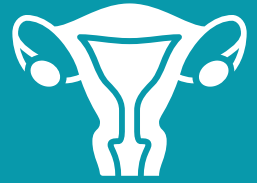


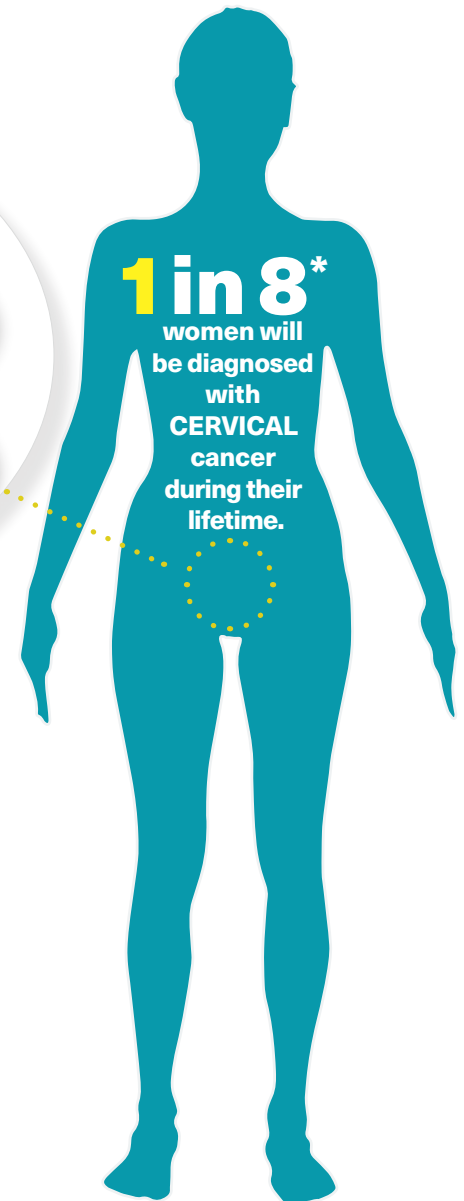
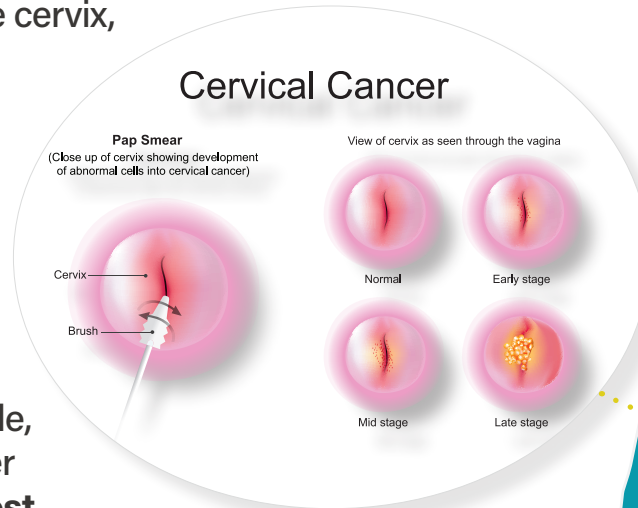
Cervical Cancer:

Prevention & Screening
Identify, Reduce, Prevent



What is cervical cancer?

Cervical cancer starts in the cervix, the narrow opening into the uterus from the vagina. Cervical cancer is most often caused by human papillomavirus (HPV), a sexually transmitted infection. It is the fourth most common type of cancer for women worldwide, but because it develops over time, it is also one of the **most preventable types of cancer**.



What causes cervical cancer?

- Over 90% of cervical cancer is caused by human papillomavirus (HPV)
- Having HIV (the virus that causes AIDS) or another condition that weakens your immune system
- Using birth control pills for a long time (five or more years)
- Having several sexual partners
- Having given birth to three or more children
- Smoking

What you can do about it:

- Know your family history
- Complete HPV vaccine series
- Talk to your doctor about which screening test is best for you and get screened regularly

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