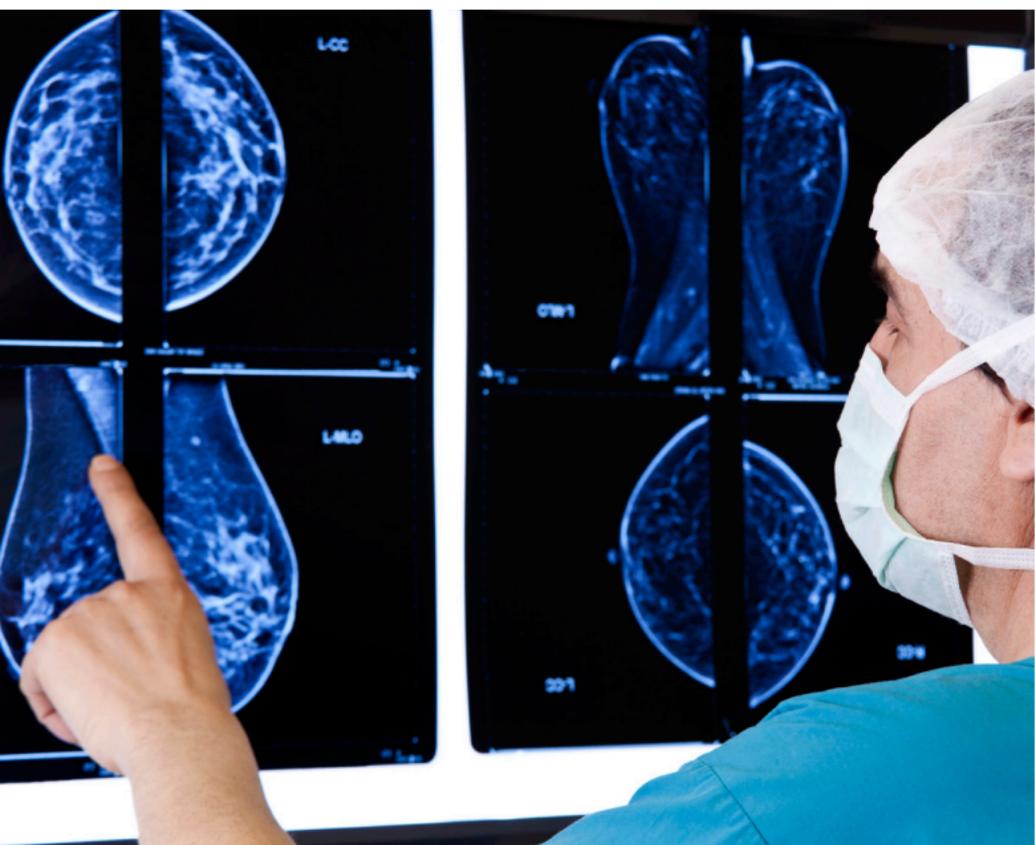




## Breast Cancer Care

Expert Screening,  
Diagnostic, Treatment, and  
Survivorship Services





## Exceptional Breast Care, from Screening to Survivorship

If you've been diagnosed with breast cancer, have a family history of the disease, or need screening, we know you have many choices for your care. When you come to NewYork-Presbyterian, you'll receive care from a team of experts who are leaders in the diagnosis and treatment of all stages of breast cancer — from noninvasive and early-stage cancers to metastatic disease.

We offer every type of breast cancer treatment — from surgery to chemotherapy, hormonal therapy, targeted therapy, and radiation therapy, including clinical trials of innovative investigational treatments — plus robust support teams to help you navigate your journey. We also have several locations that enable you to receive care close to home or work.

**Comprehensive, compassionate breast cancer care with guidance and support every step of the way.**



*U.S. News & World Report* has named NewYork-Presbyterian a top-ranked hospital in the country for cancer treatment.

