



# Breast Health

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# Breast Cancer Statistics



(2015 USA Data)

(Breastcancer.org)

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Highest Diagnosed cancer in women (Skin) – 30% of all newly dx cancers
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Highest cancer deaths in women (Lung)
- Breast cancer risk doubles if you have a first degree relative with Breast cancer (mother, daughter, sister)
- **Only 15% of Breast cancer pts have a family history**
- 292,000 new cases Breast cancer (80% invasive)- Women
- 2,350 cases in men
- 40,290 fatal cases
- >2.8 million women have a history of Breast cancer

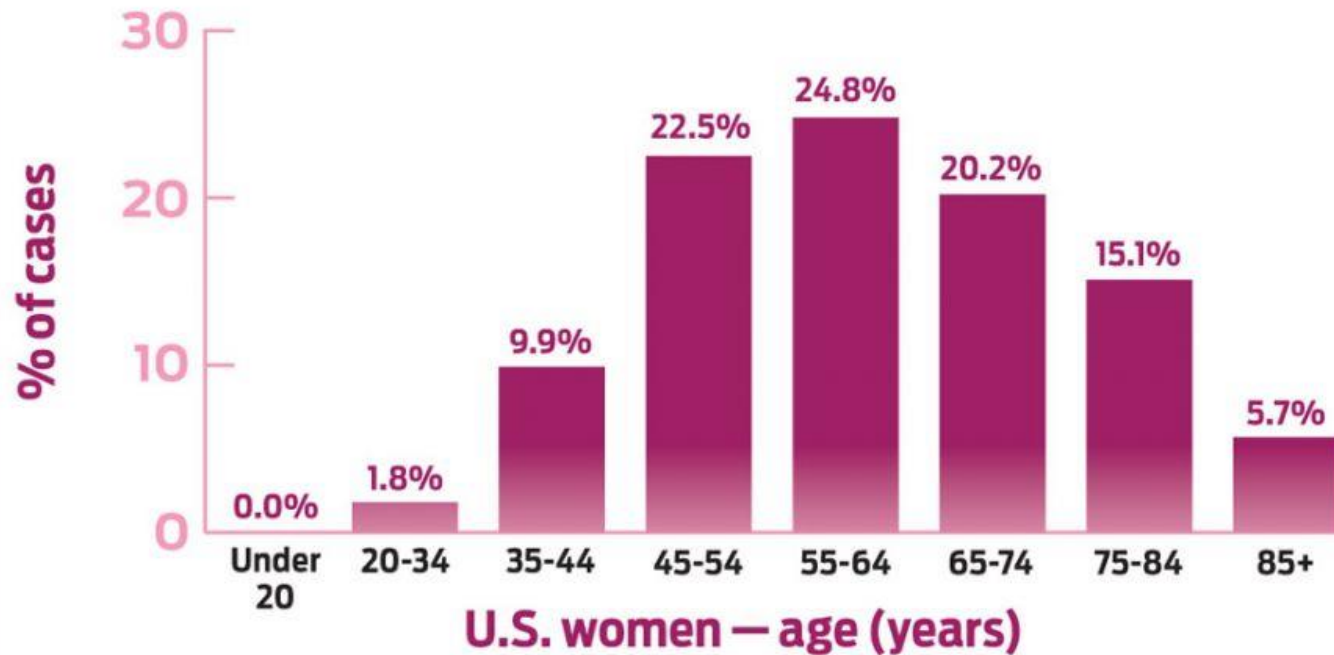
# Comparison to Heart Disease

- Includes heart disease, HTN, and stroke
- #1 killer of women (1/2 million/year)
- Kills more than the next seven causes of death combined
- Women are 15% more likely to die of a heart attack than men
- Only 34% of women correctly identified heart disease as the leading cause of death.



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## Breast cancer diagnoses by age — U.S. women



National Cancer Institute

## Age and Breast Cancer Risk

By age 25: one in 19,608

By age 30: one in 2,525

By age 35: one in 622

By age 40: one in 217

By age 45: one in 93

By age 50: one in 50

By age 55: one in 33

By age 60: one in 24

By age 65: one in 17

By age 70: one in 14

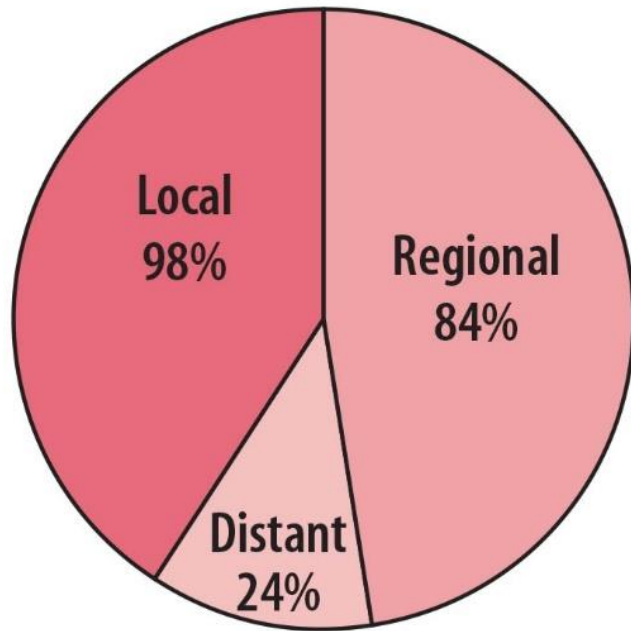
By age 75: one in 11

By age 80: one in 10

By age 85: one in 9

Ever: one in 8

### Five-Year Relative Survival Rates\* for Female Breast Cancer by Stage at Diagnosis, 2002-2008



Rates are adjusted from normal life expectancy and based on cases diagnosed in the SEER 18 areas from 2002 – 2008. Statistics taken from the American Cancer Society.

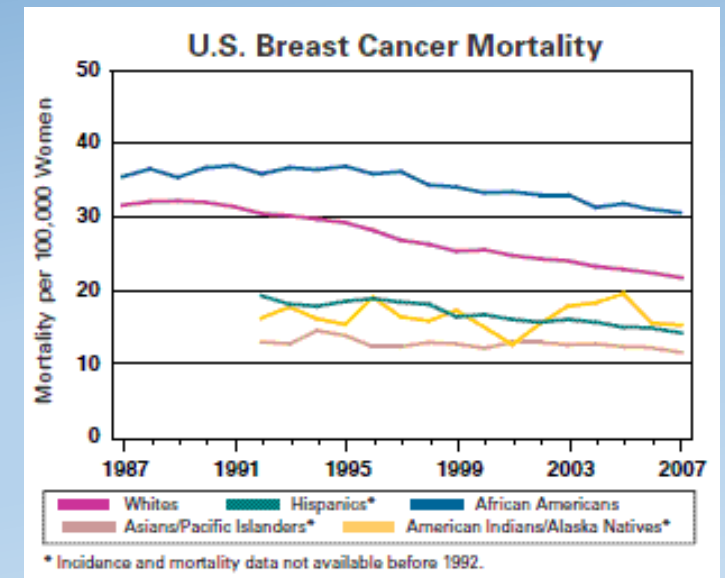
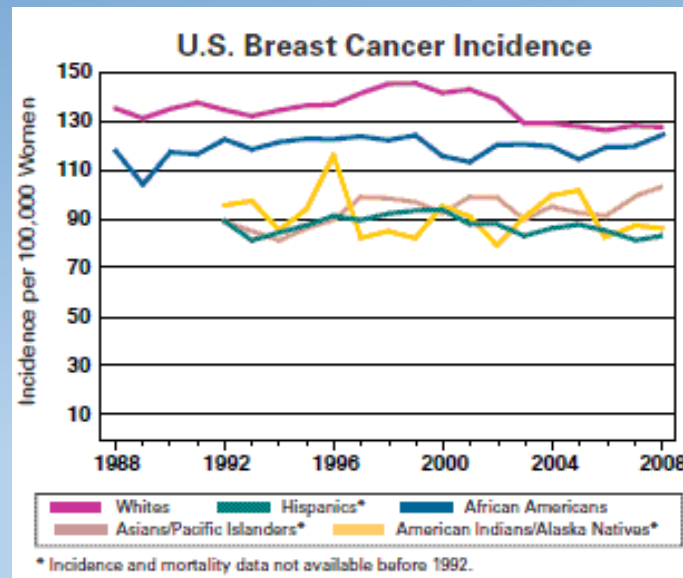
### Survival Rates

- At 5 Years: 89%
- At 10 years: 82%,
- At 15 years: 77%

**\*\*The key to surviving the disease is early detection. If detected and treated early, the 5 year relative survival rate for localized breast cancer is 99%**

# Trends

- Breast Cancer incidence rates began decreasing in the year 2000 (HRT? – Women’s Health Initiative)
- Breast cancer death rates on the decline since 1989 - women under 50 have experienced the largest decrease
  - Treatment advances
  - Earlier detection (screening)
  - Increased awareness



# Risk Factors

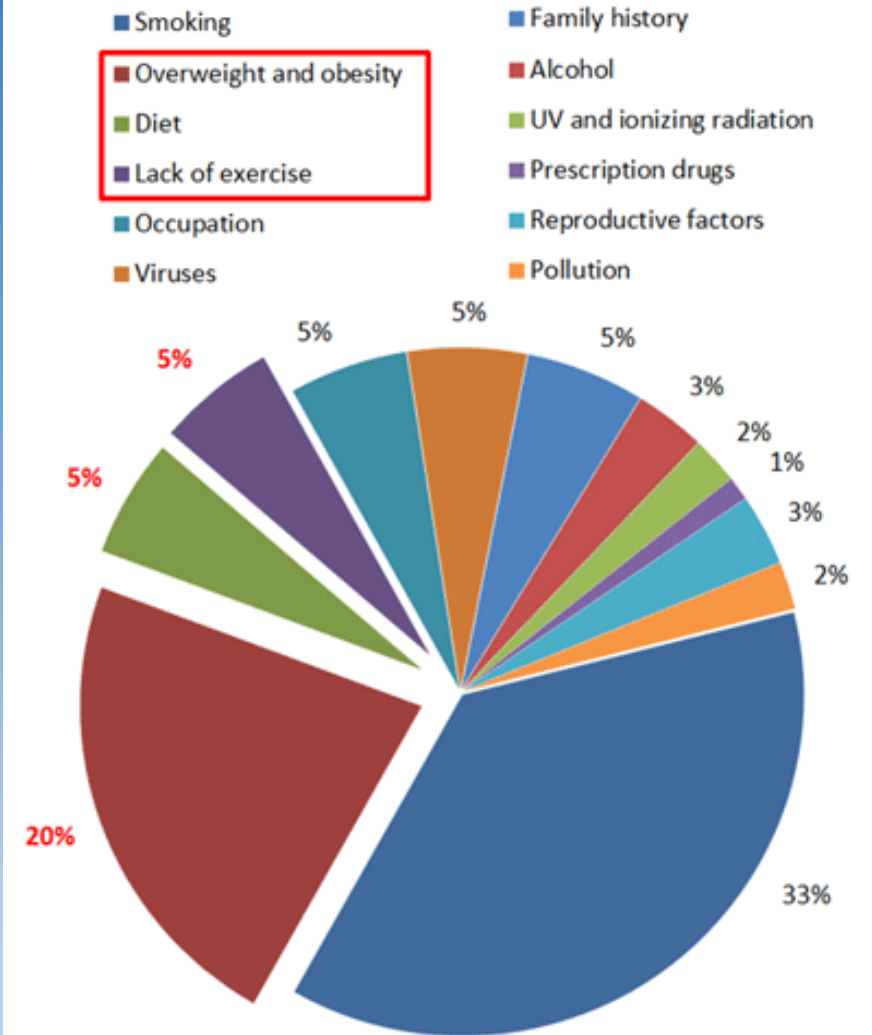
Table 1. Risk Factors for Breast Cancer

Nonmodifiable	Modifiable
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Female gender</li> <li>• Age (&gt;45 y)</li> <li>• Genetic changes (mutations, <i>BRCA</i>)</li> <li>• Family history of breast cancer</li> <li>• Personal history of breast cancer</li> <li>• Race and ethnicity (White &gt; African &gt; Asian)</li> <li>• Dense breast tissue</li> <li>• Certain benign breast conditions<sup>a</sup></li> <li>• Lobular carcinoma in situ (LCIS)</li> <li>• Menstrual periods (early menarche, late menopause)</li> <li>• Previous chest radiation</li> <li>• Diethylstilbestrol exposure</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Not having children (slight risk increase)</li> <li>• Oral contraceptives (slight risk increase)</li> <li>• Depo-Provera (slight risk increase)</li> <li>• Hormone therapy after menopause (risk increase after 2 y of use)</li> <li>• Breastfeeding (slight risk reduction)</li> <li>• Alcohol consumption (risk increase)</li> <li>• Obesity (risk increase)</li> <li>• Physical exercise (risk reduction)</li> </ul>

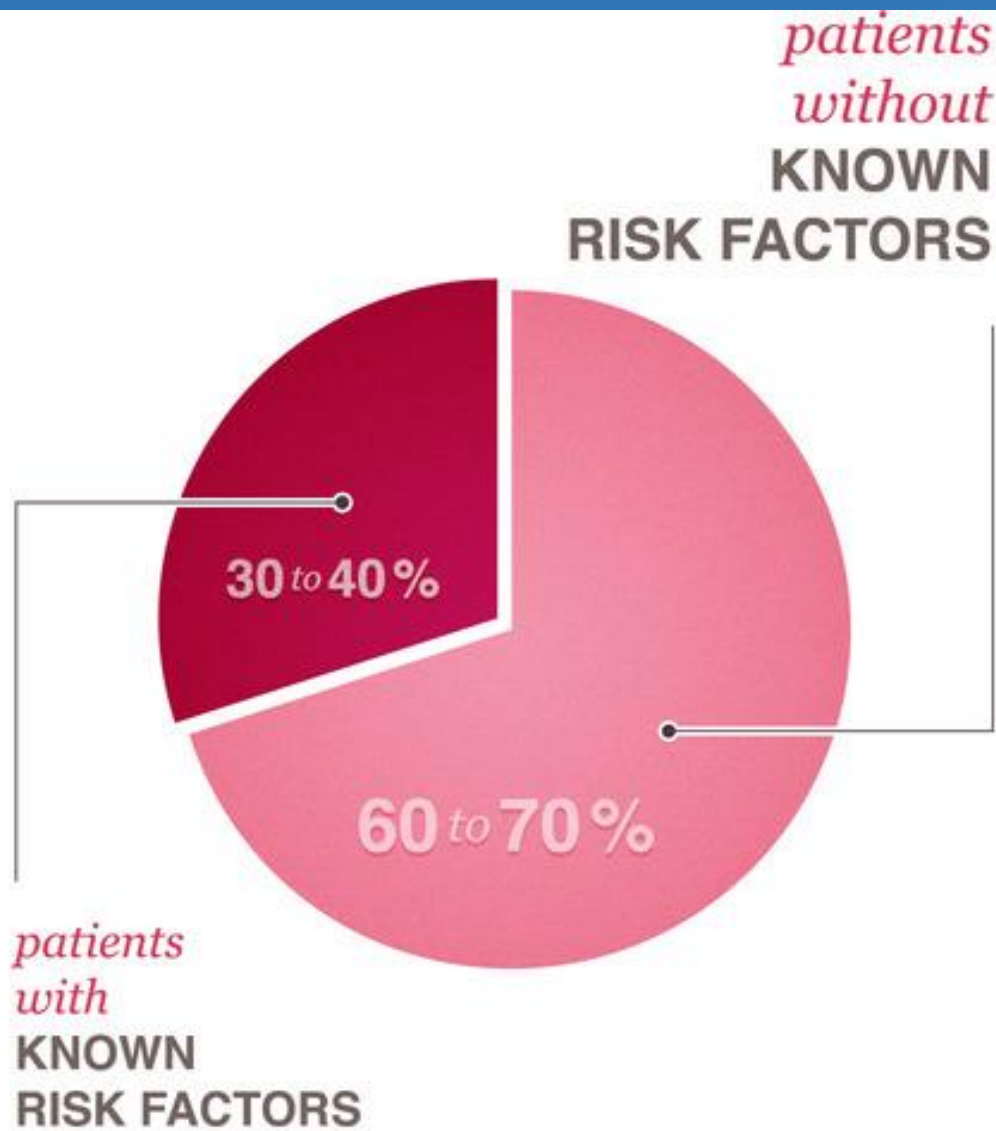
<sup>a</sup> Proliferative lesions with or without atypia.  
*BRCA*: breast cancer susceptibility gene. Source: References 1, 2.

**\*\* SMOKING**

Percentage of Cancer Caused by Preventable Factors



Colditz, G. A., K. Y. Wolin, et al. (2012). "Applying What We Know to Accelerate Cancer Prevention." *Science Translational Medicine* 4(127): 127rv124-127rv124.



- 5-10% of Breast cancers in women are genetic (40% in men)
- Only 15% of women with Breast cancer have a family history



# Computerized Risk Assessment

- Gail Model
- Claus model

**Risk Tool**

(Click a question number for a brief explanation, or [read all explanations.](#))

1. Does the woman have a medical history of any breast cancer or of ductal carcinoma in situ (DCIS) or lobular carcinoma in situ (LCIS) or has she received previous radiation therapy to the chest for treatment of Hodgkin lymphoma?
2. Does the woman have a mutation in either the BRCA1 or BRCA2 gene, or a diagnosis of a genetic syndrome that may be associated with elevated risk of breast cancer?
3. What is the woman's age?  
*This tool only calculates risk for women 35 years of age or older.*
4. What was the woman's age at the time of her first menstrual period?
5. What was the woman's age at the time of her first live birth of a child?
6. How many of the woman's first-degree relatives - mother, sisters, daughters - have had breast cancer?
7. Has the woman ever had a breast biopsy?
- 7a. How many breast biopsies (positive or negative) has the woman had?
- 7b. Has the woman had at least one breast biopsy with atypical hyperplasia?
8. What is the woman's race/ethnicity?
- 8a. What is the sub race/ethnicity?

