

WOMEN'S WELLNESS CAMPAIGN

What Women Should Know About Cervical Cancer and the Human Papilloma Virus*

What is Cervical Cancer?

Cervical Cancer starts in the cells of the cervix, a narrow passage forming the lower end of the uterus (womb).

Do we know what causes Cervical Cancer?

Cervical Cancer is commonly caused by a virus called HPV.

What is HPV?

HPV is short for human papilloma virus. This virus can cause changes in the cervix and those changes can sometimes self resolve, but it can also lead to Cervical Cancer. It is extremely important to get a routine Pap smear test and screening for the presence of HPV.

Why is a Pap and an HPV test better than just a Pap test?

The Pap test finds cervix cell changes that are already there. The HPV test finds the virus that causes the cell changes before the changes occur. It also leads to finding some changes that are missed by the Pap test.

Remember

Most cervical cancer can be prevented. Finding cervix cell changes early with a Pap test and getting HPV tests, too, can save your life. Today, Cervical Cancer is rare in women who get regular screening tests.

* American Cancer Society Guidelines for the Early Detection of Cervical Cancer (www.cancer.org)

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