

Women's Health

Women's health involves all things that help you live a healthy life at all ages. This includes:

- Routine health exams, including physical and mental health.
- Diet and exercise.
- Staying up-to-date on your vaccines.
- Medication management.

- Managing acute or chronic conditions (such as diabetes and asthma).
- Vision services.
- Family planning.
- Other exams as needed.



What women's health screenings should I get?

Routine health screenings help keep you healthy. The following are well woman exams:

Screening*	Age Group	How often to get screened
 Sexually Transmitted Infections (STIs) like Chlamydia and Gonorrhea 	16 years of age and older	Annually if sexually active, continue screening if at increased risk of infection.
 Cervical Cancer Screenings (Pap Test) Get a \$25 Gift Card 	21-64 years of age	 Ages 21-64: A Pap test every three years. Ages 30-64: Human Papillomavirus (HPV) test every five years or an HPV/Pap co-test every five years. Check with your doctor to see what is right for you. If you have had a total hysterectomy, you will no longer need a Pap test.
 Breast Cancer Screening (Mammograms) Get a \$40 Gift Card 	50-74 years of age Call your doctor for a recommended schedule if you are younger than 49 years of age.	 Staring at 50 years of age, and every two years, or start earlier based on risk. Call your doctor right away if you find a lump or experience any other changes in your breasts.

* U.S. Preventive Services Task Force

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For more information on women's health, see the following resources:

- GCHP's Women's Health frequently asked questions (FAQs)
- GCHP's Health Education webpage
- A list of services covered by GCHP is available in your <u>Member Handbook</u>.

For more information, call GCHP Member Services at **1-888-301-1228** Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., (except holidays). Call the Health Education Department for women's health resources at **1-805-437-5718** Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. If you use TTY, call **711**.