

BREAST Cancer

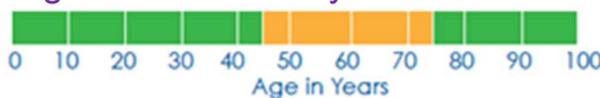
Breast cancer is the number two cause of deaths among women in the United States and is the most commonly diagnosed cancer (2012).

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

72.0%



of breast cancer cases are diagnosed in women between the ages of 45 and 74 years.



72.4%



of breast cancer deaths occur in women between the ages of 50 and 84 years.



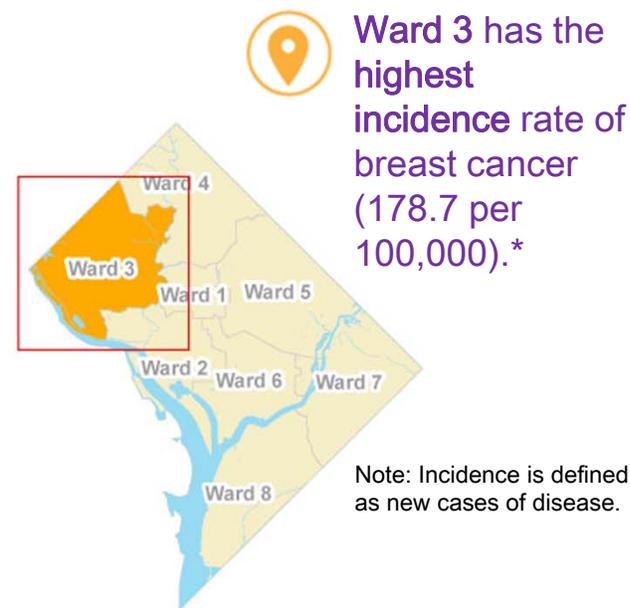
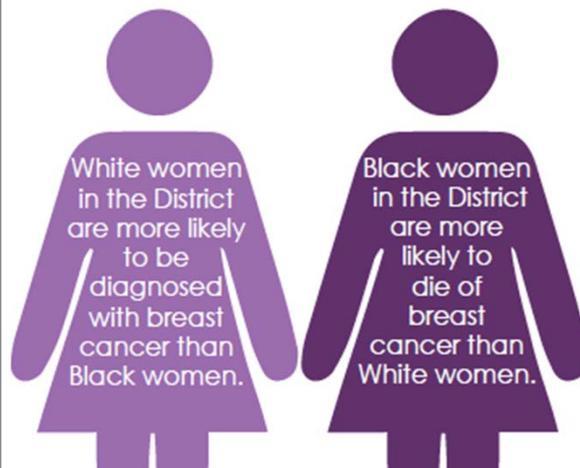
* 2012 Age Adjusted Data
Data provided by the DC Cancer Registry

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most commonly diagnosed cancer in the District (130.3 per 100,000).*

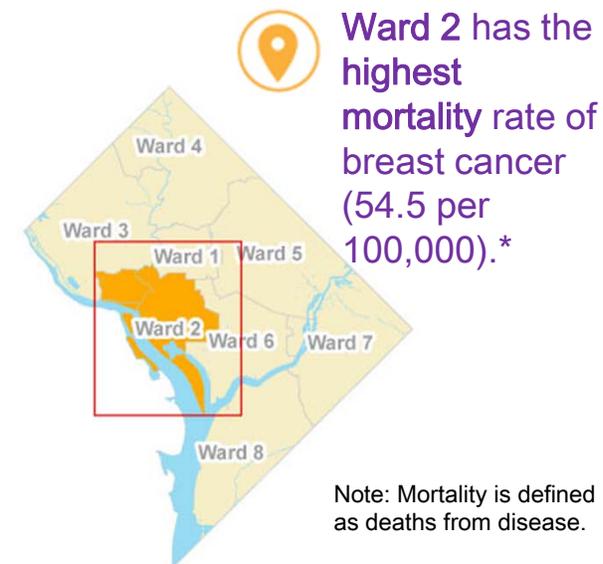
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leading cause of cancer deaths in the District (31.1 per 100,000).*



Ward 3 has the highest incidence rate of breast cancer (178.7 per 100,000).*

Note: Incidence is defined as new cases of disease.



Ward 2 has the highest mortality rate of breast cancer (54.5 per 100,000).*

Note: Mortality is defined as deaths from disease.

* Maps from the DC Office of Zoning.