**Calculate Risk >**

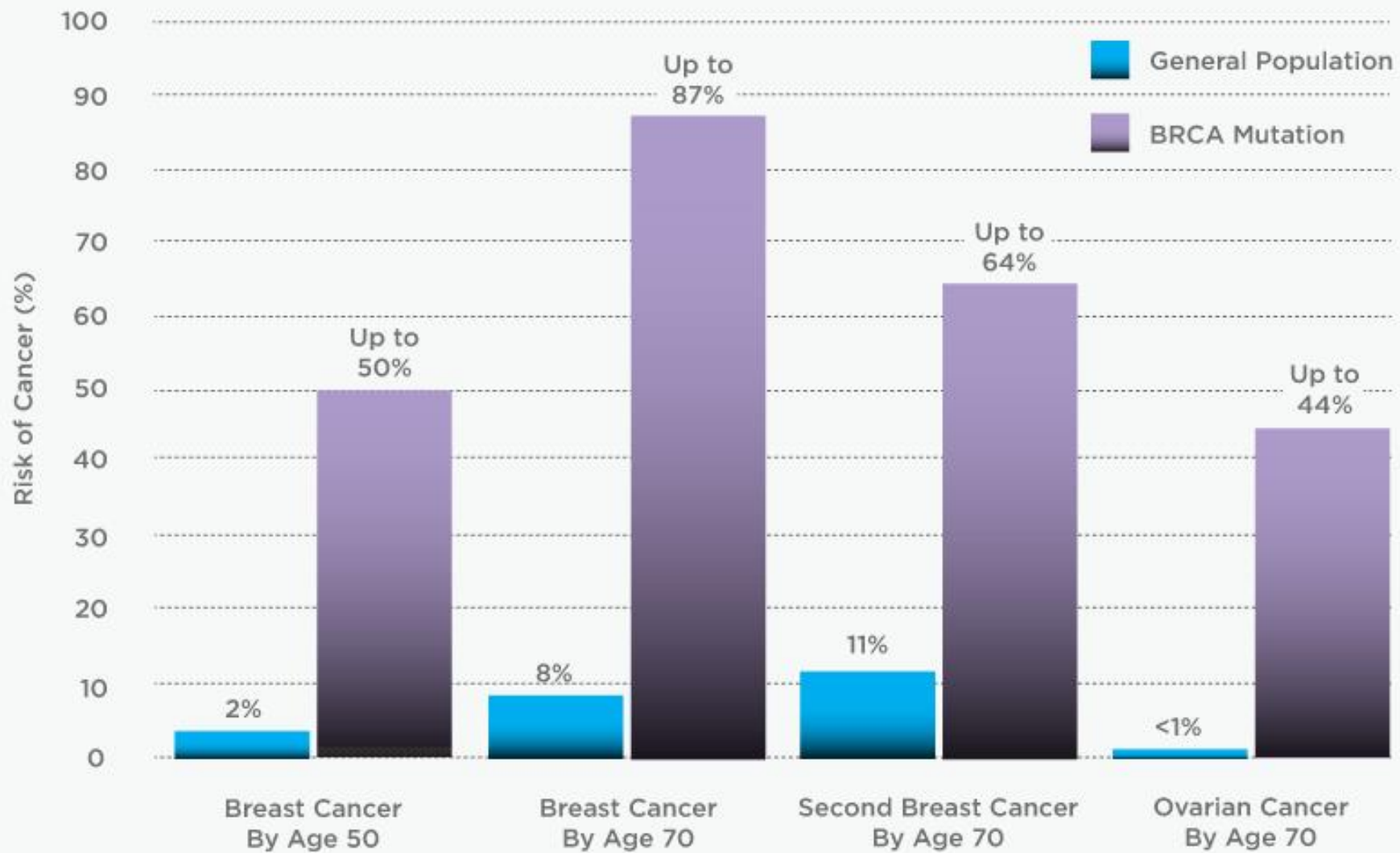


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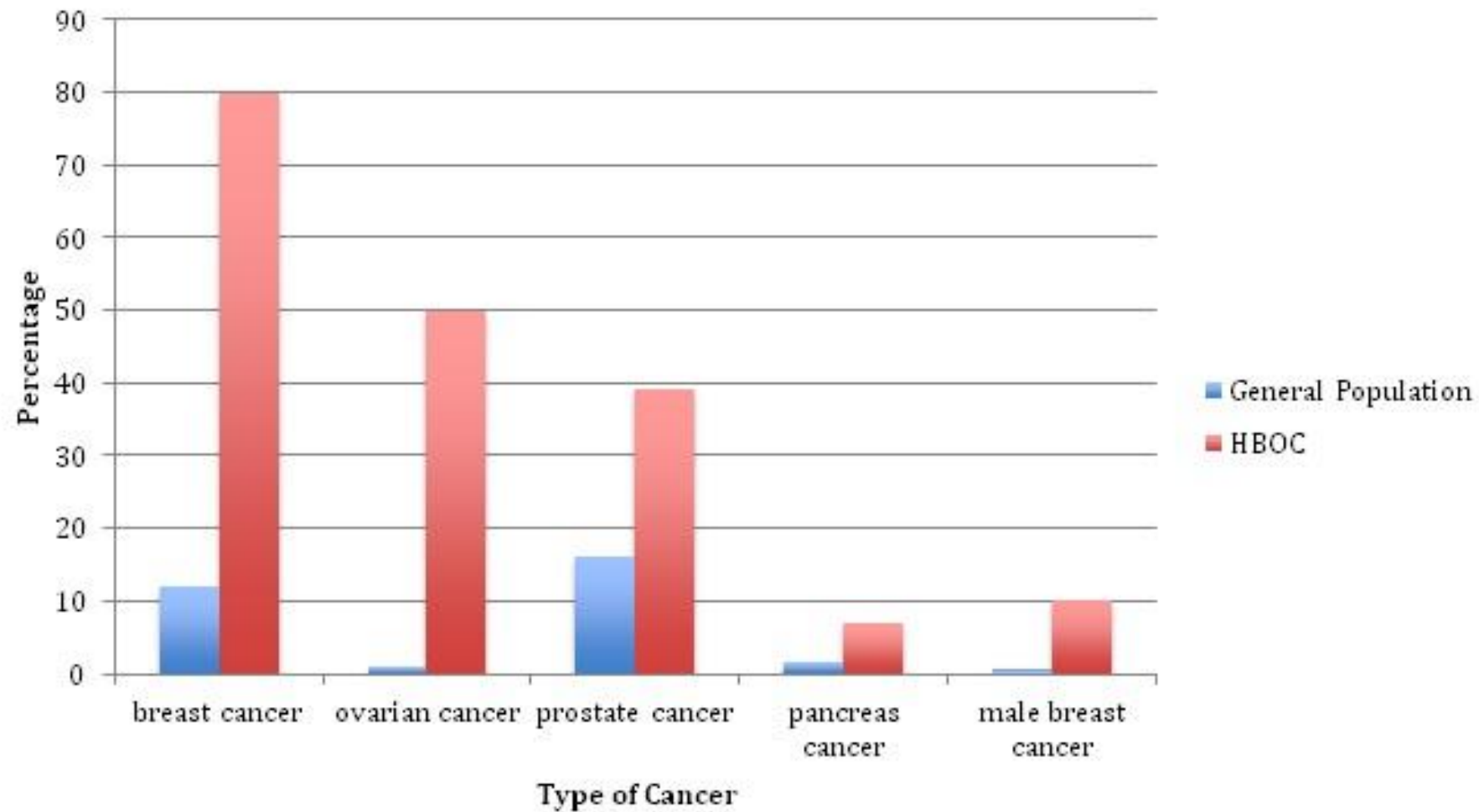
**Determine  
Your Risk**

# Genetic Testing

- May help you determine if your cancer was due to a genetic mutation and/or help determine if you are at increased risk of cancer/second cancer
- Informed decision making concerning your and your families risk of future cancers (screening recommendations, risk reduction, treatment plans)
- Performed with a mouth wash or blood test
- BRCA 1, BRCA 2, HBOC (BRCA genes repair cell damage)
  - \*P53, PALB2, CHEK2, STK11, CDH1, PTEN, and more . . .



## Lifetime Risk of Cancer General population vs HBOC

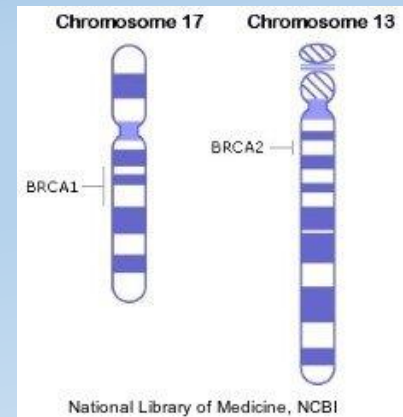


HBOC: Hereditary  
Breast and Ovarian  
Cancer

# Genetic Testing Indications

An Individual with, or a Family History of any of the following

- Breast Cancer diagnosed at age 50 or younger
- Ovarian cancer at any age
- Two primary breast cancers
- Male breast cancer
- “Triple negative” breast cancer
- Pancreatic cancer with HBOC-asso cancer (Breast, ovarian, pancreatic)
- 2 relatives with breast with breast cancer, one under age 50
- 3 relatives with breast cancer at any age
- BRCA mutation in the family



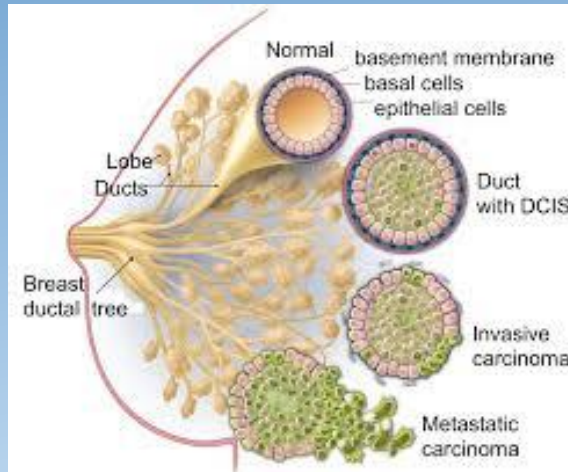
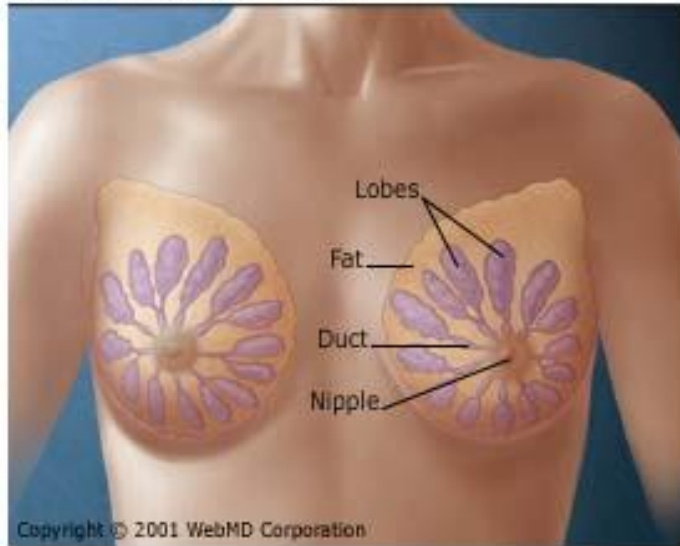
# Genetic Counseling

