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October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month, and a great reminder that early detection is key to lowering risk of illness and death from the disease.

Breast cancer is the second most common cancer — and cause of cancer death — among U.S. women. Screening can help with earlier detection and treatment.

Dr. Elizabeth Morris, chair of UC Davis Health's radiology department, believes early detection is the future of cancer care. The internationally recognized breast imaging expert is a pioneer in high-risk screening.

She's also a breast cancer survivor herself — treated at the UC Davis Comprehensive Cancer Center, inland Northern California's only National Cancer Institute-designated center.

Not every person is the same, so be sure to ask about the right screenings for you.





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