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Every Woman. Every Year.

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month. District Health Department No. 4's Breast & Cervical Cancer Control Program can help an eligible woman, aged 40 – 64*, get breast and cervical screening services **yearly** whether she has **insurance or not**. We provide support and assistance to help her receive the screening, follow-up care for an abnormal test result, and/or treatment if a breast or cervical cancer is found. With this program, low-income women now have access to life-saving cancer screening services and follow-up care, including cancer treatment if that should be needed.

If a woman, aged 40-64*, does not have insurance, the health department can enroll her in our program and arrange for her to receive these services:

- Clinical Breast Exam
- Screening Mammogram
- Pap Test
- Pelvic Exam
- Diagnostic Services specific to breast and/or cervical cancer

**Women under 40 with identified breast or cervical abnormalities may also be eligible.*

If a woman has insurance, but has a high deductible that must be paid before receiving services or the insurance doesn't completely cover the follow-up care, our staff can provide help in paying for these follow-up exams:

- Consultation visit with a Breast Surgeon or OB/Gyn doctor
- Diagnostic mammogram, extra views, breast ultrasounds, MRI
- Breast biopsy or aspiration
- Colposcopy with cervical biopsy

If a woman is diagnosed with breast cancer or cervical cancer (or a pre-cancerous cervical condition,) the woman is qualifies for Medicaid through the Medicaid Treatment Act. For further information or an appointment, contact your local District Health Department #4 office. Alpena 989-356-4507, Cheboygan 231-627-8850, Montmorency 989-785-4428, Presque Isle 989-734 4723.

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