



OCTOBER: BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH



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Did you know?

- Breast Cancer is the most common cancer among women in the U.S.
- Every year about 200,000 new cases of breast cancer are reported nationwide and more than 40,000 women die from the disease.
- More than 7 million women have not had a recent mammogram. Mammograms can find breast cancer early.
- All women aged 45-74 should have a mammogram **at least** every 2 years.

Early detection of Breast cancer may save your life, talk to your doctor about when to start screening for breast cancer.

As always, maintain regular visits with your primary care provider.

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