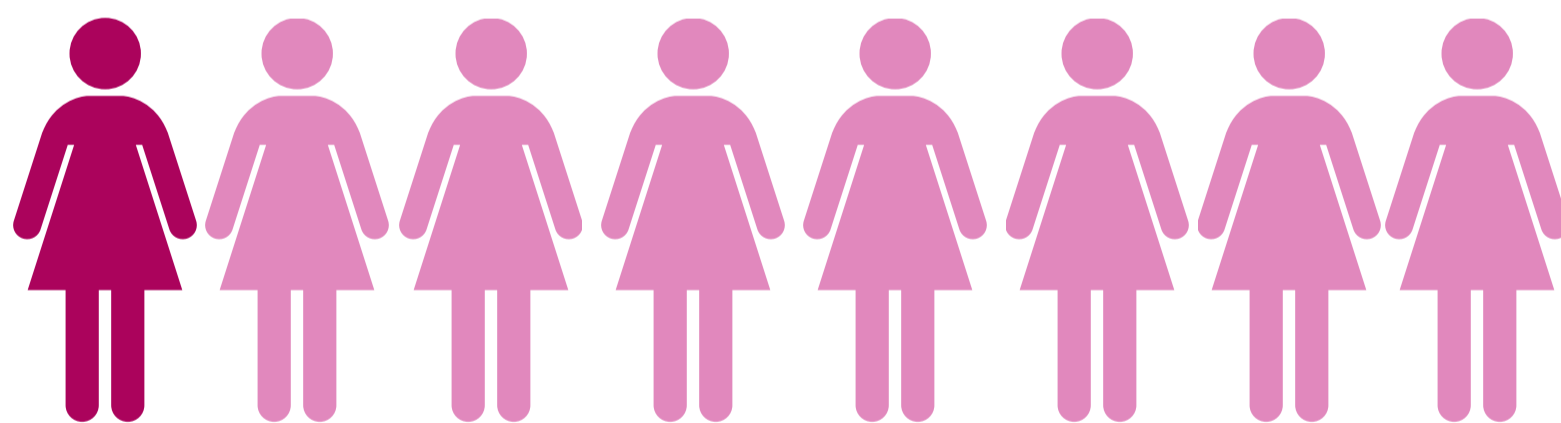


In The United States

- Except for skin cancers, breast cancer is the most common cancer among women in the U.S.
- In 2016, more than **240,000 cases** of invasive breast cancer will be diagnosed in women and 2,600 in men in the U.S.
- **Every 2 minutes**, one case of breast cancer is diagnosed in a woman in the U.S.
- In 1980, the **5-year relative survival rate** for women diagnosed with early stage breast cancer (cancer confined to the breast) was about 74 percent. Today, that number is 99 percent.
- Early detection and effective treatment contributed to a **36 percent decline** in breast cancer mortality (deaths) in the U.S. between 1989-2012.
- Currently there are more than **3 million breast cancer survivors** in the U.S.
- **One in 8 women** in the U.S. will be diagnosed with breast cancer in her lifetime.

The most common risk factors for breast cancer are being a woman and getting older.



Around The World



- Worldwide, breast cancer is the most frequently diagnosed cancer and the leading cause of cancer death in women, with more than **1.7 million new cases** recorded in 2012.
- Every **60 seconds**, somewhere in the world, someone dies from breast cancer.
- At the current rate, **13 million breast cancer deaths** around the world will occur in the next 25 years.