- Hershey Medical Center
  - Dr. Maria Baker PhD
  - 1-800-233-4082



# Cancer Basics

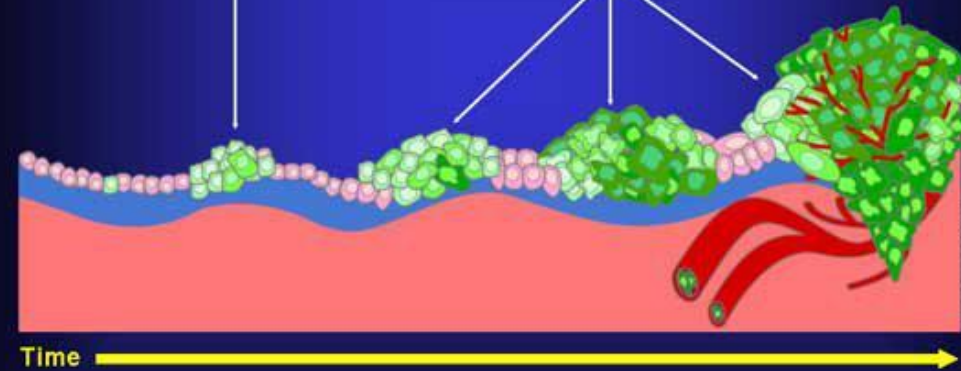
Anatomy of the Breast



## Malignant versus Benign Tumors

Benign (not cancer) tumor cells grow only locally and cannot spread by invasion or metastasis

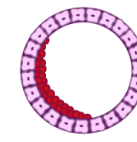
Malignant (cancer) cells invade neighboring tissues, enter blood vessels, and metastasize to different sites



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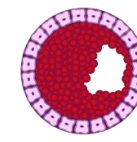
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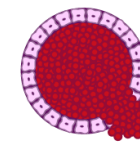
Hyperplasia



Atypia

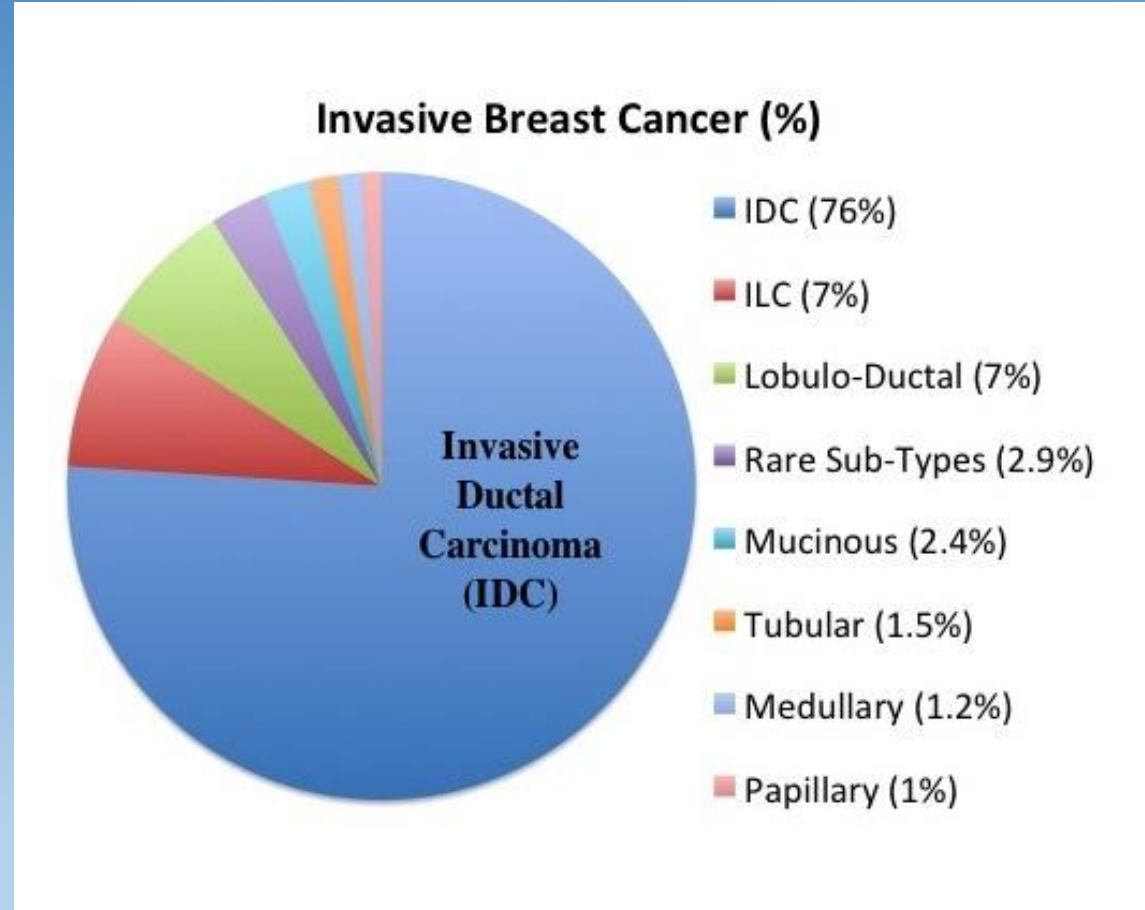
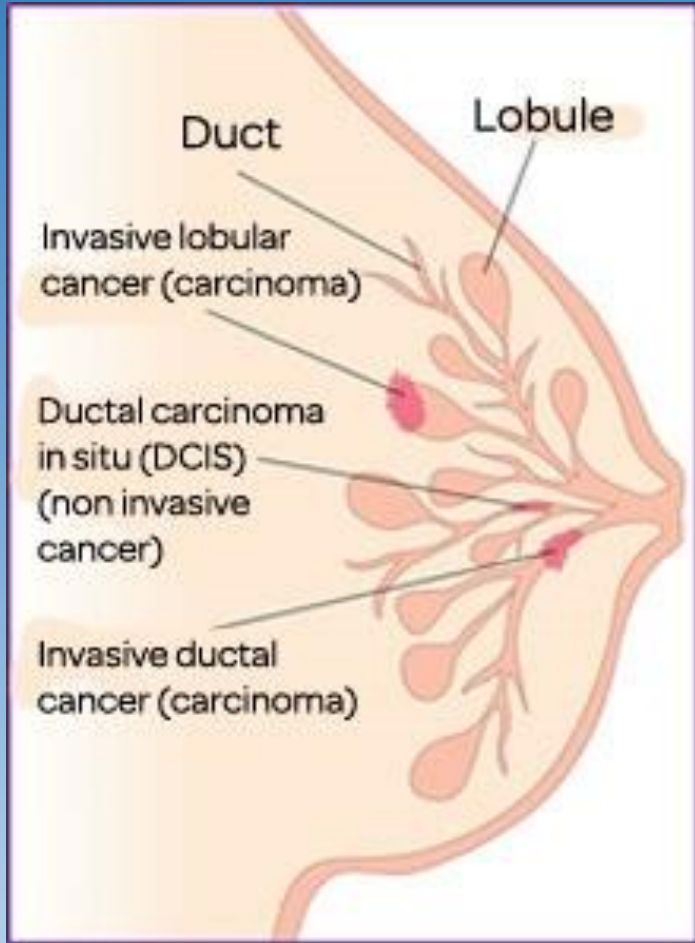


DCIS



Invasive Ductal

# Types of Breast Cancer





# Grading vs Staging

<b>Total Feature Score</b>	<b>Tumor Grade</b>	<b>Appearance of Cells</b>
3-5	Grade 1 Tumor	Well-differentiated (appear normal, growing slowly, not aggressive)
6-7	Grade 2 Tumor	Moderately-differentiated (semi-normal, growing moderately fast)
8-9	Grade 3 Tumor	Poorly-differentiated (abnormal, growing quickly, aggressive)

# Staging

<b>Stage</b>	<b>Tumor Size</b>	<b>Lymph Node Involvement</b>	<b>Metastasis (Spread)</b>
I	Less than 2 cm	No	No
II	Between 2-5 cm	No or in same side of breast	No
III	More than 5 cm	Yes, on same side of breast	No
IV	Not applicable	Not applicable	Yes

### **Stage 0**

- Carcinoma in situ – Early form

### **Stage I**

- Localized

### **Stage II**

- Early Locally advanced

### **Stage III**

- Late Locally Advanced

### **Stage IV**

- Metastasized

# Staging

## 5 year Overall Survival by Stage

Stage	5- year overall survival	Classification
0	100%	In situ
I	100%	Cancer formed
II	93%	Lymph nodes
III	72%	Locally advanced
IV	22%	Metastatic

<http://www.cancer.org/cancer/%20breastcancer/detailedguide/breast-cancer-survival-by-stage>

# Screening Recommendations

## New recommendations on breast cancer screening

The American Cancer Society has updated its guidelines for healthy women with an average risk of getting breast cancer.

Age range	Mammogram		Clinical breast exam	
	Old	New	Old	New
<b>20-39</b>	No	No	Every 3 years	No
<b>40-44</b>	Annual	Optional*	Annual	No
<b>45-54</b>	Annual	Annual	Annual	No
<b>55+</b>	Annual	Every one or two years*	Annual	No

\*Based on discussion with doctor about benefits and risks of mammography.

NOTE: Screenings should continue as long as a woman has a life expectancy of 10 years and is a good candidate for breast cancer treatment.

