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Breast Cancer

# AWARENESS MONTH

In 2024, more than 360,000 people will be diagnosed with breast cancer, but there is hope. Advancements in early detection methods and support continue to increase the chances of survival. When caught in its earliest, localized stages, the 5-year relative survival rate of breast cancer is 99%.

### What symptoms should I look for?

- New lump in the breast or underarm (armpit).
- Thickening or swelling of part of the breast.
- Irritation or dimpling of breast skin.
- Redness or flaky skin in the nipple area or the breast.
- Pulling in of the nipple.

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- Nipple discharge other than breast milk, including blood.
- Any change in the size or shape of the breast.
- · Pain in the breast.

Routine Mammogram

(\*1 per calendar year beginning at age 40)

#### \*covered as outlined by American Cancer Society

Out-of-Network Plan pays 60% of allowable charges after deductible

### The Importance of Mammograms

Annual (also known as routine or screening) mammograms allow your health care team to look for changes in your breasts. This non-invasive exam can detect breast cancer early when it is easiest to treat.

For most women, annual mammograms start at 40; if you have risk factors for breast cancer your provider might suggest getting mammograms earlier.

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# WOMEN'S HEALTH SCREENINGS

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SELF-CHECK SKIN CANCER SCREENING

BREAST SELF-EXAM



## Frequency

ONCE A MONTH

## SCREENINGS



60'S

Age

O'S AND 30'S	ONCE A YEAR	BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING HEIGHT, WEIGHT, BODY MASS INDEX (BMI) BREAST SELF-EXAM CARDIOVASCULAR EVALUATION DEPRESSION SCREENING
	EVERY 2 TO 5 YEARS AS RECOMMENDED BY YOUR PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER	BLOOD SUGAR TEST EYE EXAM HUMAN PAPILLOMA VIRUS (HPV) TEST PAP TEST
	EVERY 5 YEARS	CHOLESTEROL CHECK
	AS NEEDED AND RECOMMENDED BY YOUR PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER	SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASES (STD) TESTS
40's	ONCE A YEAR	MAMMOGRAM FULL-BODY SKIN EXAMS
	EVERY 2 TO 5 YEARS AS RECOMMENDED BY YOUR PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER	CHOLESTEROL CHECK
	EVERY 10 YEARS	COLON CANCER SCREENING
50's	EVERY 5 YEARS	BONE DENSITY TEST THYROID PANEL
	EVERY 10 YEARS	CARDIAC CALCIUM SCORING HEARING TEST
	AS NEEDED AND RECOMMENDED BY YOUR PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER	LOW-DOSE LUNG CT SCAN
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