



CERVICAL CANCER MYTHS AND FACTS

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Only promiscuous women get cervical cancer.

Cervical cancer can develop in any women who has an HPV infection. Women who have only had one sexual partners may getn an HPV infection.

During a cervical cancer screening, your womb is removed.

Your womb is not removed during a cervical cancer screening. Cervical cancer screening involves a gentle collection of cells from the cervix. No parts of your body are removed

There is no point in having a cancer al screening, because it only tells a woman that she has a fatal condition and nothing can be done for it.

Cervical cancer can be prevented or detected early because of cervical cancer screening. If cervical cancer is found early, it can be cured.

Cervical cancer happens in women with poor hygiene practices.

There is no evidence that poor hygiene causes cervical cancer.

Using tampons, can cause cervical cancer.

Using tampons during your period will not cause cervical cancer.

Putting herbs in the vagina, can cause cervical cancer.

Putting herbs in the vagina has not been shown to cause cervical cancer.

Too much sex will cause cervical cancer.

Cervical cancer is not caused by too much sex. Cervical cancer is caused by HPV.

