

INSTRUCTIONS TO PATIENTS FOR MAMMOGRAPHY

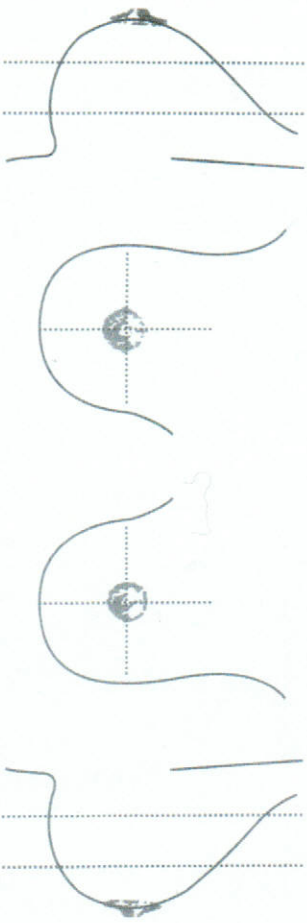
A mammogram is a special x-ray of the breast which produces fine detail images at a low radiation dose. A specially trained technologist will use compression during the examination to achieve the best quality; and at least two x-rays per breast will be taken.

It is important not to apply deodorant or body powder on the day of the study, since this could interfere with the quality of the study.

When the appointment is made be sure to tell us whether you have implants as a special x-ray unit is required.

Discontinuing caffeine intake for two weeks prior to the mammogram may decrease the discomfort of this examination.

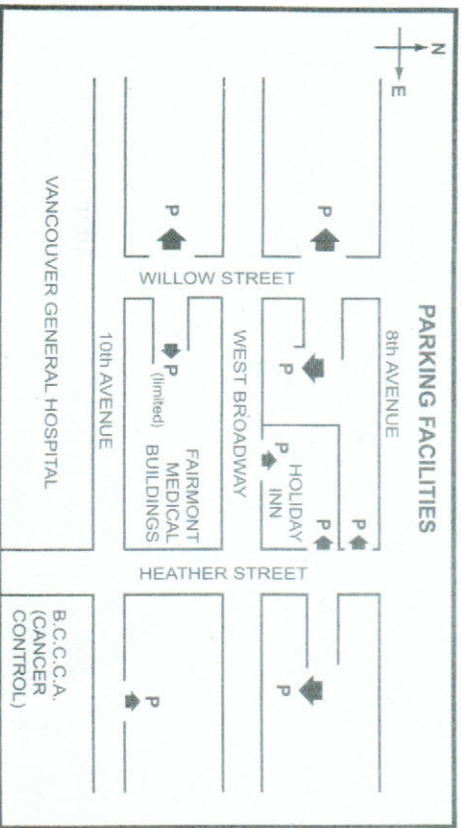
Indications for mammogram:



RIGHT

LEFT

(Please indicate location of finding)



X-RAY 505

DIGITAL MAMMOGRAPHY, BREAST ULTRASOUND

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Digital Radiography / General Ultrasound

HOURS OF OPERATION:

7:30am - 5:00pm Monday-Friday
 8:00am - 12:30pm Saturday
 (except Holiday Weekends)

Appointment Time _____ Date _____

Patient's Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Care Card Number: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Examination: _____

Please check (✓) indication(s) for mammogram:

- Lump, thickening, nodularity, deformity, serous or sanguineous nipple discharge, non-cyclical localized pain or tenderness.
- Follow-up prior CA.
- Search for unknown primary malignancy.
- Suspected complications of breast implants.
- First post-operative mammogram following a benign biopsy.
- Work up of patient after abnormal screening mammogram.
- Patient under 40 with a very strong family history of breast cancer.
- Patient with breast implants.
- Services provided by SMPPBC are not available or cannot be reasonably accessed.
- Other, specify: _____

PREVIOUS MAMMOGRAM & ULTRASOUND	
Location	_____
Date	_____
Number	_____

Referring Doctor: _____ Billing #: _____

Additional Copy to: _____

Please see over for instructions