

Did you know?

Women age 40+ who have not had a mammogram within the last 2 years:

- Albany County: 24.5%*
- Carbon County: 39.8%*
- Natrona County: 30.2%*

Women who have not had a Pap smear within the last 3 years:

- Albany County: 20.2%*
- Carbon County: 36.2%*
- Natrona County: 21.5%*

People age 50+ who report they have never had a sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy:

- Albany County: 33.7%*
- Carbon County: 51.1%*
- Natrona County: 37.5%*



Wyoming Cancer Resource Services

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<http://wdh.state.wy.us/brfss/brfssdata.aspx>

Why are cancer screenings important?

Some cancers can be found before they cause symptoms. Checking for cancers and conditions that may lead to cancer can save your life.

Screenings can help doctors find and treat some types of cancer early. Generally, cancer treatment is more effective when the disease is found early.

Mammograms, Pap tests or smears, and Colonoscopies are the basic screening tests that check for cancers of the breast, cervix, colon and rectum.

**Early detection
saves lives!**

What is Wyoming Cancer Resource Services (WCRS)?

The mission of the Wyoming Cancer Resource Services is to increase the number of Wyoming citizens being screened for cancer, to reduce cancer incidence through education and to provide patient navigation services throughout the continuum of care for those with a cancer diagnosis and their families.

The Wyoming Cancer Resource Services program has been providing cancer prevention and control services since 2007, and is part of the statewide cancer control plan. The state is divided into 5 regions that implement regional-level cancer control measures.



What does WCRS do?

- Educate the public and improve awareness of cancer risk factors by promoting early detection and cancer prevention programs.
- Provide cancer information through presentations, pamphlets, and brochures.
- Improve access to screening and treatment services by providing assistance with transportation costs.
- Help cancer patients access financial assistance, treatment options, and more.

Please visit our website at

www.cancerresourceswy.com

for more information on cancer screenings in your area.

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