

BREAST CANCER in IDAHO

2022

Incidence 2015-2019

6,435 malignant breast cancers diagnosed among female Idahoans, and **51** malignant breast cancers diagnosed among male Idahoans. Approximately **1 in 3** cancers diagnosed at an advanced stage.

- For every **1 woman** who lives in an affluent Idaho community and dies of breast cancer, there are **2 women** who live in communities with higher poverty and die of breast cancer.
- Idaho ranks **49th** of 53 U.S. states and territories and the District of Columbia for breast cancer screening (2020 BRFSS).
- **~72 in 100** female Idahoans women aged 50-74 have had a screening mammogram in the past 2 years.

Mortality 2015-2019

1,099 female and **11** male Idahoans died of breast cancer.

Prevalence on July 1, 2019

Over **9,300** Idahoans are living with a breast cancer diagnosis received in the prior 10 years.

What you can do:

- Women aged 50 to 74 years and at average risk for breast cancer should get a screening mammogram every other year.
- You may be eligible for **FREE** breast cancer screening. Idaho Women's Health Check provides free breast (and cervical) cancer screenings and diagnostic testing to low-income, uninsured women.
- Know your family history of cancer and tell your provider if it changes.

5-Year Survival

