Screen Up

COLORECTAL CANCER SCREENING:

THINK YOU'RE TOO YOUNG? THINK AGAIN.



YOU MAY FEEL HEALTHY AND STILL BE AT RISK.

- Colorectalcancerdoes not alwayscause early symptoms
- You can feel healthy and still have cancer
- Getting checked early can save your life
- Screening can find cancer early — or stop it before it starts

FAMILY HISTORY RAISES YOUR RISK EVEN MORE

- Colorectal cancer can runin families
- Your risk is higher if a parent, sibling, or child had this cancer
- Risk is even higher if they were diagnosed before age 50
- Knowing your family history helps you take action sooner





AFRICAN-AMERICAN MEN ARE AT HIGHER RISK

- African-American men aremorelikelyto die from colorectal cancer
- Later diagnosis leads to worse outcomes
- Lower screening rates play a role
- Screening helps find cancer early, when treatment works best

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SPEAK TO YOUR PROVIDER TODAY ABOUT SCREENING OPTIONS