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Breast Cancer Awareness Community Impact Day

EARLY DETECTION SAVES LIVES

Breast Cancer is the second leading cause of cancer death in women. In the African-American community, the death rate from breast cancer is 42% higher than it is for white women. Studies show that early access to mammograms is essential to increasing the survival chances for African-American women. There are several organizations in the District of Columbia listed below that provide FREE MAMMOGRAMS to women who are uninsured or underinsured. Take steps today to get your annual mammogram. It could save your life.

Breast Care for Washington
4 Atlantic Street, S.W.
(202) 465-7164

Howard University Hospital Cancer Center
2041 Georgia Avenue, N.W.
(202) 806-7697

MedStar Georgetown University
Hospital Cancer Screening
(202) 784-2700

Project WISH (Women Into Staying Healthy)
825 North Capital Street, N.E.
(202) 442-5900

For more information on early detection of breast cancer and the risk factors that contribute to breast cancer see the American Cancer Society Guidelines at www.cancer.org/cancer/breast-cancer.html or call 800-227-2345.

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