Colorectal Cancer

90% of polyps or tumors can be detected during screening

Risk Factors
- Age
- Personal History
- Family History
- Inflammatory Bowel Disease
- Race & Ethnic Background

Warning Signs & Symptoms
- Change in bowel movements
- Blood in or on stools
- Frequent stomach aches, pains, or cramps
- Unexplained weight loss
- Rectal bleeding

Colorectal cancer and colorectal polyps do not always cause symptoms, especially in the early stages. This is why it is important to get screened regularly.

Why Early Detection is Key
- 1 in 21 men are at risk of developing colorectal cancer
- 1 in 23 women are at risk of developing colorectal cancer
- 2nd leading cause of cancer-related deaths
- 3rd most common cancer in both men & women

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