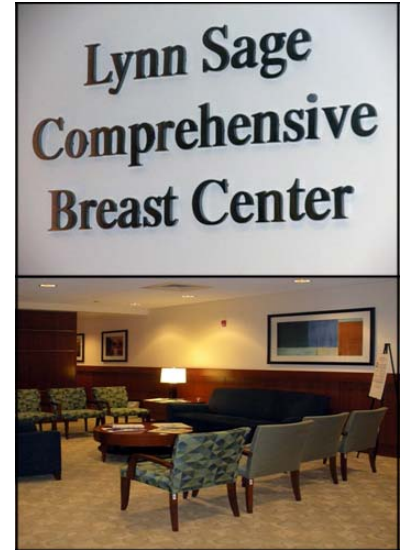


## NATIONAL ACCREDITATION PROGRAM FOR BREAST CENTERS

### Lynn Sage Comprehensive Breast Center Prentice Women's Hospital

The Lynn Sage Comprehensive Breast Center at Northwestern Memorial Hospital is located in the new Prentice Women's Hospital. Patients are referred by physicians in the greater metropolitan Chicagoland area, family practitioners, gynecologists, internists, plastic surgeons, medical oncologists, radiation oncologists, friends, as well as at times self-referred as well as referrals from physicians throughout the United States and occasionally foreign countries. Patients are referred for a variety of reasons including findings found on physical exam, radiographic abnormality, or the patient notes breast pain, nipple discharge, mastitis, or has some concern about her breast health. After the surgeon evaluates the patient, they are referred to both a medical oncologist, and radiation oncologist, and a plastic surgeon if necessary. Additionally, the Breast Center has a high risk breast clinic and patients with a family history of breast cancer are seen on a regular basis at the Breast Center. All patients undergo evaluation and Gail Index calculation review and discussion. Genetic counseling and testing are available to patients in the high risk clinic. High risk patients are followed every six months with clinical breast exam and yearly with a mammogram and/or MRI. Currently, the Lynn Sage surgical staff sees approximately 1000 new breast cancer patients per year. The surgical team primarily controls the management and follows the patient throughout his/her course of treatment as well as long term follow-up care.



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| <p><b>Diagnosis</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fine Needle Aspiration (FNA)</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stereotactic Core Needle Biopsy</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ultrasound-Guided Needle Biopsy</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MRI-Guided Needle Biopsy</li> </ul> <p><b>Interdisciplinary Breast Team</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Multidisciplinary Breast Conference</li> </ul> <p><b>Treatment</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Surgery</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sentinel Lymph Node Biopsy (SNB)</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reconstructive Surgery</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chemotherapy</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Radiation Therapy</li> </ul> | <p><b>Pathology</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Radiology/Pathology Correlation</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gene Studies (ER/PR, Her2)</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tissue Banking</li> </ul> <p><b>Education, Support, and Rehabilitation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Patient Education</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Physician Education</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Psychosocial Support</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Physical /Occupational Therapy</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Nutritional Counseling</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Survivorship Program</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____</li> </ul> <p><b>Data Management</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Data Collection Mechanism</li> </ul> | <p><b>Imaging</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Screening Mammography</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Diagnostic Mammography</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Breast Ultrasound</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Breast MRI</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____</li> </ul> <p><b>Patient Support</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Patient Navigator</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specialized Nursing</li> </ul> <p><b>Genetic Evaluation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Genetic Risk Assessment</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Genetic Counseling</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Genetic Testing</li> </ul> | <p><b>Rehabilitation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lymphedema Prevention &amp; Treatment</li> </ul> <p><b>Research</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cooperative Group Trials</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Institutional Original Research</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Industrial Sponsored Trials</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____</li> </ul> <p><b>Community Outreach</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community Education/Screening</li> </ul> <p><b>Quality Improvement</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Center Specific Quality Improvement Studies</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Quality Improvement Studies</li> </ul> |
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