## **Why Choose Us?**

### **National Accreditation**

NewYork-Presbyterian is accredited by the National Accreditation Program for Breast Centers (NAPBC) of the American College of Surgeons, given to centers that voluntarily commit to provide the highest level of multidisciplinary, quality breast care and completed a rigorous evaluation and ongoing review of their performance. Our Breast Imaging Centers earned the Breast Imaging Center of Excellence Award by The American College of Radiology.

### **Detection, Diagnosis, and Risk Reduction**

We perform digital and 3D mammography and breast ultrasound to screen women for breast cancer; breast MRI for those at high risk for the disease; and stereotactic, ultrasound-guided, and MRI-guided biopsies. Our centers have genetic counselors who can meet with you if you have an increased risk of breast cancer due to a personal or family medical history to provide guidance about genetic testing and ways to reduce risk.

### **Clinical Trials of Promising New Treatments**

Weill Cornell Medicine and Columbia University researchers lead clinical trials for all stages of breast cancer, offering access to investigational therapies that show promise for fighting your cancer. Our physician-scientists are scrutinizing the intricacies of breast cancer development and applying their findings to create better therapies for our patients.



## **Personalized Breast Cancer Treatment**

### **Cosmetically Sensitive Surgery**

We offer lumpectomy, sentinel node biopsy, and mastectomy (including skin-sparing and innovative endoscopic nipple-sparing procedures). Our oncoplastic surgical approach aims for excellent cosmetic results while effectively removing the cancer — to help you feel like you while we treat your cancer. Targeted ablation therapies (the use of extreme temperatures to kill cancer cells) and laser therapy enable some patients to avoid lumpectomy. We offer breast reconstruction to women who are having mastectomy, performed during cancer surgery or at another time.

### **State-of-the-Art Radiation Therapy**

Our team pioneered and discovered the leading technique, prone breast irradiation, to radiate breast cancer cells while sparing nearby healthy tissues (including the heart and lungs) and reducing your risk of side effects. Intensity-modulated radiation therapy aims radiation from several angles to precisely treat your tumor. Many women are also candidates for hypofractionated radiation therapy — higher doses of radiation given over a shorter total period than conventional treatment. Every case is scrutinized and reviewed by a multidisciplinary team at NewYork-Presbyterian to ensure that we are providing the highest quality and safest radiation possible while maximizing tumor-killing impact and minimizing unnecessary exposure.

### **Customized Medical Treatments**

Personalized medicine enables us to use targeted treatments based on your tumor's specific molecular features. Our medical oncologists have decades of experience and access not only to conventional chemotherapy, but also cutting-edge treatments that target the molecular drivers of your cancer's growth. NewYork-Presbyterian was an early participant in clinical trials assessing "cold caps" to decrease hair loss during chemotherapy, and now offers FDA-cleared cold cap therapy in our comfortable, modern infusion centers.

