

Gastroenterology Team



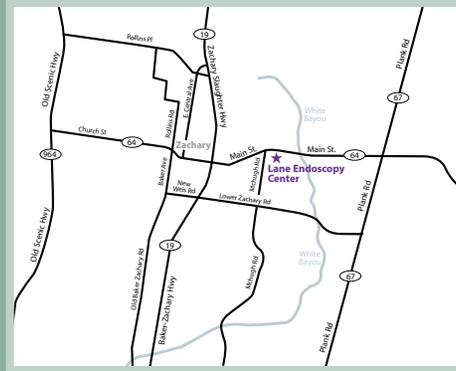
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Location

For your convenience, we are located on the third floor of the Lane Medical Plaza & Outpatient Diagnostic Center at 6550 Main Street in Zachary.



Lane Endoscopy Center

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Lane Endoscopy Center is one of the premier facilities in the greater Baton Rouge area for the diagnosis and treatment of gastrointestinal disorders.

Our outstanding team is specially trained in endoscopy.



Endoscopy Services

We offer a number of services related to the gastrointestinal system including:

- Routine preventative procedures such as colonoscopy screenings for the early detection of cancer or pre-cancers.
- Upper GI screenings for diagnosis of conditions including cancer affecting the esophagus, stomach and small intestine.
- Diagnostic procedures related to abdominal pain, heart burn, and bloody stool usually caused by ulcers, gastritis, colitis, diverticulitis, hiatal hernias, and hemorrhoids.

Diagnosing Colon Cancer

Colon cancer is the second leading cancer killer in the United States. Unfortunately, many people with colon cancer do not have any symptoms at first. And that is why colon screenings are so important. The goal is to find and remove polyps before they turn into cancer or to find a colon cancer as early as possible.

If you are over the age of 45, it is important to have a colonoscopy, because colon cancer is preventable. It is most often found in people over the age of 45.

The risk for colon cancer increases with age for both men and women. Other risk factors include having a close relative with polyps or colon cancer or if you have inflammatory bowel disease.

Symptoms of polyps or cancer may include:

- **Blood in your stool**
- **Stomach pain or cramps that occur frequently without a known cause**
- **A change in bowel habits**
- **Unexplained weight loss**

Schedule Your Screening Today at Lane Endoscopy Center

Ask your primary care physician to schedule a colon screening today. It is a painless test that is performed under sedation. Colon screenings are covered by all major insurances.

To schedule your screening, call 225-658-4522.