

Cancer Screenings Offered in 2017

September 13, 2017 Women's Imaging Center Free Screening Event 2 screenings

Screening offered in accordance with evidence-based guidelines from the American Cancer Society

May 10, 2017 Oral Head and Neck Cancer Screening 19 screenings

Screening offered in accordance with evidence-based guidelines from the Head and Neck Cancer Alliance

Of the 19 people screened 6 people were referred for follow up with their private physicians.

Follow up letters were mailed to the participants and their physicians.

Prevention

The "Learn to Be Tobacco Free" six-week smoking cessation programs, co-sponsored by the Suffolk County Department of Health was held on February 23 –March 30, 2017 for 15 people.

Community Lectures and Prevention /Education Programs in 2017

4/19/2017	Aging Gracefully Workshops	66 attendees
5/20/2017	Food For Thought Workshops	94 attendees
10/11/2017	Prevention as Medicine Workshops	60 attendees
11/1/2017	Prevention as Medicine Workshops	75 attendees

Cancer Screenings/Programs/Events 2018

Program/Event: the 14th Annual Good Samaritan Cancer Survivor's Day Celebration – September 16, 2018

This year, 900 people attended the Good Samaritan Cancer Survivorship Celebration at Villa Lombardi's in Holbrook. Cancer Survivors connected with health professionals and each other during an inspirational day, which included a key note speaker and lunch.

There were 279 evaluations returned, of which 85% rated the event excellent.

Program/Event: Good Samaritan University Cancer Care Close To Home Workshop – October 10, 2018

The Good Sam University workshop community lectures are free and open to the general population. Cancer Care Close to Home was a panel discussion with Good Samaritan Physicians focusing on cancer diagnosis, treatment, recovery and programs at the Medical Center. After brief introductions, the panel opened the floor for questions allowing the attendees the opportunity to ask the experts about new procedures, new treatments and risk factors.

Of the 40 people that attended 22 returned evaluations rating the program excellent.

Program/Event: Oral, Head and Neck Cancer Screening – December 6, 2018

The targeted population for the oral, head and neck cancer screening was uninsured/underinsured adult men and women. There were 10 people screened following the guidelines of the Oral, Head and Neck Cancer Alliance.

There was no concerns and no further follow up was needed.

Cancer Screenings/Programs/Events 2019

Program/Event: the 15th Annual Good Samaritan Cancer Survivor's Day Celebration – September 8, 2019

This year, 600 people attended the Good Samaritan Cancer Survivorship Celebration at Villa Lombardi's in Holbrook. Cancer Survivors connected with health professionals and each other during an inspirational day, which included a key note speaker and lunch.

There were 285 evaluations returned, of which 93% rated the event excellent.

Program/Event: Year 3 of the NAPBC Grant for Screening Patient Navigator October 2018-

September 2019 In the third year of the NAPBC Grant for Mammography Screenings there were 873 women contacted of which 488 Mammograms were completed. There were 4 Atypical and 5 Cancers detected. The targeted population was women underserved, uninsured in Wyandanch.

Program/Event: Prostate Cancer Screenings – May 9, and September 26, 2019

The targeted population for free prostate cancer screenings was uninsured/underinsured adult men. There were a total of 24 men screened following the guidelines of the American Cancer Society. On May 9, there were 11 men screened of which one resulted an elevated PSA and was referred for follow up. On September 26, there were 13 men screened of which one resulted an elevated PSA and was referred for follow up.

Cancer Screenings/Programs/Events 2020

Program/Event: The last meeting of the “**Learn to Be Tobacco Free**” six-week smoking cessation programs, co-sponsored by the Suffolk County Department of Health Services was held on January 27. Of the 12 people who originally registered six continued to meet with one person smoke free.

Program/Event: CHS and Men and Women Against Prostate Cancer provided free prostate cancer screenings system wide following the American Cancer Society guidelines. Good Samaritan’s screening was held on September 22, with 14 men screened of which one resulted an elevated PSA and was referred for follow up.

Program/Event: Good Sam University Virtual Classes continued to bring educational information to our community during COVID -19. There were three virtual classes featuring Cancer updates and information. On July 23, Prostate Health had 8,700 views, October 22, Breast Cancer Updates had 7,600 views and October 29, Breast Health had 3,500 views.