

Our dedicated breast imaging specialists provide the most comprehensive care available. The Breast Center strives to be an important resource for breast health in Northwest Arkansas, as well as the best source of breast imaging. We provide supportive, expert care for both women and men coping with breast cancer, as well as for women proactively concentrating on breast health as part of their overall wellness.

## Our Services

At The Breast Center, we offer screening and diagnostic mammograms as well as a comprehensive array of diagnostic breast services and advanced screening options.

- 3D™ Mammograms
- Diagnostic Mammograms
- Breast Ultrasound
- Breast MRI
- Dense Breast Screening
- Risk Assessment & Genetic Testing
- Breast Biopsy
- Library & Resources



The Breast Center is designated a **Breast Imaging Center of Excellence** by the American College of Radiology and an **Accredited Breast Center** by the National Accreditation Program for Breast Centers.



## Request an Appointment

### The Breast Center - Bentonville

Fountain Plaza - 801 SE Plaza, Suite 5  
Bentonville, Arkansas 72712  
MONDAY - FRIDAY 7:30 AM - 5PM

### The Breast Center - Fayetteville

55 West Sunbridge  
Fayetteville, Arkansas 72703  
MONDAY - FRIDAY 7AM - 5PM

## APPOINTMENTS

479-442-6266

## TOLL FREE

866-718-6266

## FAX

479-521-3877

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## Mammography

Mammography can detect smaller cancers than those detected during examination by a physician or nurse. Mammography is a special x-ray of the breast tissue. It allows radiologists to see the internal structure of the breasts and can reveal abnormal growths at their earliest stages. The Breast Center offers the latest mammography technology, digital 3D Mammography™ or breast tomosynthesis.

**Screening mammograms** can find breast cancer early, before there are symptoms. Most cancers found in their earliest stages are curable. A screening mammogram is recommended for every woman once a year beginning at age 40 and is covered by most insurance plans under wellness benefits.

**96% of women treated for early stage breast cancer are disease-free five years after diagnosis.**

If you have a problem such as a new lump, nipple discharge, discoloration, focal pain that has not been studied before, or a lump that is changing, a **diagnostic mammogram** should be done instead of a screening. The breast imaging physician views the images while you are at the clinic and will report on results before you leave.

## Dedicated Breast MRI

Dedicated Breast MRI is the most sensitive test available for diagnosing breast cancer. Breast MRIs at The Breast Center are read by world renowned expert and developer of the dedicated Breast MRI, Dr Steven Harms.

The use of an MRI scanner dedicated specifically to imaging breasts provides fewer false positive results as compared to whole-body MRI scanners. The Breast Center offers the only dedicated breast MRI in Arkansas.

## Breast Biopsy

The Breast Center (Fayetteville) has been awarded a three-year term of accreditation in stereotactic, ultrasound, and MRI breast biopsy as a result of a recent review by the American College of Radiology (ACR).

Our breast imaging physicians provide several types of breast biopsy at our Fayetteville and Bentonville centers.

- Stereotactic Breast Biopsy
- Ultrasound-guided Biopsy
- Breast MRI-guided Biopsy
- Tomo-Guided Biopsy



## Dense Breast Screening Whole Breast Ultrasound

For women with dense breast tissue, SonoCiné Automated Whole Breast Ultrasound is the latest technology available to screen for breast cancer. SonoCiné is a supplementary ultrasound examination of both breasts that can find small cancers that mammography may miss. The Breast Center was the first in the state to offer this new type of dense breast screening. Ask your technologist or look on your mammography report to find out if you have dense breast tissue. SonoCiné can be scheduled with your yearly mammogram.

## Risk Assessment & Genetic Testing

A Risk Assessment is an appointment with a specially trained registered nurse who will use information about your family and personal history to determine your personal risk for developing breast cancer. If your risk indicates, genetic testing or additional screening such as an annual screening MRI may be recommended.

## Library & Resources

The Breast Center provides an information library which is open to the public at our Fayetteville clinic.

**Meet our Doctors** Drs. Danna Grear and Kevin Pope opened The Breast Center in 2003 as the first independent facility in Arkansas dedicated solely to breast imaging. Drs. Pierce, Lott and Rankin are fellowship-trained in breast imaging and Dr. Harms is a world-renowned Breast MRI expert.



**Danna F. Grear, MD** is a Board Certified Radiologist specializing in breast imaging. She has been providing imaging services in Northwest Arkansas since 1989. Dr. Grear has been a member of the Mammography Clinical Image Review Committee for the Arkansas Department of Health for over 10 years. She is an active member of the Society of Breast Imaging and the American Society of Breast Disease. Dr Grear has been recognized as one of the Best Doctors in America for several years.



**Steven E. Harms, MD, FACR** is recognized internationally in the area of magnetic resonance imaging (MRI), specifically Breast MRI. Dr. Harms is the only radiologist in Arkansas named as a Fellow in the Society of Breast Imaging. He was named the Scientist of the Year in 1998 by the Susan C. Komen Foundation for his pioneer work in breast MRI. Dr. Harms has been on the Best Doctors in America list since 2003.



**Britton B. Lott, MD** completed a diagnostic radiology residency at UAMS and a breast imaging fellowship at Breast Imaging of Oklahoma. Dr. Lott is an active member of the Society of Breast Imaging. She has presented research at several professional conferences and has been published in Contemporary Diagnostic Radiology. As a resident, she enjoyed leading interactive workshops for UAMS medical students teaching techniques for ultrasound guided biopsy.



**Kevin L. Pope, MD** is a Board Certified Radiologist specializing in breast imaging. He has provided imaging services in Northwest Arkansas for over 25 years. Dr Pope is often a featured speaker on breast imaging and early cancer detection in the community and medical field, both locally and in Romania, where he has established a Visiting Fellowship with the physicians interested in improving breast cancer care. He is a member of the American Society of Breast Disease and the Society of Breast Imaging.



**Kelly A. Pierce, MD** completed a Residency and Breast Imaging Fellowship at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences in 2010. Locally and nationally, Dr. Pierce is a regular speaker at breast cancer awareness events as well as a faculty member and speaker for the Breast Ultrasound Education course: "Intensive Breast Ultrasound," a national biannual breast meeting which draws national and international course participants. She volunteers as a coordinator with the University of Arkansas Medical Humanities Department to assist the professors in providing shadowing opportunities for their students with local physicians.



**Katherine E. Rankin, DO** is fellowship trained in Breast Imaging and board certified in diagnostic radiology by the American Osteopathic Board of Radiology. Dr Rankin received her doctorate in medicine from Kansas City University of Medicine and Biosciences in 2011. Dr. Rankin has a long-standing history in the medical imaging field, including work as a Diagnostic Imaging Associate for multiple Oklahoma hospitals and clinics.