Breast Cancer Care Team Checklist

Choosing the right team to provide breast cancer care is one of the most important decisions you will make. This checklist provides key questions to ask as you weigh your options. If the care team you are evaluating is lacking in any of the points below, <u>consider seeking a second opinion</u> at Henry Ford. Talk to a cancer expert 24/7. Call us at (866)-636-2557.

Does your care team	Health System	Care Team #1	Care Team #2
Include surgeons who are fellowship- trained in breast cancer care?	\odot		
Meet regularly as part of a tumor board to develop personalized treatment options for you?	⊘		
Offer a one-day appointment for you to see all your specialists in a single visit and receive your full breast cancer treatment plan?	⊘		
Provide a dedicated nurse navigator to help you through the process, address your concerns and answer your questions at any time?	⊘		
Address breast reconstruction during your first visit, not during an additional visit or as something separate from your overall breast cancer treatment plan?	⊘		
Offer social workers who work exclusively with patients who have cancer to ensure you have the support you need so you can focus on recovery and your doctor can focus on your treatment?	⊘		
Offer genetic testing and clinical trials?	\odot		