

## Cancer Screening Tip of the Month – February 2024

Toronto Central Regional Cancer Program, Cancer Screening eBulletin

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### Breast Screening: Average Risk People Ages 40-49

**REMINDER:** People ages 40-49 at average risk of developing breast cancer are **NOT** currently eligible for screening through the Ontario Breast Screening program (OBSP)

#### Current Process for Screening Mammography for People Ages 40-49:

- People ages 40-49 are encouraged to make a personal decision about screening in consultation with their family doctor or nurse practitioner and can be referred for a screening mammogram **outside of the OBSP**.

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#### Expansion of the OBSP Fall 2024:

- The [OBSP](#) will expand to include people ages 40-49 in the fall of 2024.
- More information will be provided when an official go-live date is announced by Ontario Health.

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For more information please visit the [Breast Screening Guidelines Summary](#).

**Questions?** If you have any questions or if you would no longer like to receive the Cancer Screening Tip of the Month please email the Toronto Central Regional Cancer Program, Cancer Screening team: [infoTCRCP@sunnybrook.ca](mailto:infoTCRCP@sunnybrook.ca)