

## **Provider communication**

General information and system updates

April 1, 2024

## **Colorectal Cancer Screening Initiative 2024**

**Applicable to: Mercy Care Advantage** 

MCA sends an annual brochure to all members *who* are non-compliant with their colorectal cancer screening, and we encourage them to speak to their primary care provider about having a screening completed. During any visit with members, please take the opportunity to discuss the different screening options with them to help determine which colorectal cancer screening is right for them. We are offering a gift card incentive to members that complete a colorectal cancer screening between January 1 through December 31, 2024.

Beginning in June, Mercy Care Advantage (MCA) will be partnering with our primary care providers to improve the rate of members being screened for colorectal cancer. Providers will have the opportunity to sign and return orders for a FIT Test for members between 45-75 years of age in need of colorectal cancer screening. Members choosing to participate will receive a FIT Test and instructions for taking and returning the test to the lab. Results will be sent directly to the PCP.

We appreciate your assistance in ensuring our members are getting screened for colorectal cancer and for participating in the effort to help save lives.

Thanks for all you do!

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