Better test, less often!

Ontario has a **new cervical screening test** that is better at helping prevent cervical cancer. Most people only need the test every 5 years.

Talk to your doctor, nurse practitioner or midwife about getting checked.







Human papillomavirus (HPV) is a virus that can cause cell changes in the cervix. These changes can turn into cervical cancer over time if they are not treated.

The new cervical screening test:

- Is for women, Two-Spirit people, transmasculine people and nonbinary people with a cervix
- Checks for types of HPV that can cause cervical cancer
- Replaces the Pap test because it is better at preventing cervical cancer

To learn more, visit

ontariohealth.ca/cervical-test

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