Source: American Cancer Society

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## Recommendations for Breast Cancer Screening for Average-Risk Women Differ Among Guidelines

ACS <sup>1</sup>	USPSTF (DRAFT) <sup>2</sup>	NCCN <sup>3</sup>	NICE <sup>4</sup>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Age 45-54y:</b> recommends <b>annual screening mammography</b></li> <li>• <b>Age ≥55y:</b> recommends <b>biennial screening mammography</b> as long as women's overall health is good with life expectancy &gt; 10y</li> <li>• Clinical breast examination is not recommended</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Age 40-49y: the decision to start screening mammography should be an individual one [Grade C]</li> <li>• <b>Age 50-74y:</b> recommends <b>biennial screening mammography</b> [Grade B]</li> <li>• Age ≥75y: concludes insufficient evidence to assess benefits and harms of screening [Grade I]</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Age 25-39y: recommends clinical breast examination every 1-3y</li> <li>• <b>Age ≥40y:</b> recommends annual clinical breast exam, <b>annual screening mammography</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Age 50-70y: invited for <b>screening mammography every 3 years</b></li> </ul>

ACS: American Cancer Society; NCCN: National Comprehensive Cancer Network; NICE: National Institute for Health and Care Excellence; USPSTF: US Preventive Services Task Force

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# Methods of Breast Imaging

- Mammography
- Ultrasound
- MRI – testing without contrast
- Tomosynthesis – Mammography
- 3-D Ultrasound
- Nuclear Medicine – BSGI (Setamibi) and PEM
- Elastography - Ultrasound
- Optico-acoustic – Ultrasound
- Electrical Impedance Imaging
- **Thermal Imaging** – Not effective 2012



# Breast Screening

- Mammography
  - 30-60% reduction of breast cancer mortality (50+)

## Angoff Consensus - Screening Mammography

Cancer Detection rate:	>2.5 per 1000
Recall Rate	5 – 12%
PPV1	3 – 8%
PPV2	20 – 40%
Sensitivity	>75%
Specificity	88 – 95%



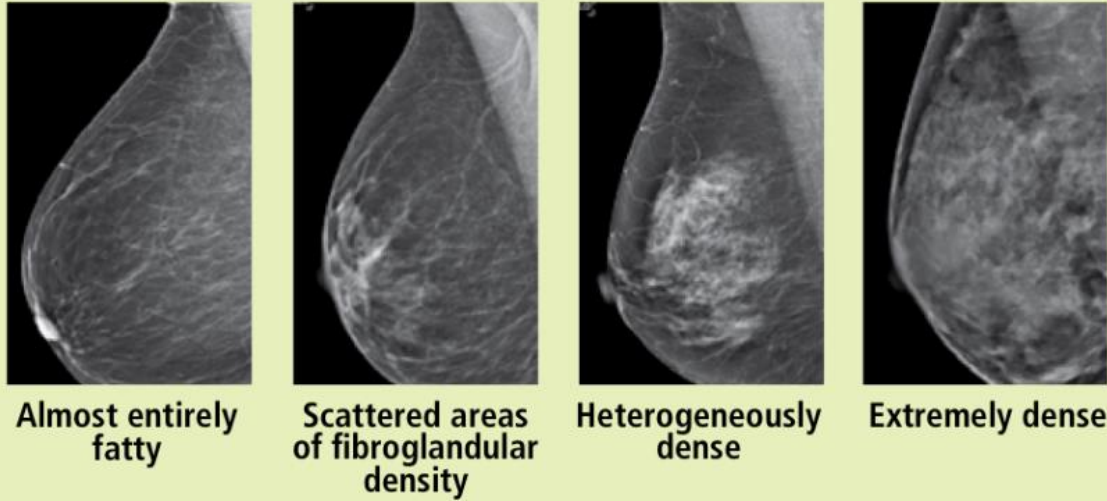
# Radiation Exposure from Mammography

- New equipment is low dose radiation
- 2 view mammogram = 0.4 mSv
- Radiation from natural surroundings is 3-5 mSv (> 12 x mammogram)
- Mammogram radiation dose = 7 weeks of background radiation (10 days in Denver)
- No significant increased risk of breast cancer due to screening mammograms.



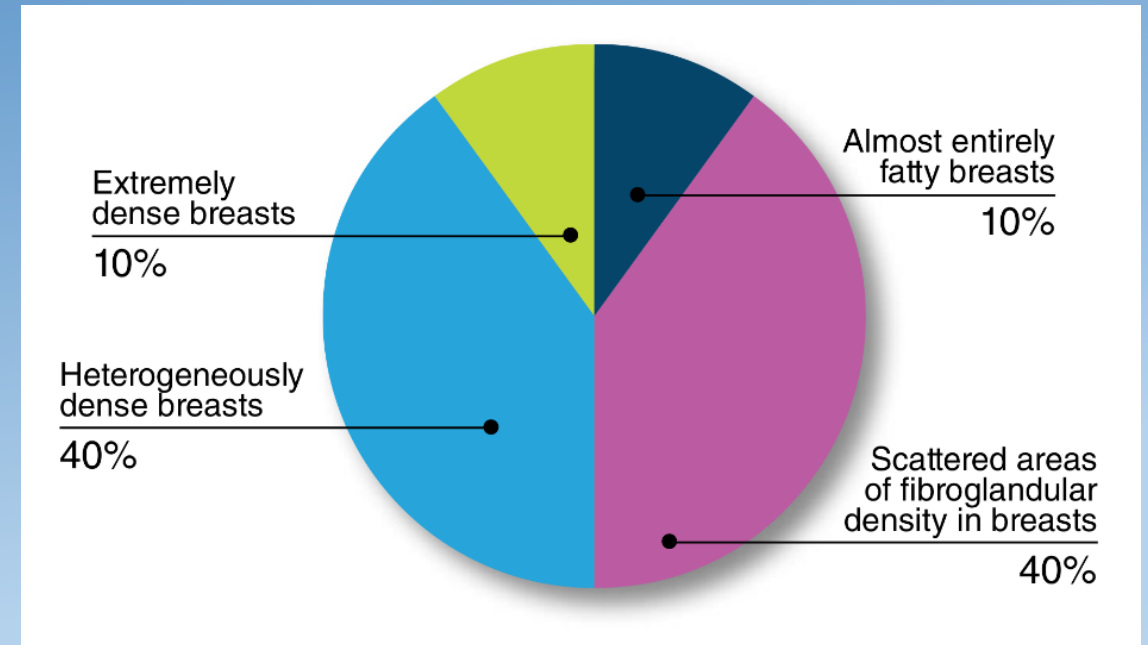
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Radiologists classify breast density using a 4-level density scale:



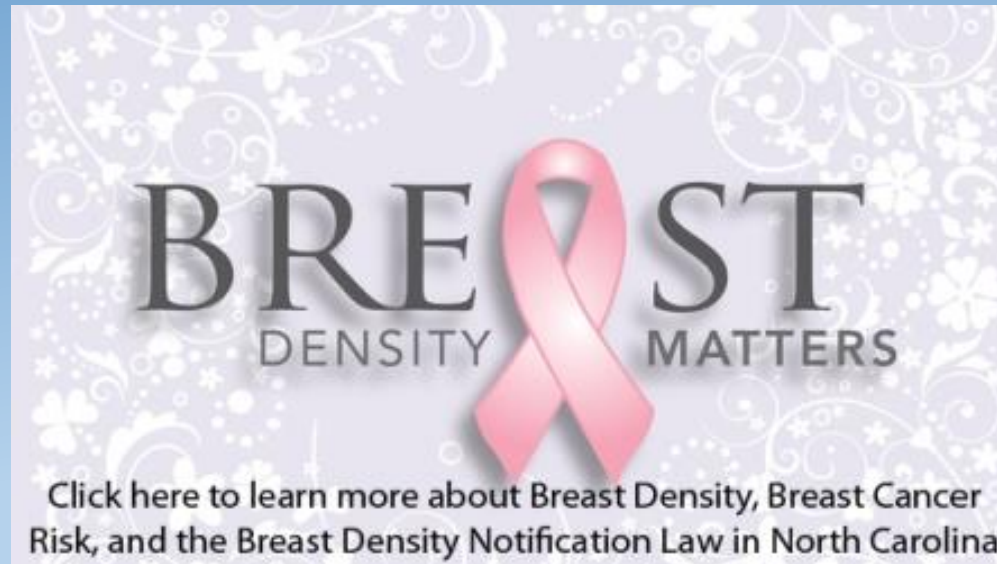
**Breast density in the U.S.** (See pie chart)

- 10% of women have almost entirely fatty breasts
- 10% have extremely dense breasts
- 80% are classified into one of two middle categories



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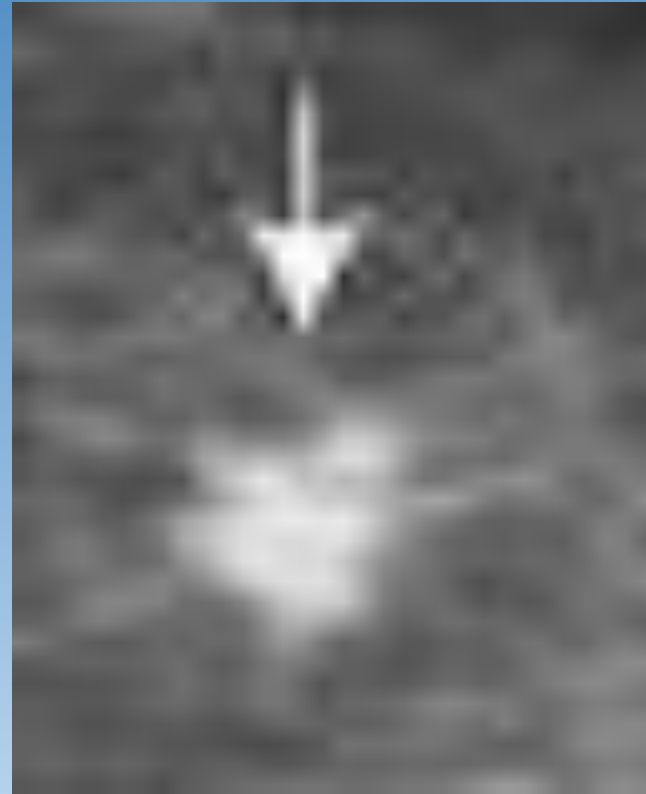
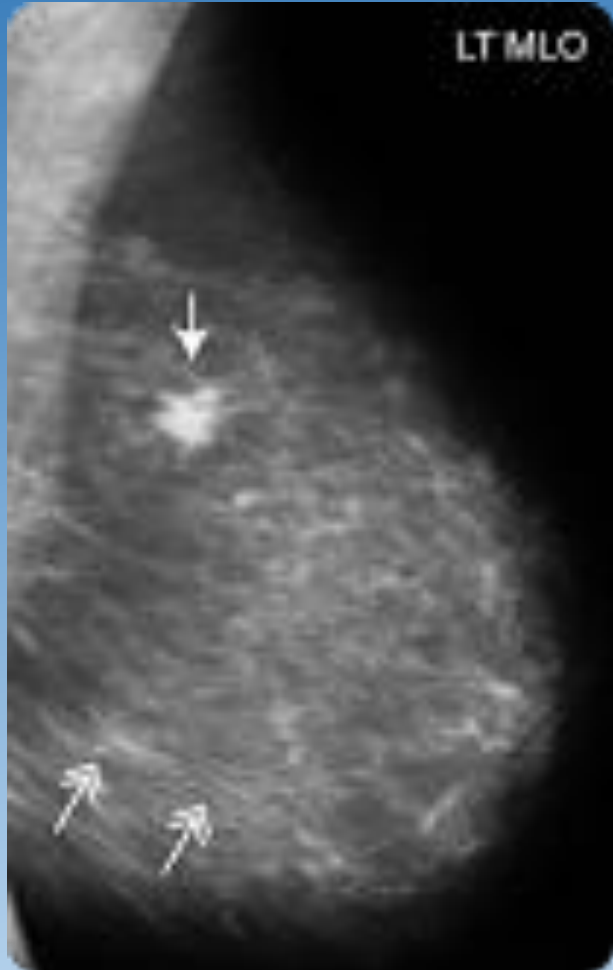
- Although the cause is uncertain, there is a higher risk of breast cancer in women with dense breasts (4 – 8 X increase from fatty to dense)
- The sensitivity and specificity of mammography decrease as breast density increases



