office-based Pediatrician
Age 38, PA*

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“One step closer to normal! Phenomenally safe and ‘clean’ vaccine. Safety data from millions of adults/adolescents already, likely even better with a smaller dose.”

*-Male, Academic Pediatrician
Age 39, WA*





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