Tanya Feke, MD Diagnosis Life, LLC Medicare Essentials Workbook

FREE CANCER SCREENING

*If your healthcare provider "accepts assignment"

Colon Cancer Screening

Service	How Often Covered	Date Done	Date Due
Barium Enema	Every 48 months Every 24 months if high risk		
Colonoscopy	Every 120 months Every 48 months after a flexible sigmoidoscopy Every 24 months if high risk		
Fecal Occult Blood Test	Annually		
Flexible Sigmoidoscopy	Every 48 months Every 120 months after a screening colonoscopy		
Stool DNA Test	 Every 3 years <i>Must meet all criteria:</i> Aged 50- to 85-years-old No blood in the stool No personal history for colon polyps, Crohn's disease, or ulcerative colitis No family history for colon polyps or cancer 		

Other Cancer Screening

Service	How Often Covered and For Whom	Date Done	Date Due
Breast Cancer: Mammogram	Women 35–39 years old: One baseline mammogram -OR- Women 40+ years old: Every 12 months		
Cervical Cancer: Pap Smear	 Every 24 months for all women -OR- Every 5 years for women 30 to 65 years old if done with HPV testing -OR- Every 12 months for women "at risk": Abnormal Pap test within last 36 months Childbearing age High risk for cervical or vaginal cancer 		
Lung Cancer: Low-Dose CT Scan of the Lungs	 Annually <i>Must meet all criteria:</i> Ages 55- to 77-years-old Current smoker -OR- former smoker who quit within the past 15 years Smoked at least 1 pack per day for 30 years 		
Prostate Cancer: Rectal Exam	Annually		
Prostate Cancer: PSA Test	Annually		