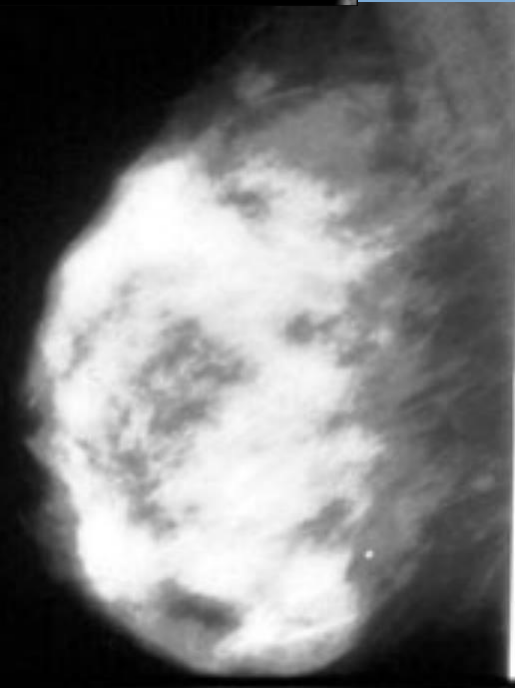
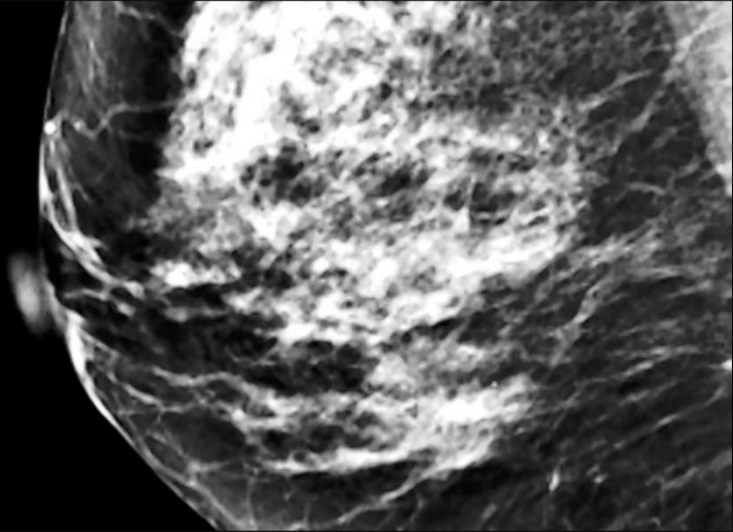
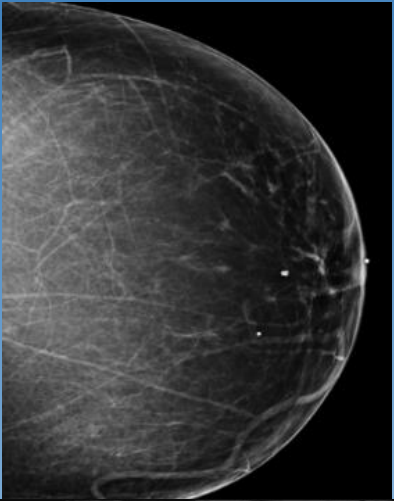
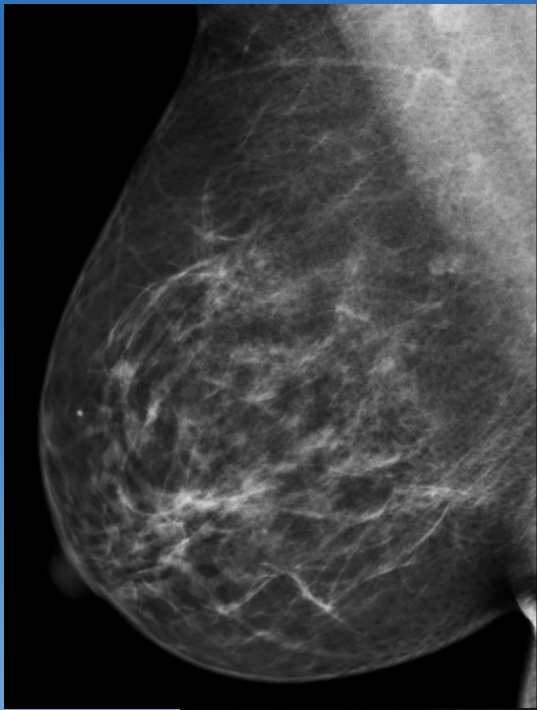
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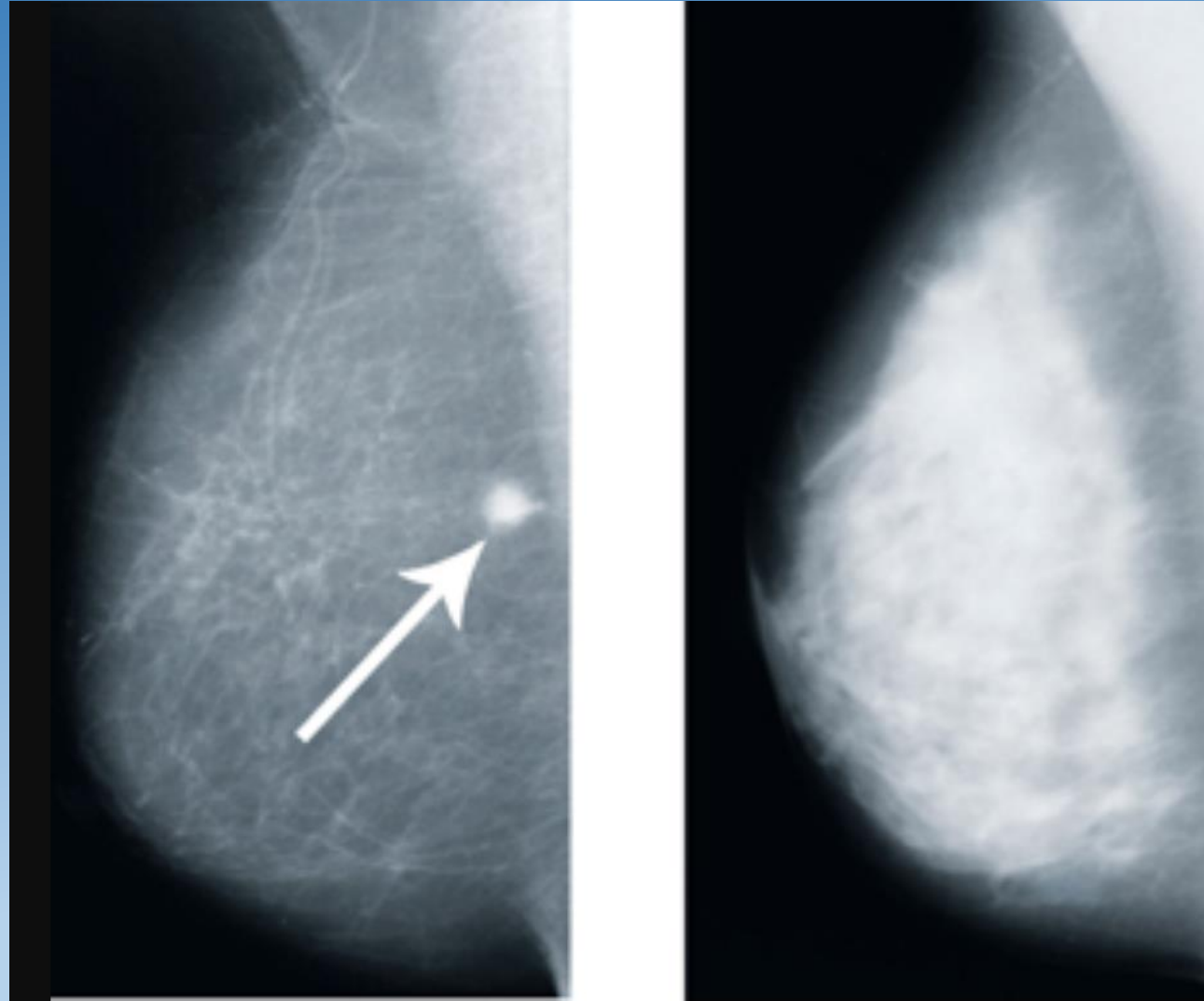
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# Breast Density Notification Act

