



PSA Testing Can be a Real Kick in the Pants

The best treatment for low-risk prostate cancer is often no treatment at all

Prostate cancer has a 95% survival rate ten years after diagnosis.¹

The Canadian Task Force on Preventive Healthcare recommends against PSA-screening.

Aggressive treatment based on an elevated PSA can cause more harm than good, including permanent impacts to sexual function, bladder control and bowel movements.²

More than 146,000 PSA tests were performed in Manitoba last year at a cost of more than \$1.5 million; only 0.5% of these cases resulted in a diagnosis of prostate cancer.³