

EARLY DETECTION SAVES LIVES: A GUIDE TO BREAST CANCER SCREENING IN NEW JERSEY COUNTY & LOCAL SERVICES

BERGEN COUNTY

CANCER EDUCATION AND EARLY DETECTION PROGRAM (NJCEED)

BERGEN CO. DEPT. OF HEALTH SERVICES
327 Ridgewood Avenue
Paramus, NJ 07652
201-634-2660
Statewide tollfree number: 800-238-3838
NJCEED office at Dept. of Health & Senior
Services: 609-292-8540

*Provides grants to each county for free mammo-
grams, clinical breast examinations, Pap tests, edu-
cation and information for eligible, uninsured
women between the ages of 40 and 65.*

AREA AGENCY ON AGING

BERGEN COUNTY DIVISION OF SENIOR SERVICES
One Bergen Plaza, 2nd Floor
Hackensack, NJ 07601
201-336-7418
Statewide tollfree number: 877-222-3737

*Develops comprehensive, coordinated systems of
community-based services for older adults, includ-
ing information and assistance, outreach, educa-
tion, referral for services and programs, trans-
portation and case management.*

LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENTS

BERGEN CO. DEPT. OF HEALTH SERVICES
327 E. Ridgewood Avenue
Paramus, NJ 07652-4895
201-634-2600
www.bergenhealth.org

BERGENFIELD HEALTH DEPARTMENT
Borough Hall
198 North Washington Avenue
Bergenfield, NJ 07621-1395
201-387-4055

CLOSTER HEALTH DEPARTMENT
Municipal Building
295 Closter Dock Road
Closter, NJ 07624-2697
201-784-0752

ELMWOOD PARK DEPT. OF HEALTH
Municipal Building
182 Market Street
Elmwood Park, NJ 07407-1497
201-796-1072

ENGLEWOOD HEALTH DEPARTMENT
73 South Van Brunt Street
Englewood, NJ 07631-3485
201-568-3450

FAIR LAWN HEALTH DEPARTMENT
Borough of Fair Lawn
8-01 Fair Lawn Avenue
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410
201-794-5330

FORT LEE HEALTH DEPARTMENT
Memorial Health Building
309 Main Street
Fort Lee, NJ 07024-4799
201-592-3590

HACKENSACK HEALTH DEPARTMENT
215 State Street
Hackensack, NJ 07601-5582
201-646-3965

MID-BERGEN REGIONAL HEALTH COMMISSION
705 Kinderkamack Road
River Edge, NJ 07661-2499
201-599-6290

NW BERGEN REGIONAL HEALTH COMMISSION
22 West Prospect Street
Waldwick, NJ 07463-1739
201-445-7217

PALISADES PARK HEALTH DEPARTMENT.
Municipal Building
275 Broad Avenue
Palisades Park, NJ 07650-1578
201-585-4106

PARAMUS BOARD OF HEALTH
Borough Hall
Jockish Square
Paramus, NJ 07652-2771
201-265-2100

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TEANECK DEPT. OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES
Municipal Building
818 Teaneck Road
Teaneck, NJ 07666-9998
201-837-4824

TOWNSHIP OF WASHINGTON LOCAL HEALTH AGENCY
350 Hudson Avenue
Twp. of Washington, NJ 07675-4798
201-666-8512

Provide public health services, promote the health of community residents and link those in need to personal health and healthcare services when not otherwise available.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

METRO N.J. REGION
507 Westminster Avenue
Elizabeth, NJ 07208
908-354-7373

150 Meadowlands Parkway
Secaucus, NJ 07094
201-866-1020

767 Northfield Avenue
West Orange, NJ 07052
973-736-7770

NORTHERN N.J. REGION
20 MERCER STREET
HACKENSACK, NJ 07601
201-343-2222

468 Parish Drive #6
Wayne, NJ 07470
973-696-1885
National toll-free number: 800-ACS-2345 (227-2345)

Host events and fund raisers and offer information, resources and support for cancer patients, survivors and families.

COUNTY SUPPORT SERVICES FOR COPING

AFTER BREAST CANCER SURGERY
201-666-6610, x.300
www.afterbcsurgery.org

BEYOND BREAST CANCER
YWCA of Bergen County Encore Plus Program
201-487-4903

CANCER CARE, INC.
201-444-6630

GILDA'S CLUB NORTHERN NEW JERSEY
201-457-1670

HACKENSACK MEDICAL CENTER BREAST CANCER SUPPORT GROUPS
201-996-5861

TALKING IT OVER
The Valley Hospital
201-447-8557

NATIONAL SUPPORT GROUP HOTLINES

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY
800-ACS-2345 (227-2345)
www.cancer.org

Provides cancer information and counseling, equipment and supplies, transportation assistance, financial aid for medications and links to other support groups in a geographical area. Reach to Recovery program provides support through specially trained breast cancer survivor volunteers.

CAPITAL REGION ACTION AGAINST BREAST CANCER (CRAAB!)
518-462-4472

Provides a comprehensive support and education services to those affected by breast cancer.

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CANCER CARE, INC..
800-813-HOPE (4673)
www.cancercare.org

Provides free individual, family and group counseling to persons with a history of cancer. Financial assistance for those who qualify is available for home care, childcare, transportation to treatment, and pain medication. There are several meeting locations in the state.

CANCER HOPE NETWORK SUPPORT GROUP
877-HOPE-NET (467-3638)
www.cancerhopenetwork.org

Provides individuals undergoing cancer treatment and their families a visit with trained and certified volunteers who have survived similar treatment.

CANCER INDEX
www.cancerindex.org/clinks4u.htm

Online links to information on cancer pain and palliative care.

LOOK GOOD...FEEL BETTER
800-395-LOOK (5665)
www.lookgoodfeelbetter.org

Free, non-medical, brand-neutral, national public service program supported by corporate donors to help women offset appearance-related changes from cancer treatment. Also, Luzca Bien...Siéntase Mejor and Look Good...Feel Better for Teens.

NATIONAL ALLIANCE OF BREAST CANCER ORGANIZATIONS
888-80-NABCO (806-2226)
www.nabco.org

Provides a listing of the support groups in New Jersey.

NATIONAL COALITION OF CANCER SURVIVORS
301-650-9127
www.cansearch.org

Offers information on employment and insurance issues, provides referrals to sources of support and information, produces publications on survivorship issues and advocates on behalf of cancer survivors before Congress and federal agencies.

PHARMACEUTICAL MANUFACTURERS PATIENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
800-762-4636

Links to "pharmaceutical hotlines" that have been set up by major pharmaceutical companies to help provide information about medications, assistance with insurance claim questions/appeals and financial help for indigent patients.

SISTERS NETWORK, INC..
www.sistersnetworkinc.org

National organization of African American breast cancer survivors.

W.I.S.E. WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL SUPPORT ENVIRONMENT SUPPORT GROUP
800-870-6616

WOMEN AT RISK: BREAST CANCER PROGRAM AT COLUMBIA PRESBYTERIAN
Consumer Referrals: 800-227-CPMC (2762)
Physicians: 800-543-2782 or 212-305-4993
www.breastmd.org/war/html

Provides support, information and weekly outreach to residents in the greater New York area.

Y-ME BREAST SUPPORT
800-221-2141
Spanish: 800-986-8228
www.y-me.org

Provides information, 24-hour hotline counseling, and educational programs for breast cancer patients, their families and friends.