



TALK TO YOUR DOCTOR **TODAY ABOUT
PROSTATE HEALTH**

Talk with your doctor to find out if prostate screening is right for you.



Are you at greater risk for prostate cancer:

- African-American
- Older than 50 years of age
- Have a member of the family with prostate cancer.

Know the advantages and disadvantages of PSA blood testing.

If your doctor recommends screening:

Advantages:

-  A normal PSA blood test may put your mind at ease.
-  A PSA blood test may find prostate cancer early.




Disadvantages:

-  Sometimes PSA test results suggest something is wrong when it is not (a "false positive") which may lead to more testing.



If your doctor DOES NOT recommend screening:

Advantages:

-  You are not at greater risk at this time for prostate cancer.
-  A PSA blood test may not be helpful for your age.
-  Continue to have conversation with your doctor in the future.

Disadvantages:

-  There is a small chance prostate cancer treatment may be delayed.