

Riverside Regional Medical Center

The Riverside Breast Cancer Program is a comprehensive program for the screening, diagnosis and treatment of breast cancer and benign breast disorders. Our goal is simple - to provide the region with evidence based breast cancer management and education with interdisciplinary input from a multispecialty team. This team includes radiologists, pathologists, general and oncologic surgeons, medical oncologists, radiation oncologists, oncology nurses, plastic surgeons, a community outreach educator and a breast cancer specific patient navigator. Input from other specialties is also available through regional consultations. A weekly breast cancer conference serves as the focal point of our program and provides an opportunity for prospective review of cases with interdisciplinary input for patient care management. In addition to referencing NCCN and other subspecialty guidelines, both cooperative group and industry sponsored clinical trials are available for appropriate and interested patients. The health system's network includes the Riverside Diagnostic Centers, all of which are ACR accredited. Services include digital mammography, ultrasound, breast MRI, stereotactic biopsies and breast specific gamma imaging in addition to standard plain film imaging, CT, MRI, nuclear medicine and PET/CT. The Riverside Pathology Department is CAP accredited and housed within our flagship facility, Riverside Regional Medical Center (RRMC.) RRMC is a 440-bed hospital and provides level II acute inpatient care with an active inpatient care management team coordinating care and discharge planning. An active integrative medicine team provides outpatient services of nutrition counseling, massage therapy, treatment education, and family services and counseling, pet therapy, art therapy, and music therapy through Peninsula Cancer Institute, the medical oncology arm of the program. Home health and hospice services are readily available and coordinated both in- and outpatient. Our commitment is patient centered care and our interdisciplinary approach supports evidence based management through all aspects of care.

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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: Breast Support Groups

Data Management

- Data Collection Mechanism

Imaging

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

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