

Breast Cancer Questions

1. What are the most common types of breast cancer?
2. What is the most deadly type of breast cancer?
3. What are common symptoms associated with breast cancer?
4. Can a healthy diet decrease the risk of breast cancer?
5. Where are the first sites of metastasis?
6. Staging
7. What are common therapies and their risks
8. Radiation vs Excision vs Chemo
9. Chemo Regimens
10. Lumpectomy vs Mastectomy
11. Post Mastectomy Reconstructive Surgery
12. What is the recommended preventative care and appropriate therapy.
13. Risk Factors
14. What are associated cancer risks? (BRCA1/2)
15. How does stress impact the risk of cancer?
16. Should patients with family history get preventative mastectomies?
17. What is the preferred screening method for breast cancer? CT vs MRI vs
18. What is the most specific diagnostic test?
19. When are SERMs appropriate vs aromatase inhibitors?
20. What are signs and symptoms of a malignant vs benign mass?
21. How long is a typical chemo treatment?
22. How long is a typical radiation treatment?
23. How much does this increase the chance of lymphoma?
24. What can be done by the patient to prevent or lower recurrence of breast cancer post treatment/therapy?
25. In general what are some powerful cancer fighting food recommendations?
26. What populations or races are at higher risk of cancer?
27. What blood tests are useful with detection and monitoring breast cancer?
28. What risks do males have associated with breast cancer?
29. What circumstances should males undergo screening for breast cancer?
30. How does the process of sentinel node biopsy work?
31. How is lymph edema decreased and can the mastectomy sites still be used for IV access?
32. Can women with a breast cancer diagnoses in the past received HRT later in life?
33. What are new protocols for breast cancer treatment with moderate risk?