

Breast Cancer Awareness Month

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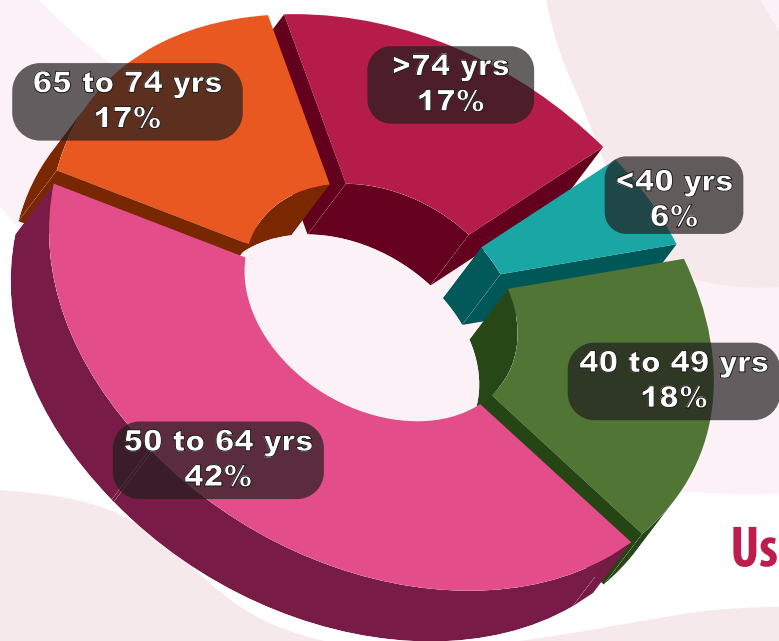
Facts

- Annual average of 2,800 cases of invasive breast cancer in women
- Represents almost one third (30%) of all invasive cancers in women
- Represents 0.3% of all invasive cancers in men
- Most common treatment regime: surgery, chemotherapy, radiotherapy & hormone therapy

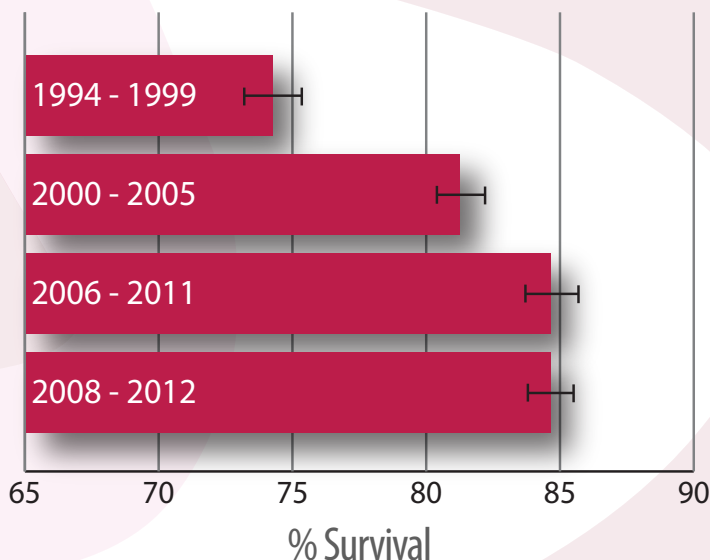
26%

of all invasive breast cancers
are diagnosed through the
breast screening programme

Age Breakdown (Females)



Female Breast Cancer: 5 Year Survival



Useful Websites

- www.breastcheck.ie
- www.cancer.ie
- www.breastcancerresearch.ie

Risk Factors



Greater
Body
Fat*



Alcohol



Smoking



Family
History



Oral
Contraceptive



Hormone
Replacement
Therapy



Having No
Children

* Post-Menopausal Women