



# PREVENTIVE SCREENINGS

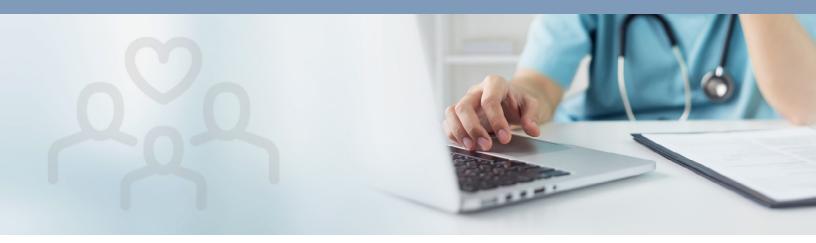
It is important for your overall health to see your primary care provider for regular health screenings. Since many health conditions cause no symptoms in their earliest stages, screenings can help you get earlier treatment and a better outcome. Not sure which screenings you need? Below is a helpful overview:

AGE	REASON	SCREENING DETAILS
<18	Annual Well Visit / Child Immunizations	<ul> <li>A good relationship with your PCP (Primary Care Provider) is important for your overall health. Taylor Wiseman &amp; Taylor medical plans covers an annual physical/well visit at no charge!</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Taylor Wiseman &amp; Taylor medical plans: Covers 100% of childhood immunizations recommended by the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices of the United States Public Health Service and the Department of Health.</li> <li>CLICK HERE to access the CDC vaccine schedule.</li> </ul>
18+	High Blood Pressure	• Yearly screening for hypertension in adults 40 years or older and for adults at increased risk for hypertension (such as African American adults, persons with high-normal blood pressure, or persons who are overweight or obese).
		• Screening less frequently (i.e., every 3 to 5 years) is appropriate for adults aged 18 to 39 years not at increased risk for hypertension and with a prior normal blood pressure reading.
		• Taylor Wiseman & Taylor medical plans: Annual preventive tests for high blood pressure are covered 100% for those 40 years or older
20+	Cervical Cancer	Women ages 21–29: Pap Smear every 3 years
		• Women ages 30–65: Every 3 years with Pap Smear alone, every 5 years with high-risk human papillomavirus (hrHPV) testing alone, or every 5 years with hrHPV testing in combination with Pap Smear (co-testing).
		<ul> <li>Taylor Wiseman &amp; Taylor medical plans: Annual gynecological exams, including Pap Smears (age 21+), are covered 100%</li> </ul>
35+	Diabetes / Prediabetes	• The American Diabetes Association recommends universal screening for prediabetes and diabetes, using a fasting plasma glucose level <u>OR</u>
		Oral glucose tolerance test <u>OR</u>
		HbA1c level, for all adults 45 years or older, regardless of risk factors at least every 3 years.
40+	Breast Cancer	Mammography at least every other year, starting at age 40.
		Taylor Wiseman & Taylor medical plans: Covered 100% annually for those 40 years of age or older
	Colorectal Cancer	Choose how you get screened from the following:
		Colonoscopy every 10 years <u>OR</u>
		<ul> <li>Taylor Wiseman &amp; Taylor medical plans: Covered 100% every 10 years for those 45 years of age or older</li> </ul>
50+		FOBT test or FIT test every year OR
		• Flexible sigmoidoscopy every 5 years <u>OR</u>
		Flexible sigmoidoscopy every 10 years with FIT every year OR  CT Calabacters by every 10 years OR
		<ul> <li>CT Colonography every 5 years <u>OR</u></li> <li>Coloquard (DNA stool screening) every 3 years.</li> </ul>
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50-80	Lung Cancer	<ul> <li>Low-Dose CT chest for adults with 20 pack/year smoking history and currently smoke, or quit within the past 15 years.</li> <li>Taylor Wiseman &amp; Taylor medical plans: Annual preventive screening covered 100% for those age 50 and older</li> </ul>
55-69	Prostate Cancer	• The decision to undergo a prostate-specific antigen (PSA)—screening for prostate cancer should be an individual one. Discuss with your
		doctor.
		Taylor Wiseman & Taylor medical plans: Annual prostate exam is covered 100%
All Ages	Periodic Health Evaluations	Those enrolled in one of Taylor Wiseman & Taylor medical plans are encouraged to receive their annual wellness visits with their primary care provider for a full medical history, blood work, and physical.
		CLICK HERE to find an in-network provider near you!

Note: Taylor Wiseman & Taylor coverages shown in the table above are based on in-network coverage.

# ADDITIONAL PREVENTIVE SCREENINGS

Below are some additional recommended health screenings. Remember to always consult your primary care provider to determine which screenings are right for you.



### **BREAST EXAM**

Women should receive regular breast exams, which screen for signs of breast problems, including cancer.

### **CHOLESTEROL**

Adults ages 35+ should be screened every five years if cholesterol levels are normal. Those with high blood pressure, other risk factors for heart disease or certain health conditions may need to get screened sooner or more often.

#### **EYE EXAM**

You should receive an eye exam every one to two years, or more often if you have glaucoma, have certain eye conditions or if your doctor recommends it.

# BONE MINERAL DENSITY TEST (BMD)

Osteoporosis occurs four times more often in women than in men, Women should get tested as often as advised by their doctor. Men should discuss screening with their doctor if over age 50.

### SEXUALLY-TRANSMITTED INFECTIONS

Depending on age, lifestyle and medical history, you may need to discuss with your doctor about getting tested for chlamydia, syphilis, HIV and other infections.

#### CHLAMYDIA SCREENING

Three fourths of women with this STI have no symptoms, so they can pass it on to others without knowing it. When it is not treated, pelvic inflammatory disease can result. This can make a woman unable to get pregnant.

#### PELVIC EXAM

Pelvic exams check for problems on the outside of the vaginal area and inside the vagina and cervix. Women should get screened as advised by their doctor.

## **HEARING EXAM**

Adults over age 65 may need a hearing test if signs of hearing loss are present.