PSA screening in men without any symptoms
The evidence so far...

**WITHOUT SCREENING**

Of 1,000 men aged 45-80

- 68 will get a prostate cancer diagnosis

**WITH SCREENING**

Of 1,000 men aged 45-80 who are screened at least once

- 88 will get a prostate cancer diagnosis

After at least 10 years, of the men diagnosed...

**WITHOUT SCREENING**

- 7 will die of prostate cancer
- 61 will be treated and survive their cancer

**WITH SCREENING**

- 7 will die of prostate cancer
- 61 will be treated and survive their cancer
- 20 will be diagnosed with cancers through screening that would not have caused any harm
  - It is not possible to tell which men these are. They will be offered treatment.
  - 0 lives will be saved due to screening

**DUE TO SCREENING** Around 20 men will be diagnosed with cancers that would not have caused any harm and no lives would be saved.

Some of these men may have complications from their treatment such as infections, sexual dysfunction and bladder and bowel control problems.

Reference: Screening for Prostate Cancer (Review), The Cochrane Library 2013

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