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Facts about Breast Cancer

Information provided by the American Cancer Society

Breast cancer death rates are declining at an increasing pace. This is probably due to heightened awareness, better screening methods and improved treatment options. The overall incidence of breast cancer, however, is increasing.
No one knows why.

This year more than 192,000 women will be diagnosed with invasive breast cancer.

Excluding skin cancer, breast cancer is the most common cancer in women.

Most women (about 70 percent) who get breast cancer do not have a sister or mother with the disease.

All women are at risk of breast cancer – the biggest risk factors are being a woman and being over the age of 40.

Early diagnosis is the key to surviving breast cancer.

Mammography can detect cancers several years before a woman or her doctor can feel a lump.

Most breast lumps are not cancerous.

There is currently no known way to prevent breast cancer.

We believe that a cure can and will be found. By supporting "Wings of Hope", you have joined the fight against breast cancer. In addition to financially supporting the Susan Henke Miller Breast Cancer Research Fund with your purchase today, you are expanding the fight to find a cure by participating in the worldwide breast cancer awareness campaign.

Thank you!

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