

NATIONAL ACCREDITATION PROGRAM FOR BREAST CENTERS

Presbyterian Breast Center Presbyterian Hospital

Presbyterian Breast Center provides patient-centric, comprehensive care through our integrated team of technologists, doctors, nurses, social workers and other healthcare professionals. Our technologists specialize in breast imaging and are certified by the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists in Mammography. Our facilities are accredited by the American College of Radiology. Our board certified radiologists are fellowship trained to interpret mammography and breast MRI.

We offer the most advanced imaging technologies and perform over 30,000 mammography exams each year. Presbyterian Breast Center was the first facility in Charlotte to implement an all-digital mammography solution, and also to perform MR-guided biopsy procedures and breast MRI.

Our Center provides the fastest patient assessment after abnormal screening exams; the average turn-around-time is five days or less. Every diagnostic mammography patient is seen by the radiologist the same day following the exam, where the results are in person. Our breast health navigator provides personal attention to each patient and provides support, education and coordination of appointments during this stressful time. The navigator follows the patient throughout treatment and the continuum of care. Through the Multidisciplinary Clinics and Conferences, a team of specialists provide a comprehensive "second" review of clinical data, and help determine the best course of action for the individual patient. In addition, all patients are reviewed for possible participation in a clinical trial, so the most advanced treatment options can be explored. Other support staff are also available, including a nutritionist, wellness specialist and a licensed social worker, who all help to guide women through recovery. Our resource library, open to the public, provides current literature and audio visual materials on a wide-variety of breast health issues.

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AVAILABLE SERVICES: (X indicates available services)

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