








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, [consider seeking a second opinion](#) at Henry Ford.

| Does your care team... |  | Care Team #1 | Care Team #2 |
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| Include surgeons who are fellowship-trained in breast cancer care? |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Meet regularly as part of a tumor board to develop personalized treatment options for you? |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Offer a one-day appointment for you to see all your specialists in a single visit and receive your full breast cancer treatment plan? |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Provide a dedicated nurse navigator to help you through the process, address your concerns and answer your questions at any time? |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Address breast reconstruction during your first visit, not during an additional visit or as something separate from your overall breast cancer treatment plan? |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 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? |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Offer genetic testing and clinical trials? |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |