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TOTAL BODY SCANS - (ultra high speed CT scans) – Patients ask me if I recommend them. Due to the high amount of X-Rays it takes to do this I and the vast majority of other physicians do not recommend them. Getting a scan like this every few years would dramatically increase your chances of contracting something you are currently screening for. Do it enough times and eventually it will cause <u>and</u> find what it's screening.

BAD NEWS FOR "Light" SMOKERS – A 25+ **year** study in Norway with 43,000 people showed that even simply 1-4 cigarettes per day will triple your risk for Coronary Artery Disease.

SKIPPING BREAKFAST - To save time and calories can actually make you gain weight. It can also change insulin sensitivity and temporarily raise your LDL (bad) cholesterol. Eat a healthy breakfast!