

Stomach cancer risk check is conducted by a blood test. This test combines the results of a pylori test which checks for an H. pylori infection, and a pepsinogen test which checks for gastric mucosal atrophy, and assesses your risk for gastric cancers, classifying the results into groups A, B, C, and D. Noteworthy, this test is less burden on the body than gastric X-ray examinations and gastric region endoscopy.

Based on the result of Stomach ABC screening, our health insurance society determine the frequency of gastric region endoscopy.

[The result of Stomach ABC screening and the frequency of gastric region endoscopy]

- A ⇒ Once in 3 years, you must take gastric region endoscopy
- B ⇒ Once in 2 years, you must take gastric region endoscopy
- C ⇒ Once in 2 years, you must take gastric region endoscopy
- D ⇒ Every year, you must take gastric region endoscopy
- E, or successful in the eradication of Helicobacter pylori in up to now. ⇒ Once in 3 years, you must take gastric region endoscopy

If you took Stomach ABC screening, you can confirm your status “The result of Stomach ABC screening” and “The latest gastric region endoscopy date” on Health checkups reservation system. According to the below table, if you are categorized “**Recommended**”, you add gastric region endoscopy as the optional inspection to the basic courses.

Optional inspection

- **[Recommended]** You take gastric region endoscopy.

The result of Stomach ABC screening (Fiscal year : A)	The latest gastric region endoscopy date		
	Next fiscal year (A + 1)	After 2 fiscal years (A + 2)	After 3 fiscal years (A + 3)
A			Recommended
B		Recommended	
C		Recommended	
D	Recommended	Recommended	Recommended
E			Recommended

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Regardless of the above table, if you apply to any one of the following cases, please consult with your doctor whether you can take gastric region endoscopy or not.

- You are in the treatment of stomach.
- You have ever been resected stomach.
- You are while taking drugs that suppress gastric acid.
- You have chronic renal failure.