

## The Gift of Early Diagnosis

The statistics are hard to ignore. One in eight women will get breast cancer in her lifetime. In our region, breast cancer is the most frequently diagnosed cancer. Finding this cancer early can make a lifesaving difference.

A mammogram is one of the first lines of defense in identifying breast cancer, and HCMH offers state-of-the-art 3D mammography. Yet, nearly one in four women ages 50-74 say they are missing recommended mammograms. In addition, uninsured women are 17 times more likely to not get this important screening than insured women.

The HCMH Foundation has worked through the years to help the uninsured and underserved women in our county by providing financial assistance for mammograms.

Women (or men) without insurance or who are not able to afford a mammogram may qualify for the HCMH Foundation Mammogram Assistance Program. Find out if you qualify when scheduling your appointment at the HCMH Radiology Department.

## Schedule Your Mammogram

Schedule your mammogram at Humboldt County Memorial Hospital where one of three board-certified technologists will do their best to accommodate your schedule and ensure your comfort.

## Mammogram Assistance

The HCMH Foundation provides financial assistance to uninsured women and men for breast cancer testing. Contact us today for more information about this program.



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## Mammogram Assistance Program



Providing financial assistance to uninsured women and men for breast cancer testing.

## About the Program.

If you do not have health insurance, or if you have a high-deductible plan, you may qualify for financial assistance to help cover recommended breast screenings and services.

### You may qualify for a free mammogram if you:

- Are between the ages of 40–64
- Do not have health insurance (including Medicaid or Medicare)
- Reside in Humboldt County

### Please Note:

- An application must be completed and approved before scheduling your appointment
- A new application is required for each screening
- Assistance covers the initial screening mammogram and radiologist reading only
- Any additional imaging or follow-up testing will not be covered by this program

Funding is limited and applications are reviewed on a first-come, first-served basis. Approval is not guaranteed, as availability depends on current funding.

**For information about other financial assistance options, please contact our Business Office at 515-332-4200.**

### How is the Program Funded?

the HCMH Foundation Mammogram Assistance Program is made possible through generous community donations through the HCMH Foundation (restricted to the HCMH Radiology Department).

Our biggest fundraising events to help support this program take place in the month of October during Breast Cancer Awareness month.

### Don't let the cost of a mammogram stand in the way of early detection.

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Thank you to the HCMH Foundation for investing in the 3D mammography machine and continuing to support our patients of Humboldt County. These are very generous gifts and the Foundation's thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated.

**Learn more about the HCMH Foundation online at:  
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