## Comprehensive and Coordinated Care

### A Team of Experts

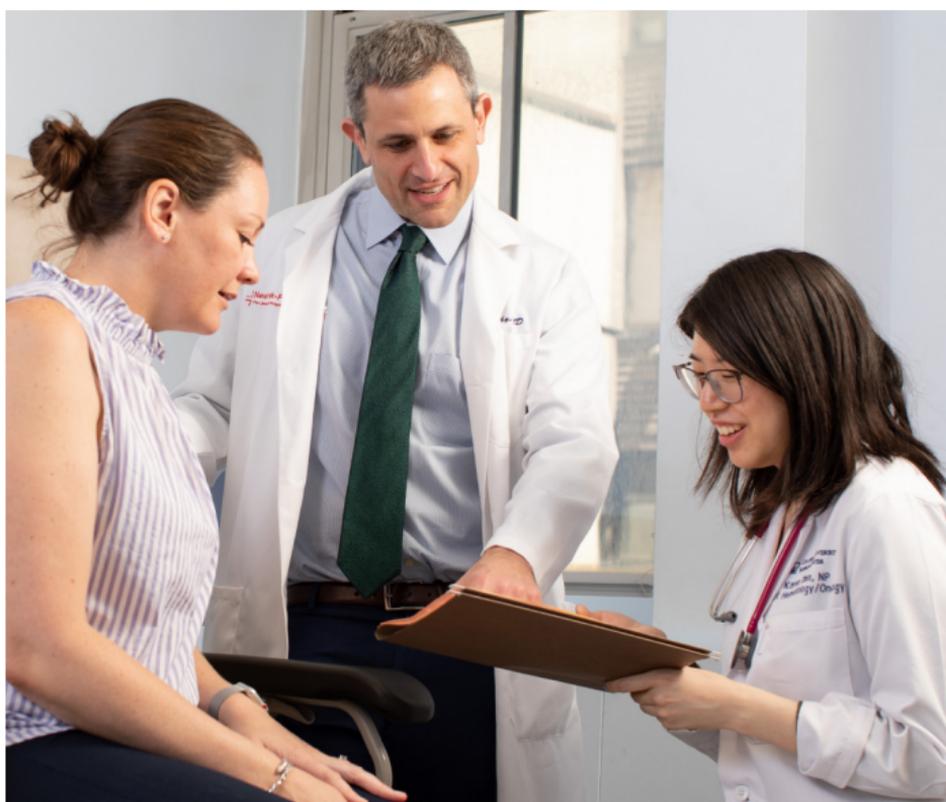
Our breast cancer teams include physicians such as cancer surgeons, medical oncologists, radiation oncologists, breast imaging radiologists, pathologists, and reconstructive surgeons, as well as genetic counselors, nurses and nurse practitioners, mental health and supportive care experts, and many other professionals who collaborate to customize a plan of care for you.

### Specialists and Subspecialists in Every Area

At NewYork-Presbyterian, we treat the whole person. You'll have access to the full resources of our top-ranked academic medical centers, including specialists from all areas who collaborate with our cancer experts to provide comprehensive care. Even doctors from other cancer hospitals send their patients to us when they need additional care.

### Treating All of You

We understand how a diagnosis of breast cancer can affect your life and the lives of your loved ones. Our nutritionists, social workers, rehabilitation therapists, palliative care experts, and others will help you address the effects of breast cancer and its treatment — physical, emotional, and spiritual. Our team coordinates the various components of your care, answers your questions, and provides guidance.



## A Top Five Hospital in the Nation

NewYork-Presbyterian is one of the nation's most comprehensive, integrated academic healthcare delivery systems, dedicated to providing the highest quality, most compassionate care and service to patients from the New York metropolitan area, across the country, and around the globe. In collaboration with two renowned Ivy League medical schools — Weill Cornell Medicine and Columbia University Vagelos College of Physicians and Surgeons — NewYork-Presbyterian is consistently recognized as a leader in medical education, groundbreaking research, and innovative patient care. *U.S. News & World Report* ranks NewYork-Presbyterian as the #1 hospital in New York and a top five hospital in the country.

NewYork-Presbyterian is home to leading national cancer centers: the National Cancer Institute-designated Herbert Irving Comprehensive Cancer Center at New York-Presbyterian/Columbia University Irving Medical Center, and Weill Cornell Medicine Sandra and Edward Meyer Cancer Center.

### **NewYork-Presbyterian/Weill Cornell Medical Center**

**Breast Surgery:** 646-962-4240, 646-962-5213

**Breast Oncology:** 646-962-9888

### **NewYork-Presbyterian/Columbia University**

#### **Irving Medical Center**

**New Patient Access:** 212-305-5098

### **ADDITIONAL LOCATIONS**

#### **NewYork-Presbyterian Brooklyn Methodist Hospital:**

**Breast Surgery:** 718-780-3022

**Breast Oncology:** 347-694-5035

**NewYork-Presbyterian Queens:** 718-670-1185

**NewYork-Presbyterian Lawrence Hospital:** 914-787-2192

**NewYork-Presbyterian Hudson Valley Hospital:**

914-293-8474

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