

Medicare Beneficiaries
eligible for study,
n=3,276

Has a doctor or other health professional ever given [you] a home testing kit to test for blood in the stool? (Given Home Fecal Occult Blood Test [FOBT]), n=3,276

Ever had a colonoscopy or sigmoidoscopy, n=3,276

NO

‡YES

NO

‡YES

Ever heard of colonoscopy, n=1,179

Ever heard of home FOBT kit, n=1,609

Sent in most recent one, n=1,667

‡YES
Did doctor recommend colonoscopy, n=935*

YES

When was most recent one?
• <1 year
• 1-2 years
• 2-3 years
• 3-5 years
• >5 years (n=2,097)

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• <1 year
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• >5 years (n=1,574)

‡YES

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