

ONE IN EIGHT WOMEN WILL BE DIAGNOSED WITH BREAST CANCER IN THEIR LIFETIME.



Early detection will not prevent breast cancer, but it can help find it when the likelihood of successful treatment is greatest. The most important action a woman can take is to follow screening guidelines for early detection.



SCREENING GUIDELINES

The American Cancer Society and University Breast Health Center mammography screening guidelines are:

- Yearly mammogram for women 40 and older**
- Yearly breast examinations by your physician**
- Monthly self-breast examinations**

Women with a breast lump, nipple discharge or other breast problems can not receive a screening mammogram and should contact University's Breast Health Imaging at 706-722-3574 for a diagnostic mammogram.



BILLING INFORMATION

Patients are billed separately by **University's Mobile Mammography Unit** and by **Brown & Radiology Associates** where the images are interpreted by a board-certified radiologist.

University Health Care System Billing Office

For billing questions concerning a mobile mammogram
706-828-2333

Brown & Radiology Associates Billing Office

For billing questions concerning the interpretation of a mammogram
706-737-4275



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Fully accredited by the American College of Radiology and the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, University's Mobile Mammography Unit offers state-of-the-art digital mammograms with certified mammography technicians.

The Mobile travels to businesses and locations throughout the CRSA providing convenient access for patients to get a screening mammogram.



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BEFORE YOUR MAMMOGRAM

Appointments are required and are scheduled at 10-minute intervals.

If you have breast implants, please inform the scheduler as these appointments take longer.

It must be a year since your previous mammogram.

You must have a physician to receive your results.

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DAY OF YOUR MAMMOGRAM

No perfume, powder or deodorant under breast or arms (wipes and deodorant will be available for your use after your exam).

Bring your insurance card and your driver's license or government ID card.

Provide the date and location of your last mammogram.

You will receive education on breast self-examination at the time of the appointment.

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AFTER YOUR MAMMOGRAM

A radiologist will read the images within 2-4 days.

A report will be sent to your physician within 7-10 days. If you do not receive a letter within that time period, call 706-774-4149 or toll free at 866-774-4141.

10-15 percent of participants may be asked to return for additional views. This is not unusual, and the Breast Health Center staff will call to schedule a follow up appointment if needed.