



In North Dakota, colorectal cancer is the third most diagnosed cancer and second leading cause of cancer-related deaths among cancers affecting both men and women.

Colorectal cancer is the most preventable but least prevented cancer.



WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

- ✓ People aged 45-64
- ✓ Residents of North Dakota
- ✓ Uninsured or underinsured
- ✓ At average or increased risk for colorectal cancer
- ✓ Low income (139-200% of federal poverty guidelines)
- ✓ Due or past due for colorectal cancer (CRC) screening

WHAT SERVICES ARE REIMBURSED?

- ✓ Office visit where CRC screening test is ordered
- ✓ The type of screening is a joint decision made between the patient and provider. The North Dakota Colorectal Cancer Screening Initiative is able to cover the following tests:
 - Fecal Immunochemical Test (FIT)
 - mts-DNA (Cologuard)
 - Colonoscopy
- ✓ Pre-op office visit, if required
- ✓ Limited lab work with a pre-op visit
- ✓ Analysis of any biopsies taken during the colonoscopy following a positive stool test
- ✓ Surveillance of colorectal cancer screening at intervals indicated by the provider
- ✓ Gift card to help cover bowl preparation

