

Breast Program Roster Members

Our cancer center is honored to work with a number of individuals committed to maintaining the standards established by NAPBC. Visit unitypoint.org/desmoines/napbc to see a list of breast program team members.

For more information:

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Welcome to John Stoddard Cancer Center

An NAPBC-Accredited Breast Center



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NATIONAL ACCREDITATION PROGRAM FOR BREAST CENTERS
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What is NAPBC?

John Stoddard Cancer Center

is accredited by the National Accreditation Program for Breast Centers (NAPBC), a program administered by the American College of Surgeons.

NAPBC accreditation is granted only to those centers that voluntarily commit to providing the best possible care to patients. Each breast center undergoes a rigorous evaluation and review of its performance.

Each center must demonstrate compliance with standards established by the NAPBC for treating women who are diagnosed with the full spectrum of breast disease. The standards include proficiency in the areas of center leadership, clinical management, research, community outreach, professional education and quality improvement. As an NAPBC-accredited breast center, John Stoddard Cancer Center has demonstrated a firm commitment to offer its patients every significant advantage in their battle against breast disease.



What it means for patients

Receiving care at the NAPBC-accredited John Stoddard Cancer Center ensures that a patient will have access to:

- Comprehensive care, including a full range of state-of-the-art services
- A multidisciplinary team approach to coordinate the best treatment options
- Information about ongoing clinical trials and new treatment options
- Quality breast care close to home

Breast Program Services

- Breast Care Navigator
- Lymphedema Breast Program
- Nutrition Services
- Palliative Care
- Psychology Oncology Services
- Social Work
- Breast Cancer Support Groups
- Survivorship Program
- Genetic Breast Program
- EmPowered support group for young women (ages 18-45) at high risk for breast and/or ovarian cancer

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