AFib can happen to anyone.

**What is AFib?**
(or Atrial Fibrillation)
AFib is a heart rhythm problem that may or may not be noticeable as a racing, pounding or fluttering sensation.

**What are the symptoms of AFib?**
Common symptoms may include:
- Racing heart, fluttering or palpitations
- Fatigue, shortness of breath
- Lightheadedness

Get regular checkups. It’s important to listen to your heart. If you think you may have AFib, talk with your healthcare professional and find out what you can do to lower your risk for stroke.

**People with AFib are at greater risk for stroke.**
AFib is linked with a 5x higher stroke risk.

Compared with white people, Black people are about one-third less likely to be aware they have AFib.

Many people with AFib benefit from stroke protection.
If you have AFib, chances are you need protection.

Anticoagulant medications lower risks
Discuss your risk calculations (CHA\(_2\)DS\(_2\)-VASc) with your healthcare professional.

Visit [heart.org/AFib](http://heart.org/AFib) to learn more about AFib symptoms and stroke risk.