



NEBRASKA BREAST CANCER CONTROL PLAN

**Goals & Objectives
2017–2022**



Our mission is to promote breast cancer education, screening, follow-up, treatment, support services and research, and to increase the number of Nebraskans who access those services.



Goal One

Increase statewide breast cancer screening rate to 81.1% while decreasing disparities in breast cancer screening rates among target populations as shown by positive trending.

1.a Identify specific populations with lowest screening rates and train partners on program eligibility and use to increase the enrollment of target populations in the Every Woman Matters Program.



1.b By 2018, assist partners to access two new funding sources to provide screening payment assistance for women in target populations ineligible for the Every Woman Matters Program.

1.c Each year, recruit, train and equip at least 50 volunteer screening advocates to provide preventive breast cancer education and navigate at least 500 women to screening services in their communities. At least one-half of these advocates must represent target groups.

1.d Each year, enlist the support of at least 15 breast health centers, radiology offices, breast surgeons, oncology offices and survivor programs to assist with advocate recruitment. At least one-quarter of these facilities must serve African American women and another quarter must serve Hispanic/Latino women.

1.e By 2018, develop e-learning tools for community health workers and screening advocates to enhance their navigation skills.

1.f By 2019, engage staff in at least 10 primary care clinics in online professional education opportunities to facilitate risk assessment, appropriate screening recommendations, and evidence-based interventions for systems change.





Goal Two

Decrease the statewide breast cancer mortality rate to 18 per 100,000 women while demonstrating progress in reducing mortality disparities among target populations.

2.a Beginning in 2017, capture additional data (i.e. date of diagnosis, date of death, age, race, zip or county, treatment completion rates, etc.) for target populations to inform the implementation of evidence-based interventions that increase patient follow-through.



2.b Beginning in 2017, promote navigation programs that increase access to diagnostic, treatment, and survivorship programs among target populations.

2.c Increase the reach and use of evidence-based or promising cancer survivorship programs by 10% each year while expanding the participation of target populations as shown by positive trending.

2.d By 2018, establish relationships with at least four Native American, Asian, or Refugee organizations to develop and implement targeted education and navigation plans.

2.e By 2019, engage cancer treatment staff in online professional education to improve patient-provider partnerships and facilitate patient follow-through

with diagnostic and treatment recommendations.

2.f Each year, work with key partners to support a large community event attracting at least 100 participants that promotes advocate recruitment, risk assessment, and navigation to screening, diagnostic, treatment, and evidence-based survivorship services.



Achievement of goals will be measured by data supplied by the Behavioral Risk Factor Survey and the Cancer Registry

PLAN LEADERSHIP

Every Woman Matters



The Nebraska Breast Cancer Control Plan Leadership Team provides a forum for major stockholders to work in partnership to create a process and a plan that will:

- Identify gaps and needs
- Improve the quality of services
- Utilize and build on strengths
- Decrease duplication of efforts
- Streamline processes and increase efficiencies
- Lead to pooled resources

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

We are a partnership of Nebraska healthcare providers, funding sources, service organizations, survivors and consumers who are collaborative, respectful, inventive, and patient-centered. We share resources, a deep sense of commitment, and responsibility for taking action.

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Join us to help implement the plan!

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