

Who can get a breast screen



The job of BreastScreen Victoria is to find out if people have breast cancer.



When we say we or us we mean BreastScreen Victoria.



When we check people for breast cancer we call this screening.

You can have a breast screen every 2 years if you are:



- aged 50 to 74
- living in Victoria
- a woman
- trans – people who change things about their body, so they are a different gender to the one they were born.





It is important to tell a doctor if you think your breasts have changed. Do not go to BreastScreen Victoria if you think your breasts have changed.



To have a breast screen you do not need:

- to pay money
- a doctor's referral.



A breast screen:

- takes about 10 minutes to do
- is done by a woman radiographer - a radiographer is a person who takes pictures to see inside your body.



A breast screen every 2 years could save your life.



Some people might need extra help during their appointment because of things like, they:



- use a wheelchair
- have trouble with senses like seeing or hearing
- have a disability that makes it harder to learn and understand things
- have a brain injury

You can book a breast screen that fits your needs.



- Phone: 13 20 50
- BreastScreen website:

<https://www.breastscreen.org.au>

Book at
breastscreen.org.au
or call **13 20 50**

TTY **13 36 77** if you have hearing or speech difficulties



For more information or to change your details, visit **breastscreen.org.au** or call **13 20 50**



For interpreter assistance, call **13 14 50**



Translated information:
breastscreen.org.au/translations



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