

COLORECTAL CANCER in IDAHO

2023

3,351 cases

of malignant colorectal cancer were diagnosed among Idahoans during 2016-2020

Colorectal cancer rates are **40% higher** in Idaho communities with higher rates of poverty.

Colorectal cancer rates are **25% higher** among Black Idahoans than among white Idahoans.

1,318 deaths

from colorectal cancer among Idahoans during 2017-2021

Let's beat colorectal cancer!

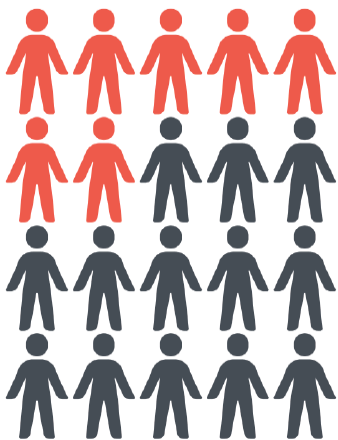
- **45-75 is the recommend age to receive colorectal cancer screenings.** Healthcare provider recommendation is the primary motivator for Idahoans to get screened.
- **Early detection saves lives!** Colorectal cancer can be prevented or treated if found early.
- **Choose the best screening method – the one that gets done!** Patients have several screening choices, including simple take-home options.

Over 3,700

Idahoans alive on July 1, 2020 had a colorectal cancer diagnosis within the prior 10 years

Health Behavior

- 1 in 3 eligible Idahoans are not up to date on their colorectal cancer screening (2020 BRFSS)
- Idaho ranks 48th among U.S. states, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico for the proportion of adults aged 50-75 who are up to date on colorectal cancer screening (2020 BRFSS)



Of every 20 Idahoans diagnosed with colorectal cancer, 7 have died from their cancer within 5 years of diagnosis

Rates of colorectal cancers have decreased **1.2%** per year since 2000.

In Idaho, males die from colorectal cancer at **1.3 times** the rate of females.

Even among tumors diagnosed at an early stage, **Hispanic Idahoans have ~10% lower 5-year survival post-diagnosis than non-Hispanic white Idahoans.**