Colorectal Cancer in Florida, 2012



Colorectal cancer is more common among males than females, and among blacks than whites.



Additional Information on Side 2



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Colorectal Cancer Screening

is recommended for adults between the ages of



50 & 75^{*}

Testing options include:

- Fecal Immunochemical Test or FIT (testing for blood in the stool) every year
- Sigmoidoscopy (a procedure to examine the lower portion of the colon) every five years with FIT every three years
- Colonoscopy (a procedure to examine the entire colon) every 10 years

Talk to your health care provider to decide which screening test is right for you.



For more information regarding colorectal cancer screening tests, and Florida's Colorectal Cancer Control Program visit: www.coloncancerfl.org



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