

January is

# Cervical Health Awareness & Cervical Cancer Screening Month

- According to the American Cancer Society, every year an estimated 10,520 new cervical cancers and 3,900 cervical cancer deaths will occur in the United States.
- Based on good evidence, mortality from cervical cancer can be reduced by over 70% through regular screening for cervical cancer with the Papanicolaou (Pap) test.
- Despite this, data from the National Health Interview Survey suggest that over 20% of women age 18 and over have not had a Pap test within the past 3 years.
- Screening is recommended within 3 years of the onset of sexual activity or at age 21, whichever comes first.



Call us at \_\_\_\_\_  
to make an appointment to get tested.