

Take the opportunity!

I won't forget!

The high quality programme for the early detection of breast cancer will be offered for woman aged 50 to 69 in the 15th, 16th and 17th municipal district of Vienna until the end of 2008. Participation is free of charge and voluntary. A mammography screening appointment already booked for you will be proposed to you in a personal invitation letter. Of course, the appointment can be postponed if you are unable to keep it or if you have had a mammography during the preceding 12 months. Please contact 0800-676 140 to book a new date.

I won't run the risk!

A mammography is a breast X-ray examination that can recognise alterations of the breast tissue long before these can be felt during the breast exam or other symptoms become noticeable.

I check myself!

The participation in the screening programme cannot prevent breast cancer, but helps to detect the disease at a stage where it is still easily treatable.

I'd rather be safe than sorry!

The examination lasts only a few minutes.

Contact

If you require further information, please contact the cost-free Hotline which operates in English, German, Turkish, Bosnian/Serbian/ Croatian

0800 – 676 140

or visit our website at

www.ich-schau-auf-mich.at

Please feel free to use the offered services out of charge!

Cooperating partners:



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in the 15th, 16th and 17th district of Vienna

I look at myself!

5 important minutes for your health



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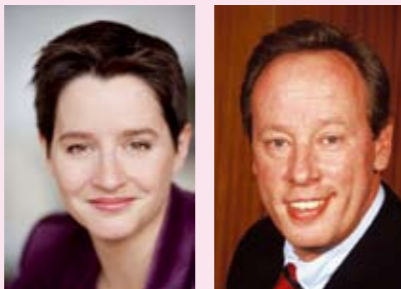
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We invite you!



Dear Viennese readers,

breast cancer is the most frequent type of cancer in women. If breast cancer is diagnosed at an early date of its genesis, there are very good chances of a full cure. The City of Vienna and the Wiener Gebietskrankenkasse (Vienna Health Fund) would therefore like to invite you to a breast cancer screening by means of breast radiography (mammography). To offer the best possible care, our prime aim is quality of service. It's now your turn to make a contribution to your health by taking up our offer free of charge until 2008.

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Quality - our intention

The following actions are taken to provide a standardised programme of higher value, which meets the requirement of quality assurance.

Quality control of the technical aspects:

Inspections of the used equipment organized by an international accredited research institute

Training course:

The radiographers and radiologist attend special courses and intensive trainings.

Diagnostic findings:

All the findings are checked by two experienced radiologists. If there is discrepancy a third expert will be called in.

Multidisciplinary cooperation:

Conspicuous findings and the further proceeding in such cases are discussed by a multidisciplinary team.

Documentation and Evaluation of the ongoing programme

Psychological support is available in different languages

Procedere of the inspection

The examination is performed by a trained radiological team. To get the mammogram your breast is put between two synthetic plates. It is necessary to impose slight pressure upon the breast to get a significant test result.

Each mammogram is assessed by two experienced radiologists. If they do not attain to the same result, another international accredited expert will be called in. Since the quality assurance takes some time, you will get the test results within two weeks.

The breast cancer screening will be provided in the following centres:

Hanusch-Krankenhaus

14., Heinrich-Collin-Straße 30

Ordination Dr. Michael Wiesmayr

15., Sechshauser Straße 1

Radiologie Hernalser Spitz - Prim. Univ.-Prof. Dr. Dimiter Tscholakoff

17., Jörgerstraße 52-54