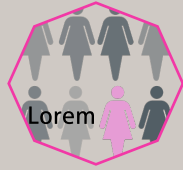




Screening Mammography

Insufficient Data



Breast Cancer Late-Stage Diagnosis Rate

48.3 new cases/100,000 women



Breast Cancer Mortality Rate

Insufficient Data

COUNTY POPULATION: 10,591

OF WOMEN: 5,688 (54%)

PERRY COUNTY

BREAST HEALTH SNAPSHOT

A brief overview of how Perry County is doing in the fight against breast cancer

Perry County is currently considered a "highest" risk county in the state. The county is not currently meeting the Healthy People 2020 target for late-stage diagnosis of breast cancer and there is not sufficient data on the county's progress toward the breast cancer mortality rate target.

Healthy People 2020 (HP 2020) is a set of health-related targets for the country that is developed by various U.S. federal agencies. The HP 2020 target for late-stage diagnosis is 38.9 new cases per 100,000 women. The target for breast cancer mortality is 20.7 deaths per 100,000 women. As it stands today, it is predicted that

Perry County will not meet the late-stage diagnosis rate target.

Perry County has an incidence rate of 128.0 new cases of breast cancer per 100,000 women and sees, on average, about 9 new cases of breast cancer diagnosed each year.

Some of the most influential factors impacting the state of breast health in Perry County include access to care barriers, low health literacy, its rural location, and cultural myths and stigmas.



LOCAL RESOURCES

VISIT WWW.KOMENNCALABAMA.ORG OR CALL 205.263.1706 FOR INFORMATION ON OTHER RESOURCES IN YOUR COUNTY...

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