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## MEDICAL IMAGING

## **Breast Imaging: Diagnostic Mammogram Patients Graduating Back to Screening**

Thank you for choosing Johns Hopkins Medical Imaging for your patients. We are adjusting our breast imaging appointments to facilitate access to care for our patients.

Patients with a past breast cancer diagnosis who have 1 year of diagnostic mammograms with no new suspicious findings will be graduated to screening mammograms. Patients who have been treated with mastectomy or who have had surgery for benign reasons will be immediately scheduled for screening mammograms.

This is beneficial to the patient in several ways:



More access to appointments and the ability to **Schedule Online** through MyChart.



**Faster appointments** with no need to wait onsite for the radiologist to read the mammogram.



Lower charges for screening mammograms compared to diagnostic mammograms.

We will be informing patients who meet this criteria during their next appointment. Our mammography technologist will also be providing the patient with information on the differences between screening and diagnostic mammograms.

Screening and diagnostic mammograms are interpreted by the same team of Johns Hopkins subspecialty breast radiologists.

Below are the appropriate IMG and CPT codes for ordering your patient's next screening mammogram who meet this criteria.

Procedure Description	IMG Code	CPT Code
Breast DM Screening Bilateral w/3D Tomo	IMG8074	77063, 77067
Breast DM Screening Right Post Cancer w/Tomo	IMG8078	77063, 77067
Breast DM Screening Left Post Cancer w/Tomo	IMG8079	77063, 77067

Schedule online at http://mychart.hopkinsmedicine.org or call 443-997-7237. hopkinsmedicine.org/imaging

