

Are You Eligible for an Open Access Colonoscopy?

What is Open Access Colonoscopy? The Open Access Colonoscopy Program has been developed by GastroIntestinal Healthcare, making colon cancer screening procedures more accessible for everyone.

The Open Access program allows healthy patients and patients who have a strong family history of colon cancer between the ages of 50 and 74 to receive a screening colonoscopy without the inconvenience and cost of an initial office visit. This allows patients who qualify to skip the office appointment.

This program is extremely popular with today's busy lifestyles, and we find it encourages patients who have been undecided about having a colonoscopy, to schedule this potentially life-saving procedure. We believe it to be safe and appropriate for the right patients, and most importantly, it saves lives. By eliminating an extra office visit, the patient saves not only time but a co-pay payment as well.

The Open Access colon cancer screening program is accepted and covered by most major insurance companies.

To see if you qualify can you answer YES to these questions:

Are you between the age of 50 and 74?

Are you healthy, without symptoms?

Please review the following questions, if you answer NO to all of the following questions, you may be an eligible candidate for open access.

Are you on blood thinners?

Have you had any heart issues within the last year?

Are you on a CPAP?

Have you had any bleeding or changes in bowel habits?

If you passed this preliminary screening, please provide the best daytime contact number for us to reach you to schedule our in-depth telephone screening our one of our RN's.

Name: _____

Daytime Phone: _____

If you do not meet the criteria for Open Access, please contact our office at 919-870-1311 to schedule an office visit.