

# Free Cancer Screenings in Baltimore

## Free Breast Cancer Screenings

Every Monday - Friday

8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

UniversityCare Family Health Centers

Baltimore, Maryland

Two UniversityCare family health centers in West Baltimore are offering free breast cancer screening as part of the Baltimore City Cancer Program, an early-detection effort for uninsured, low-income city residents. UniversityCare officials urge eligible women to take advantage of the free clinical breast exams and mammograms.

The free screenings are available every Monday through Friday at two UniversityCare family health centers in West Baltimore:

[UniversityCare at Edmondson Village](#), 4538 Edmondson Avenue

[UniversityCare at Waxter Center](#), 1000 Cathedral Street

## Baltimore City Cancer Program

University of Maryland Marlene and Stewart Greenebaum Cancer Center

22 S. Greene Street Baltimore

[www.fha.maryland.gov/cancer/bccp\\_home.cfm](http://www.fha.maryland.gov/cancer/bccp_home.cfm)

The University of Maryland Marlene and Stewart Greenebaum Cancer Center at the University of Maryland Medical Center also offers free mammograms, breast exams and pap tests to women who reside in Baltimore City, who are 40 years of age and older and have no health insurance.

To enroll in the Baltimore City Cancer Program, city residents can call 410-328-4673 (HOPE).

## The Baltimore City Breast and Cervical Cancer Program at MEDSTAR

Offers free mammograms, breast exams, and PAP tests to eligible Baltimore City women age 40-60 (Call 410-614-3240). Medstar also offers free colorectal screenings to eligible men and women ages 50-64 who are uninsured or underinsured with limited income. (Call 410-350-8216)

## Breast and Cervical Cancer Diagnosis and Treatment (BCCDT) Program

The Breast and Cervical Cancer Diagnosis and Treatment Program was established in 1992 to provide breast cancer and cervical cancer diagnosis and treatment services to program eligible Maryland residents ([COMAR 10.14.02](#)). The BCCDT Program reimburses the following providers throughout the state to provide diagnosis and treatment services to program participants: hospitals, physicians, pharmacies, medical laboratories, medical item suppliers, nurse practitioners, nurse anesthetists,

physical and occupational therapists, and home health agencies.  
For more information about the program, please call 410-767-6787 or 1-800-477-9774.

To be eligible for the program, a person must:  
Be a Maryland resident (proof of residency required), have a breast or cervical problem requiring further diagnosis and treatment, be uninsured or underinsured, uninsured, or have Medicare, or have health insurance other than Medicare in which the deductible has not been met or the needed services are not covered by insurance, and meet the financial criteria established by the BCCDT Program, (income must not exceed 250% of the federal poverty level, approximately \$27,225 for a family of one).

### **Colon Cancer Screening**

Baltimore City Cancer Plan at Johns Hopkins Colon Cancer Screening Program  
(410) 502-8431

-Free colon cancer screening for Baltimore City residents who are uninsured or underinsured. Must be age 50 or over or have a family history of colon cancer.  
-Free colorectal cancer screening for uninsured Baltimore City men and women age 50-70. Call (410) 955-1348.

### **Prostate Cancer Screening**

Johns Hopkins Sidney Kimmel Cancer Center Prostate Cancer Screening Program  
(410) 955-1348

Free prostate cancer screening with PSA blood test and rectal exam. Eligible men must be Baltimore City residents between 50 and 70 years old (45 with additional risk factors) who have not been screened for prostate cancer within 12 months and have not been diagnosed with prostate cancer. Must be uninsured or underinsured.

For more information from Baltimore HealthCare Access on low cost no cost healthcare resources, visit our [website](#) to download the 2011 Consumer Guide to Low Cost and No Cost Health Care in Baltimore City.