BEACON HEALTH SYSTEM



Colon Cancer Screening and Prevention Event

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 30

Beacon Health System is offering a free colon cancer screening and prevention event. Participants can meet with a certified oncology nurse to discuss risk factors and family history, and will also be given a free screening test they can use at home.

There will also be a presentation by Dr. Yi Qin from Mayo Clinic on ways to prevent colon cancer.

Location and Times

Memorial Hospital Auditorium

11 am – 12 pm: Free Colon Cancer Risk Assessment and Screening

12 pm – 1 pm: Colon Cancer Prevention, Dr. Yi Qin, MD, Mayo Clinic

1 pm – 2 pm: Free Colon Cancer Risk Assessment and Screening

Beacon Health and Fitness Granger

5 pm – 6 pm: Free Colon Cancer Risk Assessment and Screening

6 pm – 7 pm: Colon Cancer Prevention, Dr. Yi Qin, MD, Mayo Clinic

7 pm – 8 pm: Free Colon Cancer Risk Assessment and Screening



Yi Qin, M.D., fellow, Division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology

Dr. Yi Qin is a third year gastroenterology fellow in the Division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology Mayo Clinic in Minnesota. Dr. Qin has an enthusiastic interest in esophageal diseases, and in particular biomarker detection of esophageal cancer. Her long-term goal is to develop a minimally invasive test that can be applied globally for screening of esophageal cancer. She is being mentored by Dr. David Katzka, Dr. David Ahlquist, and Dr. John Kisiel.

Prior to joining the fellowship at Mayo Clinic, Dr. Qin graduated medical school at the University of Florida College of Medicine in 2013, and completed her internal medicine residency at Duke University Hospital in Durham, North Carolina.