# HEART ATTACK AWARENESS FOR WOMEN



#### WHAT IS A HEART ATTACK?

A heart attack most commonly
results from
atherosclerosis (fatty buildups) in the
arteries that carry
blood to the heart muscle



### SIGNS OF A HEART ATTACAK

- Chest Discomfort
- Shortness of Breath
- Pain or discomfort in one or both arms, the back, neck, jaw or stomach
- Nausea and vomiting



## TIPS TO AVOID HEART ATTACKS

- Eat foods that are low in saturated fat, trans fat,
- sodium (salt) and added sugars..
- Be physically active.
- Reach and maintain a healthy weight.
- Control your blood sugar if you have diabetes.
- Get regular medical check-ups.
- Take medicine as prescribed.

#### WANT TO LEARN MORE?

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