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# Breast Density Notification Act

*“This notice contains the results of your recent mammogram, including information about breast density. If your mammogram shows that your breast tissue is dense, you should know that dense breast tissue is a common finding and is not abnormal. Statistics show many women could have dense or highly dense breasts. Dense breast tissue can make it harder to find cancer on a mammogram and may be associated with an increased risk of cancer. This information about the result of your mammogram is given to you to raise your awareness and to inform your conversations with your physician. Together, you can decide which screening options are right for you, based on your mammogram results, individual risk factors or physical examination. A report of your results was sent to your physician.”*

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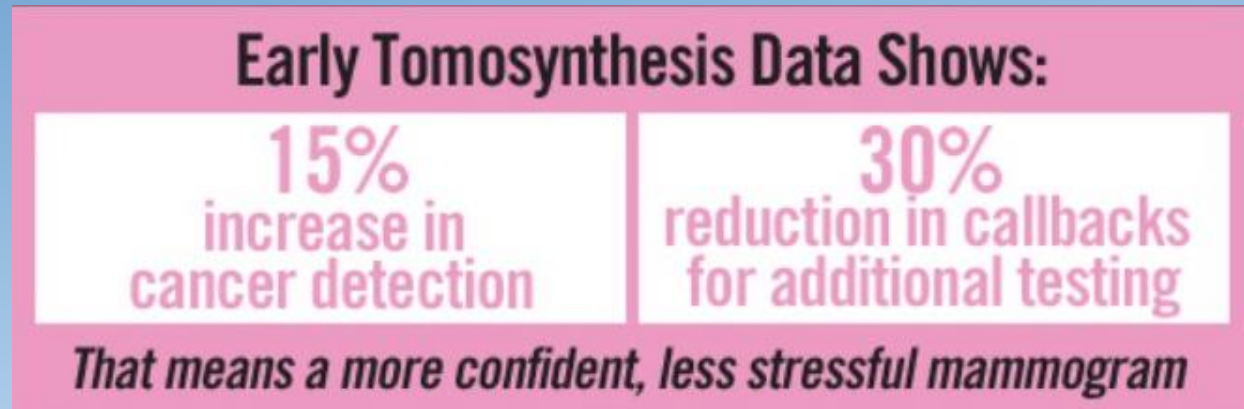
# Supplemental Imaging

- Tomosynthesis
- Ultrasound
- MRI

# Tomosynthesis

- “3D Mammography”
- Obtains slices through the breast to limit overlap of tissues
- Slight increased radiation dose (double but low)

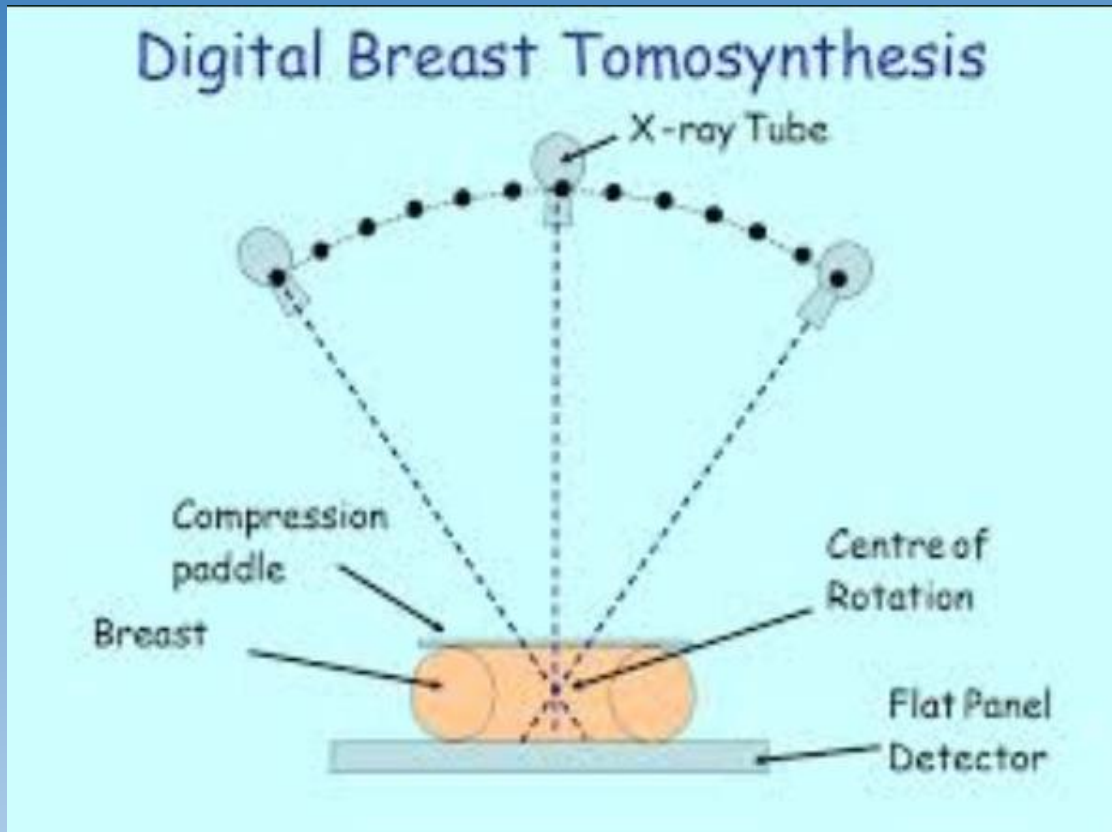
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50%

50% Positive bx rate

# Tomosynthesis



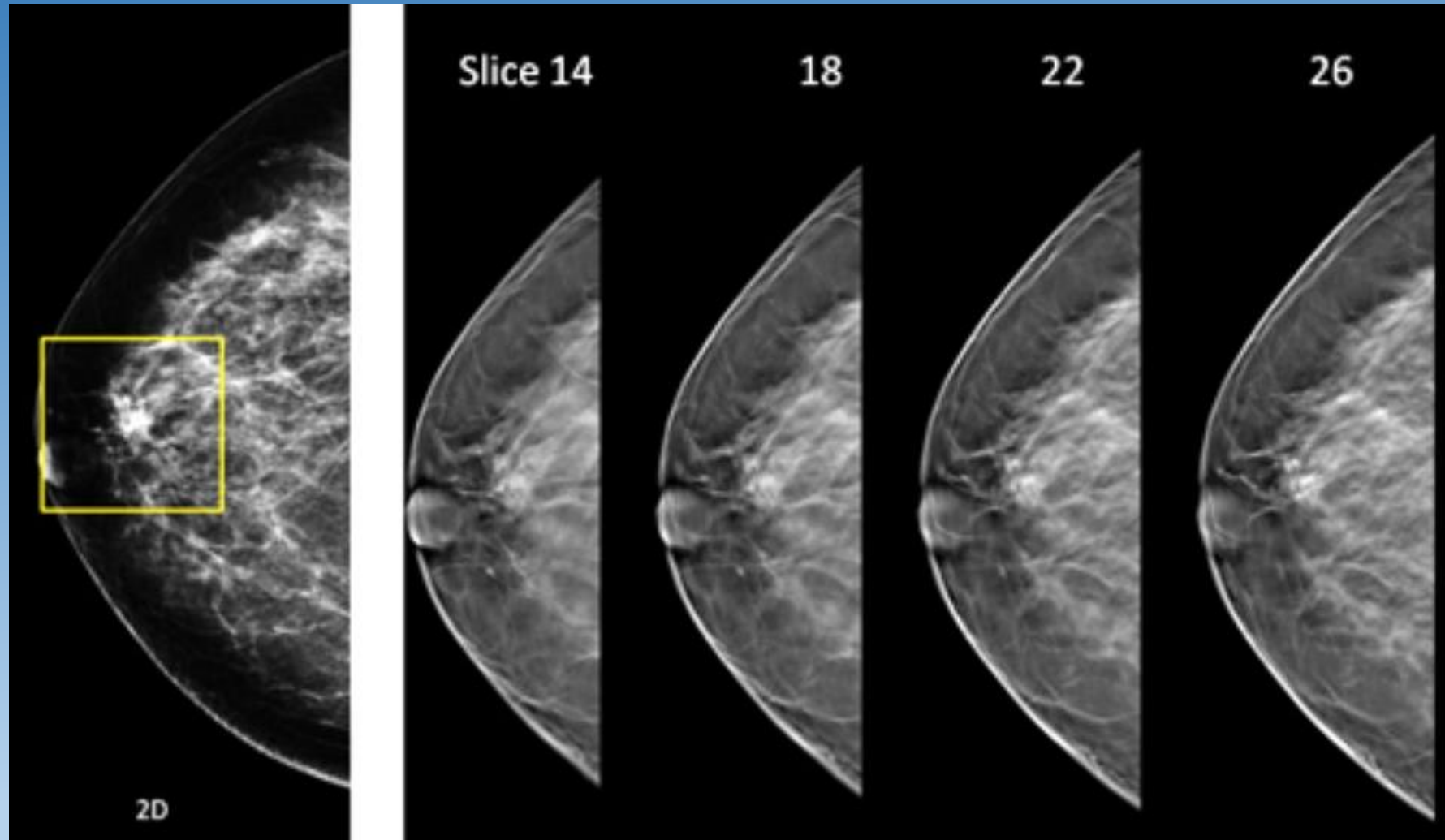
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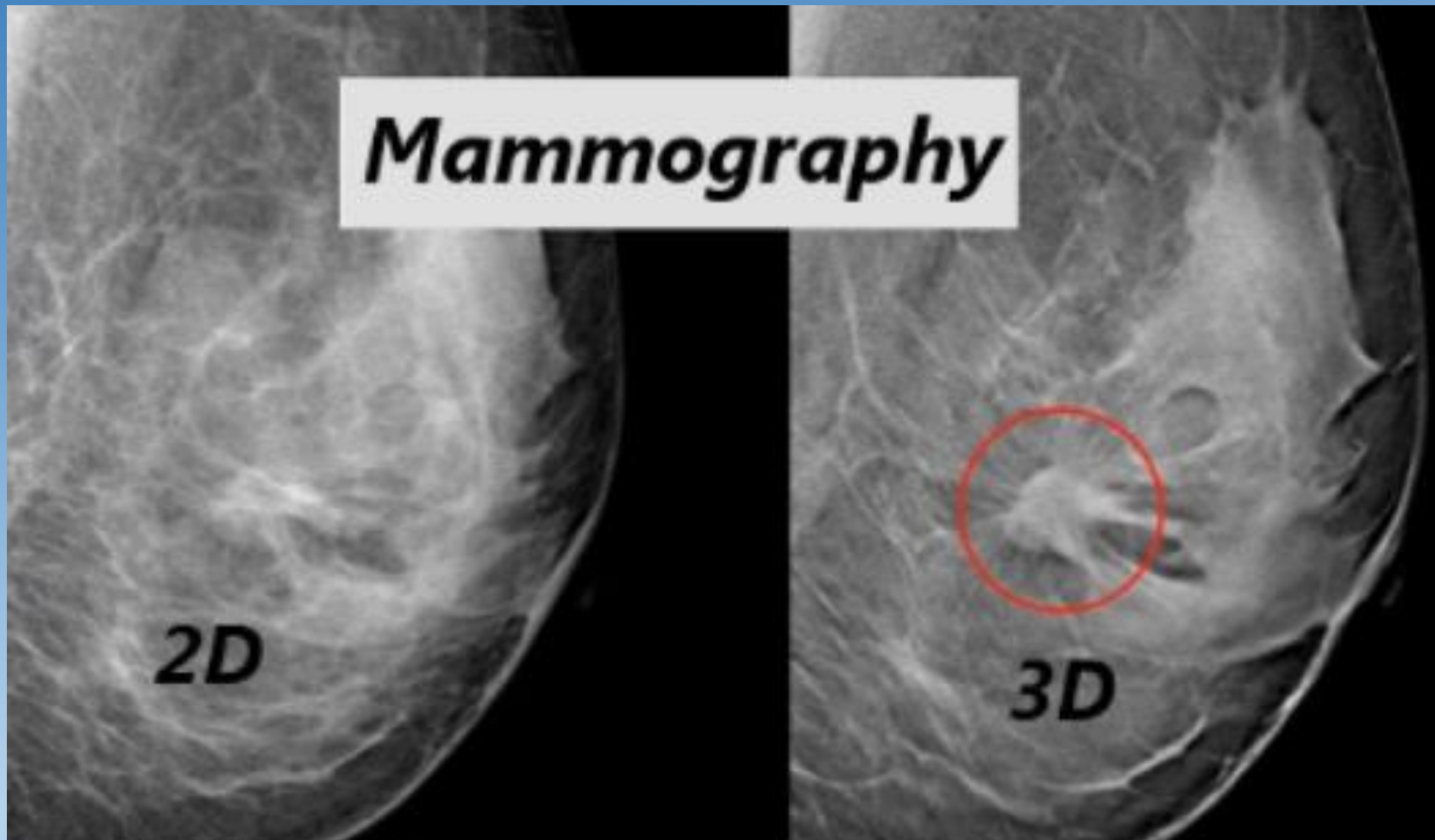
Everything is sharper and clearer in 3D.

