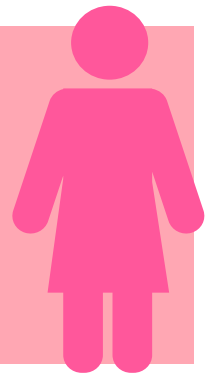


# BREAST CANCER SCREENING SAVES LIVES

About **43,700** women in the United States are expected to die from breast cancer in 2023.



**1 IN 8 WOMEN IN THE UNITED STATES WILL DEVELOP INVASIVE BREAST CANCER IN THEIR LIFETIME.**



**#1** Breast cancer ranked **#1** in new cases of cancer among women in Pennsylvania in 2019 with 11,314 women diagnosed.

**#2** Breast cancer was the **second leading cause of cancer death** in Pennsylvania in 2019 with 1,879 deaths.

## WHAT ARE THE SCREENING OPTIONS?

2016 Recommendations from the United States Preventive Services Task Force (USPSTF)

POPULATION	RECOMMENDATION	COST
Women 40 to 49 years	Individual decision  Women at a higher risk of breast cancer (women with a parent, sibling, or child with breast cancer) may benefit more than average-risk women from beginning screening in their 40s	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For health insurance plans that started on or after September 23, 2010, recommended screening tests are required to be covered under the Affordable Care Act.</li> <li>Medicare Part B covers one baseline mammogram for women aged 35 to 39, screening mammograms annually for women age 40 and over, diagnostic mammograms more than once per year if medically necessary.</li> <li>Medicare covers screening mammograms if the provider accepts the assignment. For a diagnostic mammogram, the cost is 20% of the Medicare-approved amount and the Part B deductible applies.</li> </ul>
Women 50 to 74 years	Biennial (every other year) screening mammography	

Results may require follow-up diagnostic testing that may incur additional costs.

**Don't be one of the over 300,590 American women diagnosed with breast cancer in 2023. GET SCREENED NOW.**