



The Decision is Yours.
Get the Health Screenings
You Deserve at No Cost.

You Won't Pay Anything.
Save Your **Money**.
Save Your **Life**.

“Research shows that screening for colorectal cancer helps prevent this disease by finding and removing precancerous polyps before they became cancerous. Talk to your healthcare provider about scheduling a colorectal cancer screening.”

— Chronic Disease Director,
Connecticut Department of Public
Health, 2021



CT Early Detection and Prevention Program

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL THE CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH OR YOUR LOCAL PROGRAM PROVIDER LISTED BELOW:

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BRIDGEPORT HOSPITAL
(203) 384-3392

DANBURY/NORWALK
DANBURY HOSPITAL
(203) 739-477

HARTFORD
HARTFORD HOSPITAL
(860) 972-3078

HARTFORD
ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL
(860) 714-7151

MERIDEN/MIDDLETOWN
CENTRAL REGION HARTFORD
HEALTHCARE EARLY
DETECTION PROGRAM
(860) 972-1900

NEW HAVEN
YALE NEW HAVEN HOSPITAL
(203) 688-2219

NEW LONDON
LAWRENCE AND MEMORIAL
HOSPITAL
(860) 442-0711 x2197

PUTNAM
DAY KIMBALL HEALTHCARE
(860) 963-3864

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HOSPITAL
(860) 496-6513

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EASTERN CT HEALTH NETWORK
(860) 872 5368
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ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL
(203) 709-3873

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WINDHAM HOSPITAL
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CAN I JOIN THE PROGRAM?

- Yes, if you:**
- Live in Connecticut
 - Need **Breast and Cervical Health Screening** and
 - You have (or have had) breasts or a cervix, or need preventative breast or cervical cancer screenings.
 - You are 21 to 64 years of age
 - Women 65+ who are not enrolled in Medicare Part B may also be eligible to join
 - Need **Heart Health Screening** and
 - You are 40 years of age
 - Need **Colon Health Screening** and
 - You are 45 years of age and over
 - See website for income eligibility guidelines



THE CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Connecticut Early Detection and Prevention Program (CEDPP)

**Stay Healthy
Stay Informed**

Early Detection Makes a Difference!



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Connecticut Early Detection and Prevention Program (CEDPP)

Helping you stay healthy

STAY HEALTHY CONNECTICUT
Get Screened Today — Early Detection Makes a Difference!

THE CONNECTICUT WISEWOMAN PROGRAM (WISEWOMAN)

In addition to receiving a clinical breast exam, Pap test, and mammogram, women ages 40-64 can participate in the WISEWOMAN program and receive screening for heart disease.

This program provides women who are found at risk for heart disease a chance to participate in nutrition and physical activity interventions which will help decrease their risk of heart disease.

You are eligible for program services if:

- You are enrolled in the Connecticut Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program (CBCCEDP)
- You are 40-64 years of age
- You have limited income, and
- You have no health insurance, or
- Your insurance does not cover routine blood pressure and cholesterol screenings

THE CONNECTICUT COLORECTAL CANCER PROGRAM

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention has funded the Connecticut Colorectal Cancer Control Program (CCRCP) to increase colorectal cancer screening rates among people 45 years old and over and to reduce disparities in colorectal cancer burden, screening and access to care, by providing followup diagnostic colonoscopies for a limited number of program-eligible people.

Eligibility Criteria:

You may be eligible to receive a free diagnostic colonoscopy or follow-up colonoscopy to remove polyps. Polyps are growths that can turn into cancer if they are not removed. You are eligible for program services if:

- You are 45 years of age and over
- You received a positive test result from another colorectal cancer (CRC) screening option such as fecal immunochemical testing (FIT) and fecal occult blood testing (FOBT) or initial colonoscopy not paid for by the CCRCP
- You have limited income, and you have no health insurance or,
- You have health insurance that excludes a diagnostic exam,
- You have insurance with a deductible of \$1,000 or more

THE CONNECTICUT BREAST AND CERVICAL CANCER EARLY DETECTION PROGRAM

The Connecticut Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program (CBCCEDP) is a screening program available throughout Connecticut for medically underserved women.

The objective of the program is to increase the number of women who receive breast and cervical cancer screening, diagnostic and treatment referral services. All services are offered free of charge through the Connecticut Department of Public Health's contracted health care providers located statewide.

You are eligible for program services if:

- You are 40 to 64 years of age for a mammogram and 21 to 64 years of age for a clinical breast exam & pap test
- You are 35-39 years old with symptoms and/or specific risk factors for breast cancer
- You have limited income, and
- You have no health insurance, or
- You have health insurance that excludes routine pap tests and/or mammograms
- You have an insurance deductible of \$1,000 or more, or
- You have no Medicare Part B

"I am so grateful for this program and the peace of mind it has given me. The staff is helpful and dedicated to the program and the patients. Thank you from the bottom of my heart."

— Program Participant



*"We get our screenings done yearly. It's simple, fast and gives us peace of mind."
— Hartford Family*

Do it for
Yourself

Do it for
Someone
You Love