The advertisement features a black and white photograph of two hands holding a bright pink, glittery heart. A pink decorative frame contains the text '3D MAMMOGRAPHY IS HERE.' The logo for '3D Breast Imaging facility' is in the bottom right corner. The bottom of the ad has a black background with the text 'Everything is sharper and clearer in 3D.' in white.

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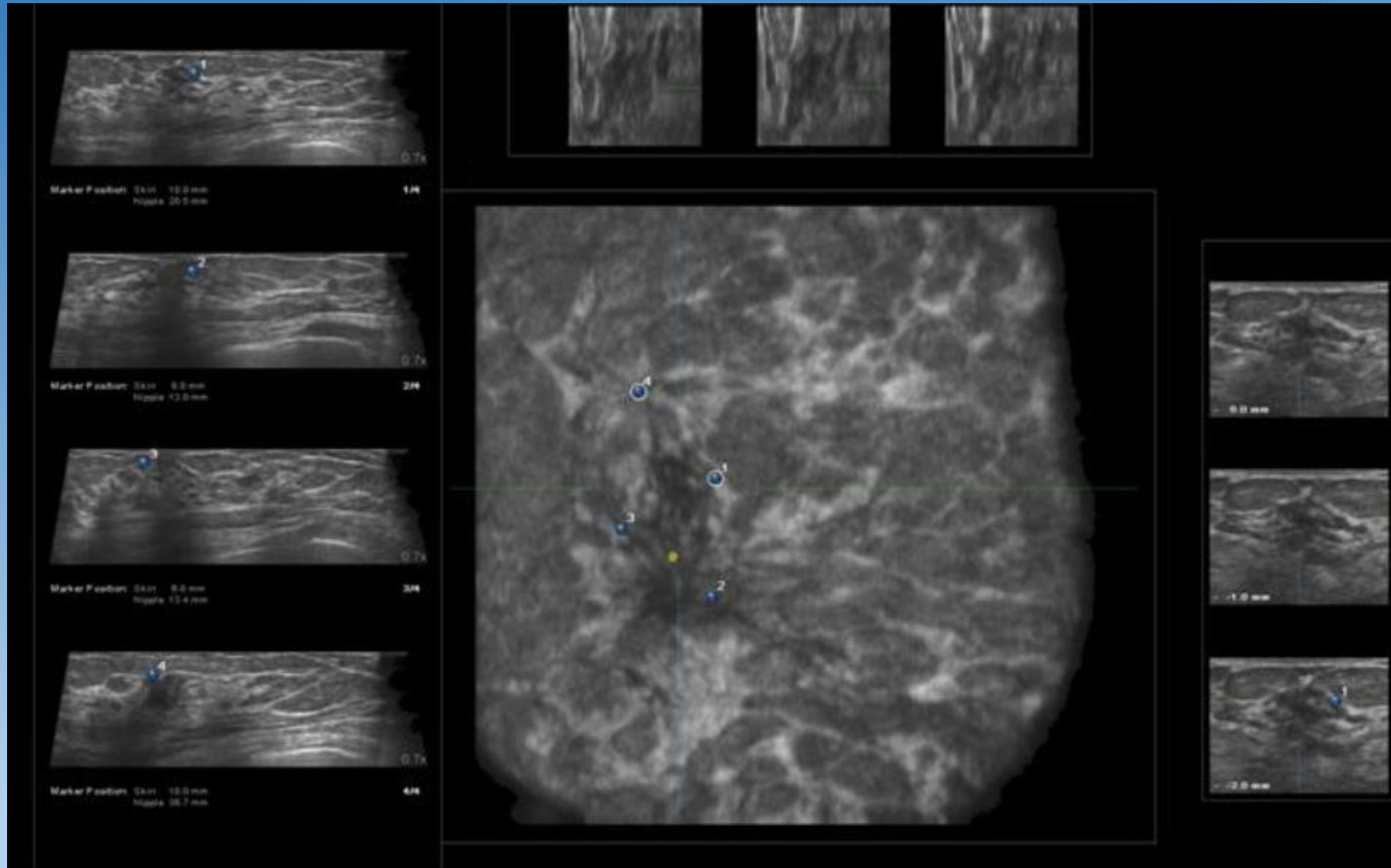


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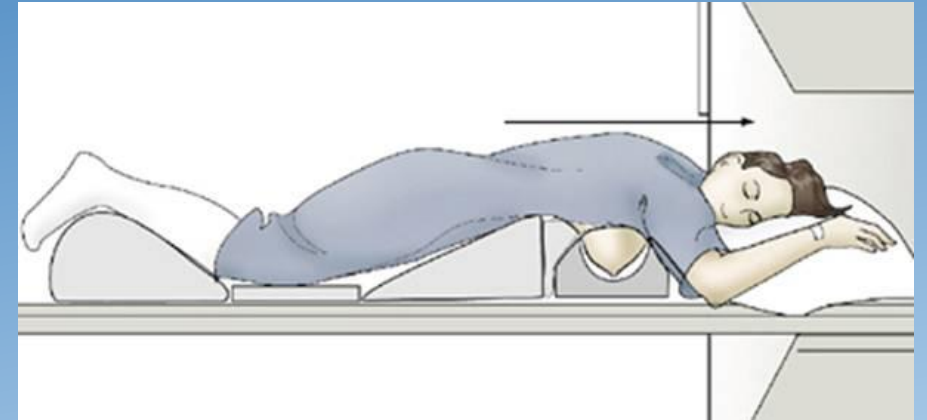
# “Screening” Breast Ultrasound

- The addition of ABUS to screening mammography increases the detection rate of invasive cancer by more than 35% (similar detection rate as mammography of 3.7/1000)
- False positive call back rate is increased by up to 50%. Likewise increases false positive biopsy rate.

# Breast MRI

## Current indications:

- Screening high risk patients
- Post lumpectomy with positive margins
- Neoadjuvant chemotherapy
- Evaluate recurrence if inconclusive
- Metastatic disease of unknown primary
- Lesion characterization
- MRI guided biopsy



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## Current indications:

- Screening high risk patients
  - Women with 20-25% or greater lifetime risk of breast cancer
  - BRCA mutation
  - Hodgkin's disease treatment
  - Strong FH of breast or ovarian cancer
  - Not enough evidence for dense breasts or pts with h/o br ca
- Adding MRI to screening mammography is better than adding US.



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  - Surgery
- CRMC/PSU Cancer Center
  - Dr. Irina Sachelarie
  - Dr. Julia Blum
- Tracie Osborn RN, BSN,
  - Breast Nurse Navigator (960-3254)

