

St. John Providence Health System Breast Care Program

The St. John Providence Health System Breast Care Program consists of four hospitals (i.e., St. John Hospital & Medical Center, Detroit, MI; St. John Macomb Oakland Hospital, Warren, MI; Providence Hospital & Medical Center, Southfield, MI; and Providence Park Hospital, Novi, MI) and four hospital-based cancer centers (i.e., Van Elslander Cancer Center, Webber Cancer Center, Providence Cancer Institute and the Assarian Cancer Center). In addition, there are eight breast/mammography centers located throughout Southeast Michigan. Yearly combined mammography numbers average 75,000. The Program is under the direction and guidance of a Breast Care Advisory Board comprised of 60+ individuals from each location and discipline. The overall goal is to provide for comprehensive, consistent, efficient, coordinated and passionate breast care services to all patients. At each of the locations, there are designated physician breast care specialists (i.e., surgeons, radiologists, medical oncologists and radiation oncologists) who are committed to quality breast care. In addition, breast care coordinators and nurse navigators facilitate patients from abnormal imaging through end of treatment and ongoing survivorship needs. Each of the centers indicated above offers comprehensive multi-disciplinary breast care services which include diagnostics, treatment, reconstruction (including the DIEP flap procedure), clinical trials, rehabilitation, high risk and genetics counseling. Multi-disciplinary conferences and clinic are available for all patients in this Program.

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AVAILABLE SERVICES: (X indicates available services)

Diagnosis

- Fine Needle Aspiration (FNA)
- Stereotactic Core Needle Biopsy
- Ultrasound-Guided Needle Biopsy
- MRI-Guided Needle Biopsy

Interdisciplinary Breast Team

- Multidisciplinary Breast Conference

Treatment

- Surgery
- Sentinel Lymph Node Biopsy (SNB)
- Reconstructive Surgery
- Chemotherapy
- Radiation Therapy

Pathology

- Radiology/Pathology Correlation
- Gene Studies (ER/PR, Her2)
- Tissue Banking

Education, Support, and Rehabilitation

- Patient Education
- Physician Education
- Psychosocial Support
- Physical /Occupational Therapy
- Nutritional Counseling
- Survivorship Program
- Other: _____

Data Management

- Data Collection Mechanism

Imaging

- Screening Mammography
- Diagnostic Mammography
- Breast Ultrasound
- Breast MRI
- Other: _____

Patient Support

- Patient Navigator
- Specialized Nursing

Genetic Evaluation

- Genetic Risk Assessment
- Genetic Counseling
- Genetic Testing

Rehabilitation

- Lymphedema Prevention & Treatment

Research

- Cooperative Group Trials
- Institutional Original Research
- Industrial Sponsored Trials
- Other: _____

Community Outreach

- Community Education/Screening

Quality Improvement

- Center Specific Quality Improvement Studies
- National Quality Improvement Studies