



Our breast imaging sees anything out of the ordinary with clarity that's extraordinary.

Whether you need a 3-D mammogram, breast ultrasound, breast MRI or something in between, let our experts and advanced technology give you the whole picture.

BREAST IMAGING THAT'S RIGHT FOR YOU

2-D & 3-D <small>MAMMOGRAPHY</small>		AUTOMATED BREAST ULTRASOUND	MRI <small>MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING</small>
Captures images from two angles	Captures multiple images from different angles	Creates an image of the inside of the breast	Creates images from a magnetic field, radio frequency and a computer
First-step screening for early detection	First-step screening for early detection or second-step diagnostic tool	Second-step screening tool that complements mammogram; used for dense breast tissue	Second-step diagnostic tool that can indicate need for biopsy
Patient can self-schedule		Available by physician referral only	Available by physician referral only

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WHY BREAST IMAGING?



- + Imaging improves a radiologist's ability to detect cancerous and pre-cancerous tumors.
- + Annual screening leads to early detection of breast cancer, when it is most treatable.

WHO NEEDS SCREENING?



- + All women beginning at age 40.*
- + Women with a family history of breast or ovarian cancer should ask their doctor about screening before age 40.

WHAT'S THE RISK?



- + False-positive results. Up to 15% of screenings require more testing. Most turn out to be normal.

How to PREPARE



Talk to your doctor before making your appointment.

- + Describe any changes in breast health.
- + Explain any prior surgeries, hormone use and breast cancer history.
- + Discuss optimal dates for your appointment.



Arrive ready for your appointment.

- + Do not wear deodorant, powder, perfume or lotion.
- + Describe any breast symptoms or problems prior to exam.

What to EXPECT

1

We will position your breast on a special platform.

2

A panel compresses your breast for maximum clarity and accuracy.

3

We'll ask you to hold very still while we activate the equipment.

4

A radiologist will analyze results and send them to your doctor.

SCHEDULE YOUR MAMMOGRAM

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* U.S. Department of Health and Human Services The American Medical Association