

Cancer Prevention & Control



The Best Chance Network (BCN) provides women with free breast and cervical cancer screenings if you:

- Lack insurance or have insurance that only covers hospital care
- Are between the ages of 47 and 64
- Meet certain [income guidelines](#)

It's our goal to reduce deaths from breast and cervical cancer by catching these cancers early. According to [national and state statistics](#):

- Breast cancer is the leading cancer diagnosed among women in the U.S. It's second only to lung cancer as a cause of cancer death.
- Breast and cervical cancers are often detected too late. If found early, the five year survival rates are 98 percent for breast cancer and 92 percent for cervical cancer.
- South Carolina has one of the highest rates of uninsured women in the nation.

Services

BCN services include:

- Mammograms
- Clinical breast exams
- Pap tests
- Pelvic exams
- Diagnostic procedures
- Case management
- Community education on breast/cervical cancer and early detection

If you qualify for BCN services, you may also qualify for the [WiseWoman Program](#).

Income Guidelines

Best Chance Network Income Eligibility Guidelines For The Period of 06/30/12 –06/29/13	
Family Size	SCALE \leq 200% PATIENT PAYS 0% Annual Income
1	\$22,340 or less
2	\$30,260 or less
3	\$38,180 or less
4	\$46,100 or less
5	\$54,020 or less
6	\$61,940 or less
7	\$69,860 or less
8	\$77,780 or less
Note: Add \$7,920 for each additional family member.	

Enrolling in the BCN

If you or someone you know may qualify for breast and cervical cancer screening through this program, please call the American Cancer Society at 1-800-227-2345 and ask about the Best Chance Network.