



Cervical Health 60 Sec PSA

Did you know that each year more than 12,000 women in the United States get cervical cancer and about 4,000 women die from it?

According to data collected by the CDC, there are more deaths from cervical cancer in Alabama than in any other state in the nation.

These numbers might sound alarming, but the good news is that cervical cancer is highly preventable with regular screening and treatable when diagnosed early. In fact, HPV vaccination could prevent more than 90% of cancers caused by HPV from ever developing.

January is Cervical Health Awareness Month.

Women age 40 to 64 may qualify for free cervical cancer screenings through the Alabama Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program if they have limited income and have no insurance or are underinsured.

For more information, visit our website at AlabamaPublicHealth-dot-gov.

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