



# You're invited.....

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Dear Show Me Healthy Women Participant,

Thank you for taking part in the Show Me Healthy Women breast and cervical cancer screening program. I would like to tell you about Missouri Screen for Life (MSFL) – a FREE colorectal cancer screening program. MSFL provides colorectal cancer screening tests FREE of charge to women and men who meet age, income, and health history guidelines.

Colorectal cancer, also called colon cancer, is the second leading cancer killer of men and women over 50. It often has no symptoms. The only way to check the health of your colon is to get screened.

A colon cancer screening test can...	This means...
1) Find signs that cancer may begin to grow in the colon.	Colon cancer can be prevented.
2) Find cancer at an early stage.	Colon cancer can be treated at an early stage.

The chance of a cure is very high when colon cancer is found early!

The MSFL program provides free colon cancer screening. We also provide free colon cancer treatment, if needed. Our partners in this program are St. Louis ConnectCare and the Siteman Cancer Center.

If you would like to have a screening test, please call the MSFL program at (314) 879-6392 to ask for an application packet. I strongly urge you to use this free colon cancer screening program. Like breast and cervical cancer, colon cancer is more easily treated when found early.

Do it for yourself. Do it for your family.

Sincerely,

Bruce Jenkins  
 MSFL Program Manager

