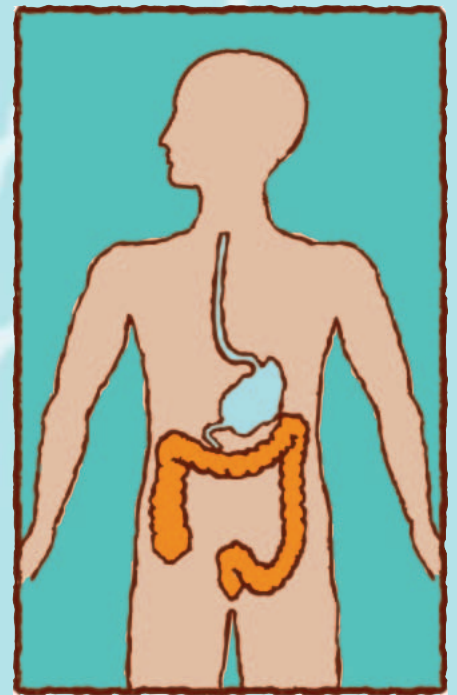


EARLY DETECTION OF BOWEL CANCER SAVES LIVES

Bowel cancer is the second most common cancer in the UK, responsible for 14,000 deaths in England each year. Early detection of bowel cancer can save lives. Coventry and Warwickshire are continuing as a pilot site to offer bowel cancer screening.

If you are registered with a GP in Coventry and Warwickshire, and will be aged between 50 and 69 during the year that your GP practice is screened, you will **automatically** receive an invitation letter. If you are over 69 you can ring the Screening Unit and ask to take part provided that you are registered with a Coventry or Warwickshire GP.



The screening unit helpline number is Freephone 0800 783 8042

For more information please visit:
www.cancerscreening.nhs.uk

