

Park Nicollet Foundation Impact of Giving Focus

Jane Brattain Breast Center

Park Nicollet Jane Brattain Breast Center is designed by women, for women, with the latest technologies and experienced professionals dedicated to breast imaging and breast health. We provide same-day screening mammograms and personal phone calls for all followup diagnostic care.

Jane Brattain Breast Center provides services at seven locations throughout the western metro area, including Bloomington, Burnsville, Chanhassen, Maple Grove, St. Louis Park, Wayzata and our two Mammo a-go-go mobile mammography trucks.

Donor and volunteer generosity sustain a variety of program enhancements and services to provide patients with education, comfort and dignity. And to provide women in our local community, who don't qualify for other programs or support programs, with access to life saving screening and diagnostic services.



85,112
Women screened at Jane Brattain breast center locations



646
Women diagnosed with breast cancer



1,825
Women screened through the Mammo a-go-go Community Outreach Program



108
Mammo a-go-go Community Outreach screening events held in partnership with local community organizations and nonprofits.

Two community partners share the impact of the Mammo a-go-go Community Outreach Program

"The Mammo a-go-go Community Outreach Program has been a steadfast partner in Open Cities Health Center's mission to provide cancer screening services to underserved women in St. Paul and surrounding areas for years. Every year we partner with Mammo a-go-go to bring the truck onsite to screen women we serve. With these mobile services, we can provide a full menu of breast cancer screening services all in one location and all on the same day! The value of this "one stop shop" for cancer screening services cannot be understated; many women would find mammography inaccessible or difficult to navigate outside of our doors and might simply avoid or neglect to get screened; knowing they can come here, their medical home, and receive this service can be lifesaving."



Becky Howard
Director of Operations, Open Cities Health Center

"Breast cancer is a very sensitive topic for our Southeast Asian communities. The Mammo a-go-go program allows us to meet women where they are most comfortable, and get their mammograms with their friends, family, and educational outreach partners there to support them. Having a safe, trusted screening environment creates the foundation for building good screening habits. The truck comes to us, providing translators and a welcoming and dignified experience."

Emmaline Voss
Program Manager, Asian Pacific Islander Women's Health Coalition



Thanks to our generous donors and volunteers, in 2021 Park Nicollet Jane Brattain Breast Center was able to provide breast health care to women throughout our community. Donations help support enhancements to our patient care at our clinic sites and allow us to provide 3D screening mammograms, diagnostic services and education to underserved women across our community through the Mammo a-go-go Community Outreach Program.

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Mammo a-go-go Community Outreach Program

The Mammo a-go-go Community Outreach Program partners with community groups and nonprofits to provide no-fee mobile 3-D screening mammograms, diagnostic services, breast health education and interpreter services to women in need across our community.



- 108 community partner screening events were held.
- 1,825 women received 3D screening mammograms.
- 137 women received follow-up diagnostic services and seven women were diagnosed with breast cancer.
- 50 interpreters helped patients to translate Spanish, Hmong, Laotian, Somali, Cambodian, Oromo, and Korean
- 27 screening events were held in tribal communities and at Native American clinics.

Be Pink

Be Pink activities throughout the month of October provided critical support for our Mammo a-go-go Community Outreach Program.



- In 2021, October was filled with Be Pink fundraising events hosted by local Pink Partners and sponsors with a portion of the proceeds going towards the campaign. Peer-to-peer fundraising efforts also contributed to the campaign's success.
- 32 local business Pink Partners held pink specials to raise awareness and support for our Mammo a-go-go Community Outreach Program.
- Thanks to our generous sponsors, Pink Partners, and fundraiser teams, the month-long Be Pink campaign raised \$162,300 in support.

Patient & Family Experience

- Supplied extra special comfort and care items in our breast center locations for our patients, including information and resources to ease stress and promote dignity.
- Provided additional support for the Nurse Navigator program to help meet the growing volume of breast cancer patients. This compassionate nursing team provides personalized one-to-one care coordination, appointment scheduling, support and information to patients, allowing them to make the best decisions about their medical options.



Research & Innovation

- Participating in a multi-year research trial with the National Cancer Institute using randomized breast screenings that will help researchers determine the best way to find breast cancer in women who have no symptoms.
- In 2021, two 2D mammo machines were replaced with 3D making the entire JBBC mammo fleet 3D capable.
- JBBC and Park Nicollet General Surgery conducted a trial of the Envisio Navigation/SmartClip as an alternative to the current radioactive seed or wire localization options. This technology allows surgeons to focus even more or be even more precise

Volunteer Services

- Onsite volunteers in the breast center provided hope and compassion to welcome and help patients find their way.
- Be Pink volunteers shared their expertise, passion, creativity and support for the Be Pink campaign and Pink Partner program.



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