

Reasons to Get Your Know Your Numbers (KYN) Health Screening

If a doctor can stop or locate a health problem before it gets serious, you'll save a lot of money on medical bills down the road. According to the Partnership to Fight Chronic Disease, 46.7% of all deaths in the U.S. could have been avoided by simply getting an annual physical exam. Your KYN screening will:

1. **Establish baselines.** Getting a physical will establish baselines for things like weight, blood pressure, and cholesterol. Using these baselines, your doctor can gauge your health's subsequent progression or regression.
2. **Detect health problems early.** According to the CDC, 133 million Americans are currently living with an undiagnosed chronic disease. Are you one of them?
3. **Stop diabetes before it starts.** Diabetes has been linked to heart disease, obesity, stroke, Alzheimer's, metabolic disorder and many other diseases. Diabetes Type 2 can be avoided completely in most cases, and in some, even reversed. Not seeing your doctor for an annual physical increases your risk by 2/3.

4. **Decrease risk of cancer.** For men, getting PSA checked; for women, getting a mammogram and regular pap test can help avoid or at least detect cancer early on.

The KYN screening can qualify you for a lower coinsurance. [Click here](#) to link to KYN program participation details.

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