MISSION STATEMENT

The National Accreditation Program for Breast Centers (NAPBC) represents a consortium of national, professional organizations dedicated to the quality of care of patients with diseases of the breast.

Established in 2005, the NAPBC has grown to more than 650 accredited centers nationally and three international sites.
Dear NAPBC-Accredited Breast Center Team Members

We would like to thank you for your continued participation in the NAPBC accreditation program. We recognize the time, resources, and cost your breast center has invested to maintain accreditation. We value your commitment to provide high-quality care to your breast patients.

This Annual Report provides a snapshot of activity across the more than 650 accredited breast centers during 2019 and demonstrates the impact of NAPBC accreditation on the quality of breast care delivery.

Over the past year, the board and committees have been working hard on your behalf to develop resources to support you in the accreditation process. In July 2019, the NAPBC Board held a strategic retreat to identify how they can deliver additional value and enhance the level of support and resources for accredited centers. Three task forces have been formed and are currently working on developing tangible resources that will enhance value. The committees continue to work on reviewing and refining the standards for accreditation and on training and evaluating the surveyor team. We are developing new training and education opportunities for accredited centers to support compliance with the standards and to prepare you for your accreditation survey. Our Quality Committee is continually working to define and introduce new quality measures designed to improve patient care delivery along with resources to assist you with your quality improvement initiatives. Lastly, we continue to develop patient-centered resources to complement your patient education program.

The NAPBC Board, committees, and staff are here to support you throughout the accreditation process and encourage you to reach out to us at NAPBC@facs.org or by phone with your thoughts and suggestions.

Sincerely,

Scott H. Kurtzman, MD, FACS
Chair, National Accreditation Program for Breast Centers
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NAPBC Board with Staff
NAPBC Surveyors

Randy E. Stevens, MD
NAPBC Lead Surveyor

NAPBC Surveyor Training, November 23, 2019
Rosemont, IL
NAPBC Strategic Priorities

DEFINE and COMMUNICATE the value proposition of the NAPBC and accreditation to BROADEN NAPBC’s REACH and impact.

DELIVER on the value proposition and ENHANCE current and prospective center support to improve patient outcomes.

STIMULATE membership growth to reach more centers and patients.
What’s Happening Across Accredited Breast Centers

There are 653 NAPBC-accredited centers across the country.

95% of NAPBC centers are also Commission on Cancer accredited.

Only 2 states (Vermont and Wyoming) do not have any NAPBC-accredited centers.

34% of NAPBC centers have undergone four accreditation cycles.

NAPBC has more than 45 surveyors.
NAPBC Program Growth Over Time

![Graph showing NAPBC program growth over time from 2009 to 2020]

Distribution of NAPBC-Accredited Centers

![Map showing the distribution of NAPBC accredited centers across the United States, with 554 centers and 99 satellites]

554 CENTERS | 99 SATELLITES
Case Volumes of NAPBC-Accredited Centers, 2019

Proportion of Centers Awarded Three-Year Accreditation at Time of Survey, 2017–2019
The Five Most Common Standards with Deficiencies, 2017–2019

1. **Standard 2.20**
   Breast Cancer Survivorship Care

2. **Standard 5.1**
   Breast Care Team Continuing Education

3. **Standard 6.1**
   Quality and Outcomes

4. **Standard 2.5**
   Breast Cancer Surveillance

5. **Standard 2.6**
   Breast Cancer Staging
Common Deficiencies, 2017–2019
Educational Offerings

**Best Practices in the Diagnosis and Treatment of Inflammatory Breast Cancer Webinar**

September 12, 2019 | Beth Overmoyer, MD, FACP

The webinar reviewed the clinical presentation and NCCN guidelines for early diagnosis of inflammatory breast cancer.

More than 950 participants attended the webinar.

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**ACS Quality and Safety Conference**

ACS QUALITY and SAFETY CONFERENCE
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Accreditation Makes a Difference

• Study that compared compliance with the six NAPBC quality measures between CoC alone centers versus CoC centers with NAPBC accreditation

• Study showed that NAPBC centers had higher compliance rates for all six quality measures after adjusting for patient, facility, and tumor factors

• This was a survey sent to physicians working at NAPBC centers that assessed physician’s knowledge about contralateral breast cancer risk and local recurrence and opinions on indications for contralateral prophylactic mastectomy (CPM)

• The study showed that about 40% of physicians had low knowledge

• Low knowledge was associated with a stronger recommendation for CPM

• Study suggests opportunities to improve physician knowledge