

## **2011 Family Health Issues OVARIAN CANCER**

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### **Objectives:**

1. Educate 75% of our members about Ovarian Cancer; what it is, the risk factors, how to lower your chance of getting it, screening, and treatments available.
2. Educate the public at various meetings (i.e., Ag Expo, Electric Coop Annual meeting, UMC Extension Annual Dinner) through display of materials and resources relating to Ovarian Cancer, approx. 1,000.

### **Goals:**

1. Encourage middle-aged or older members to have ovarian cancer screening and/or diagnostic testing.
2. Educate the members by distributing materials on Ovarian Cancer Awareness.
3. Select a speaker from a Springfield area hospital or cancer center to speak at MAFCE Annual State Conference Health Issues workshop on Ovarian Cancer.

### **Resources:**

Websites:

<https://health.google.com/health/ref/Ovarian+cancer>

[http://food.sify.com/articles/health/All\\_about\\_ovarian\\_cancer-274550](http://food.sify.com/articles/health/All_about_ovarian_cancer-274550)

Magazine articles

Pamphlets and handouts