Ovarian Cancer starts in the ovaries and is the deadliest of all the gynecologic cancers. All women are at risk for ovarian cancer. About 90 percent of women who get ovarian cancer are older than 40. It is estimated that in 2019, 22,530 women will be diagnosed and 13,980 will die from it.

**OVARIAN CANCER**

**Symptoms:**
- Abnormal vaginal bleeding
- Abnormal vaginal discharge
- Pain or pressure in the pelvic or abdominal area
- Back pain
- Bloating or feeling full quickly while eating
- Having to pass urine very often and with greater urgency, or diarrhea

Cervical cancer starts in the cervix. It is the only gynecologic cancer that has a screening— the Pap test. Cervical cancer occurs most often in women over the age of 30. It is estimated that in 2019, 13,170 women will be diagnosed and 4,250 will die from it. Almost all cervical cancers are linked to the Human Papillomavirus Virus (HPV). Cervical cancers and cervical pre-cancers usually have no symptoms until the cells turn into cancer and invade the deepest parts of the cervix or other pelvic organs. That is why it is important to have a Pap test.

**CERVICAL CANCER**

**Symptoms:**
- Abnormal vaginal bleeding especially after sex
- Abnormal vaginal discharge

Vaginal cancer starts in the vagina. Only about 1 of every 1,100 women will develop vaginal cancer in her lifetime. It is estimated that in 2019, 5,350 women will be diagnosed and 1,430 will die from it. More than 8 out of 10 women with invasive vaginal cancer have one or more symptoms.

**VAGINAL CANCER**

**Symptoms:**
- Itching, burning, or bleeding
- Changes in vulvar color, lumps, rash or warts
- Pelvic pain or pressure
- Abdominal or back pain
- Changes in vulva color or skin, such as a rash, sores, or warts

Vulvar cancer starts in the vulva and accounts for about 4% of cancers of the female reproductive organs and 0.6% of all cancers in women. Less than 20% of cases are in women younger than age 50, and more than half occur in women over age 70. More than half of all vulvar cancers are linked to the Human Papillomavirus Virus (HPV). It is estimated that in 2019, 6,070 women will be diagnosed and 1,280 will die from it.

**VULVAR CANCER**

**Symptoms:**
- Itching or burning of the vulva
- Changes in vulva color or skin, such as a rash, sores, or warts

Uterine Cancer starts in the uterus and is also known as endometrial cancer. Most women who get this type of cancer are over the age of 50. It is estimated that in 2019, 51,880 women will be diagnosed and 12,160 will die from it. Uterine/Endometrial Cancer

**Symptoms:**
- Abnormal vaginal bleeding
- Abnormal vaginal discharge

In 2019, it is estimated that 109,000 women will be diagnosed with a gynecologic cancer and some 33,100 will succumb to the disease.

If you have any of these symptoms that persist: discuss them with your doctor. Preferably a gynecologist. It can greatly improve the chances of early detection and successful treatment.

Early detection saves lives. Visit www.gyncancerfl.org to learn more.