The Big Three

Screening for breast, cervical & colon cancer; the where, when and how

A review of the latest guidelines and local resources











Why Screen?



"Screen for Life"
Cancer screening sees what you can't

Common Questions

- * What is **my** risk?
- * When should I **start** screening?
- * How often should I get screened?
- * What **method** is used?
- * When can I **stop** screening?
- * Why does my neighbour have a <u>different screening</u> <u>schedule</u> than mine?
- * Can screening be performed here at NHH?



Breast Screening

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What is my risk?

Average risk

Age: 50-74 years

No:

- symptoms
- abnormal pathology
- history of breast cancer
- implants

Increased risk

Any age:

- family history
- dense breasts
- implants
- abnormal pathology
- low IBIS/BOADICEA score

High risk

Any age:

- gene mutation
- refused genetic testing
- chest radiation therapy at < 30 years old & >8 years ago
- IBIS or BOADICEA
 score: Life time ≥25.
 10y ≥ 10

Donna: 49 years old, no risk factors.



Average risk

Up to 50

50-74

Beyond 74

No screening

Mammogram every 2 years

No screening



Jessica: 43 years old. Grandmother had Breast cancer at 50. Yasmin: 53 years old. Had an abnormal mammogram at 50.



Family history

10 years younger than relative

Start screening

Mammogram +/-MRI every year up to 74

Increased risk

No screening beyond 74

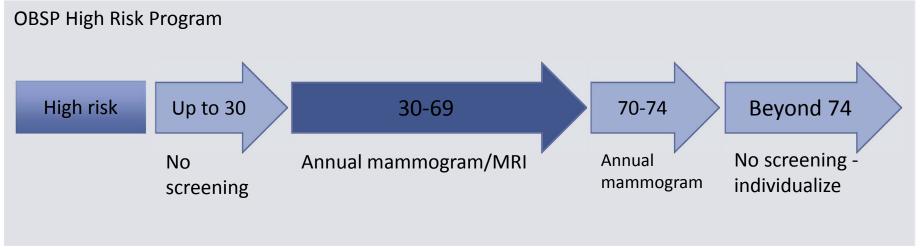
From time of diagnosis onwards

Pathology

Start screening



Denise: 18 years old. Multiple family members.



Resources

Services

NHH is an OBSP site accredited by the Canadian Association of Radiologists!

Visit www.nhh.ca or call 905-377-7795 to book an appointment; no referral necessary for eligible women aged 50-74.

NHH has an active breast clinic affiliated with CERCP/PRHC. Every Wednesday 1:00-4:00PM Ambulatory unit.



Canadian Cancer Society: www.cancer.ca or call 1-888-939-3333

Cancer Care Ontario: www.cancercare.on.ca "Facts About Breast Cancer"

MOHLTC "Time to Screen" tool:

http://www.health.gov.on.ca/en/public/programs/bre astcancer/







Cervical Cancer Screening

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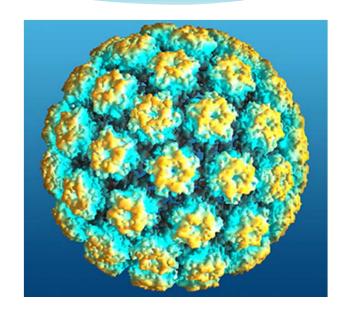
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Human Papilloma Virus

- ➤ More than 100 HPV types
- ➤ 40+ infect the anogenital tract = transmitted sexually
- > ~20 types associated with precancerous changes
- > 75% of population=> at least one infection in lifetime
- ➤ 11-25% under 25 years-infected with high risk type



Human Papilloma Virus

Interim Guidelines

Average risk

Up to 21

21-70

Beyond 70

No screening:

- Rare before age 25
- Changes usually resolve
- HPV infection rate high

Pap smear:

 Testing every 3 years depending on sexual activity No screening if negative in the past 10 years

Screening Methods

- > Pap smear sole method for screening
 - only 53% of abnormalities detected with single pap
 - ^88% with repeat screening at 3 years
 - results predictive for 3 years (regular screening)
- > HPV screen tests for virus
 - identifies 96% of cases
 - predictive for 5 years

Resources

Services	Your primary care provider (for regular pap smears) HKPR District Health Unit's Sexual Health Clinic - Offers pap tests the first and third Tuesday of each month at NHH and the first and third Monday of each month in Brighton. Call 1-866-888-4577 ext. 205 to book an appointment/confirm directions.
Information	Canadian Cancer Society: www.cancer.ca or call 1-888-939-3333 Cancer Care Ontario www.cancercare.on.ca Patient pamphlets www.publications.serviceontario.ca
	Society of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists of Canada: www.sexualityandu.ca Society of Canadian Colposcopists: www.paptestinfo.ca

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Colon Cancer Screening

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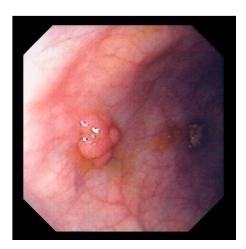






What's a Polyp?

- * It's a growth
- * Not all are cancerous, many are precursors of cancer
- * Removing polyps reduces cancer risk



What is my risk?

Average risk

Age: 50 years+ and no personal history of:

- adenomatous polyps
- colorectal cancer (CRC)
- Inflammatory Bowel Disease

No family history of CRC

Moderate risk

Age: any

- 1+ first degree relative with CRC
- personal history of adenomatous polyps or CRC

High risk

Age: any

- strong family history
- cancer syndromes
- personal history of Inflammatory Bowel Disease





Bob: 37 years old, no risk factors.

Average risk

Up to 50

50-79

Beyond 79

No screening

First option: FOBT every 2 years

Second option: colonoscopy

No screening



Jeff: 7 years old; his father Sam developed colon cancer at 42.

Increased risk

1 first degree relative <60

Up to 40 or 10 years younger than the key relative (whichever comes first)

No surveillance

Every 5 years, up to 80

Surveillance colonoscopy
No FOBT

Individualize above 80

Stop surveillance

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Matt:

43 years old; father had colon cancer at 72.

Increased risk

1 or more second degree relative <60

1 first degree relative > 60 2 second degree relatives > 60

Up to 50

Up to 50

No surveillance

Every 10 years between 50-80

Every 5-10 years Up to 80

Surveillance colonoscopy No FOBT

Individualize above 80

Stop surveillance

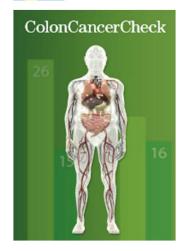
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NHH has a very active endoscopy unit! Services Referral is through your family doctor. FOBT kits are provided through the NHH surgeons' office in the Port Hope Medical Centre and through local family doctors. Canadian Cancer Society: www.cancer.ca or call 1-888-939-3333 Information Cancer Care Ontario www.cancercare.on.ca MOHLTC: Colon Cancer Check program http://health.gov.on.ca/en/public/programs/coloncan cercheck/







The Role of Primary Care

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The Role of Primary Care

Primary care providers play a central role in breast, colon and cervical cancer screening

Summary

- * Screening is the best way to diagnose cancer early
- Early detection can lead to better outcomes
- * Education is key; know your risk(s)
- * Speak to your health care provider or to a specialist
- * Ask, always



Questions?

Thank you!



For a copy of tonight's presentation and more, go to www.nhh.ca