

# BREAST CANCER AND PROSTATE CANCER: MORE IN COMMON THAN MEETS THE EYE



**1 IN 8**

women will be diagnosed with breast cancer

**313,510** DIAGNOSES  
INCLUDING 2,700+ MEN

**42,780** DEATHS  
INCLUDING 500+ MEN



**1 IN 8**

men will be diagnosed with prostate cancer

**299,010**  
DIAGNOSES

**35,250**  
DEATHS

Based on reported 2006-2020 incidence data and 2007-2021 U.S. mortality data.

**BREAST AND PROSTATE CANCER:**

- Most commonly diagnosed non-skin cancer in women and men.
- Second leading cause of cancer death in women and men.

## FIVE-YEAR BREAST & PROSTATE CANCER SURVIVAL RATES BY STAGE OF DIAGNOSIS

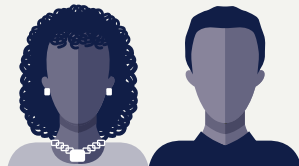
Cancer Type	All Stages	Local	Regional	Distant
BREAST	91%	99%	86%	31%
PROSTATE	97%	>99%	>99%	34%

Data is from 2013-2019

## EARLY DETECTION

Detecting breast and prostate cancer early may save lives.

## HEALTH EQUITY



**Black women and men are more likely to be diagnosed with breast and prostate cancer at a younger age and at more advanced stages than their white counterparts.**

Breast cancer deaths in Black women are **41% higher** than in white women, despite similar incidence; prostate cancer deaths in Black men are more than **twice as high** as in white men.



## FAMILY HISTORY

Family history and genetic mutations like BRCA1 and 2 and others increase the risk of breast and prostate cancer.

**5% to 10%** of breast and prostate cancers are hereditary, resulting from gene mutations passed from a parent.



## WHAT CAN I DO?

- ✓ Talk to your doctor about risk factors
- ✓ Talk to family members, regardless of gender, about their health history
- ✓ Commit to #GetScreenedTogether

## GET MORE INFO:

