Papilloma Song (to the tune of Yankee Doodle)

Papilloma causes warts,
It also causes cancer.
Should you get HPV vaccine?
I can give you the answer.

Papilloma goes with sex,
Infected men and women.
And though it has no envelope,
You won’t catch it when swimmin’.

Double stranded DNA,
Small circle for its genome.
It uses host polymerase:
The nucleus is its home.

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It first infects the basal cells
To start up the infection.
As cells then differentiate
They take a new direction.

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E6 binds p53,
To cause its degradation.
E7 binds to pRb,
An ugly situation.

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