## Stopping smoking can improve cancer patient outcomes by 30-40%

## DID YOU KNOW?

The NSHA Smoke and Tobacco Reduction Policy states all patients should be screened for tobacco use.

<u>ASK</u>

the patient if they have used tobacco in the past 6 months. ADVISE the patient that stopping

smoking can improve

their treatment outcomes.

<u>ACT</u> by referring the patient to cessation support.





Fax a referral to qualified counsellors at Tobacco Free Nova Scotia for free tobacco cessation support.