

# National Cancer Screening Programme Information

## Bowel Screening

FIT test  
men and women

Aged **54-74**  
every 2 years\*\*

**75+** can request FIT

**Bowel Cancer  
Screening  
Helpline  
0800 707 6060**

**National Target: 60%**

## Cervical Screening

Women and people with  
a cervix aged **25-49**  
every 3 years

Women and people with  
a cervix aged **50-64**  
every 5 years

Contact GP practice for  
further information or to  
book an appointment

**National Target: 80%**

## Breast Screening

Women aged **50-71**  
every 3 years

Women **71+** can request  
an appointment

**Central Appointments  
Service 020 3758 2024**

london.  
breastscreening.org.uk

**National Target: 70%**

*\*\* By 2025, all people over the age of 50 will receive an invitation for bowel screening.*

Please find useful links for information on screening taken from NHS/Government/Charity websites, the resources include information in different languages:

- **National Screening Programme – Bowel, Breast, Cervical**  
[www.nhs.uk/conditions/nhs-screening/](http://www.nhs.uk/conditions/nhs-screening/)
- **Bowel Screening**  
[www.nhs.uk/conditions/bowel-cancer-screening/](http://www.nhs.uk/conditions/bowel-cancer-screening/)
- **Breast Screening**  
[www.nhs.uk/conditions/breast-screening-mammogram/](http://www.nhs.uk/conditions/breast-screening-mammogram/)  
[www.london-breastscreening.org.uk/home.aspx](http://www.london-breastscreening.org.uk/home.aspx)  
[www.breastcancernow.org/information-support/facing-breast-cancer/what-expect-breast-clinic-appointment/breast-screening](http://www.breastcancernow.org/information-support/facing-breast-cancer/what-expect-breast-clinic-appointment/breast-screening)
- **Cervical Screening**  
[www.nhs.uk/conditions/cervical-screening/](http://www.nhs.uk/conditions/cervical-screening/)  
[www.eveappeal.org.uk/gynaecological-cancers/cervical-cancer/facts-and-tips-for-cervical-screening/](http://www.eveappeal.org.uk/gynaecological-cancers/cervical-cancer/facts-and-tips-for-cervical-screening/)