

1992-2023 Breast & Cervical Key Highlights

Women's & Men's Health Programs

Every Woman Matters (EWM) within the Women's and Men's Health Program at the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services (NDHHS) is in its 33rd year of implementing breast and cervical cancer screening across the state of Nebraska. Funding is awarded by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

In addition to breast and cervical cancer screenings, Nebraska also offers cardiovascular and diabetes screening as well as colon cancer screening.

Between 1992 and 2023, Every Woman Matters provided 285,562 Mammograms and Cervical Cancer Screenings

Approximately 604 health care clinics/offices across the state perform services.

Currently, women eligible for screening services through Every Woman Matters are 21-74 years of age for mammograms and 21-64 years of age for Pap Smears or HPV tests, fall within the program's income guidelines and are not Medicaid beneficiaries nor do they have adequate insurance coverage. The income guidelines are at or below 250% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines. The program also provides diagnostic services for those eligible women.

TESTS PERFORMED (1992 – 2023)

125,089 screening mammograms

- 42,478 diagnostic services provided
- 1,399 women diagnosed with breast cancer
- 100% received treatment supported by Medicaid or other sources

151,773 cervical cancer screenings

- 14,978 diagnostic services provided
- 3,694 women diagnosed with cervical precancer
- 99 women diagnosed with invasive cervical cancer
- 100% received treatment supported by Medicaid or other sources