

# HEALTHY SAVINGS: MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY & THE ECONOMIC BURDEN OF DISEASE

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## **IMPACT OF COLORECTAL CANCER**



### **HEALTH SYSTEM & ECONOMIC SAVINGS**

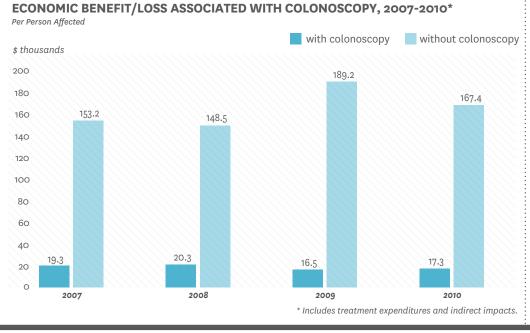
Use of sigmoidoscopy and colonoscopy for the early detection and prevention of colorectal cancer generates net cost savings.

\$150,365**\** 

annual savings /person affected

\$1.8BT

increased tax revenue



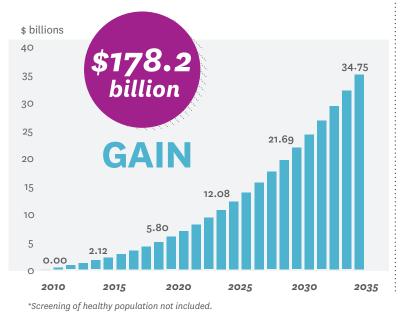
#### AVERAGE ANNUAL ECONOMIC BURDEN 2008-2010 (\$)

With colonoscopy (treatment and prevention) \$18,030.1
Without colonoscopy \$168,394.9

Average savings \$150,364.9

## THE FUTURE

Increased incentives for medical technology investment used to treat colorectal cancer will generate even larger net savings over time.



Reduced incentives for medical technology used to treat colorectal cancer will result in larger net costs.

