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Truman Medical Center Lakewood Introduces Eastland Breast Center

Independence, Mo — [Truman Medical Center](#) (TMC) Lakewood introduces the Eastland Breast Center, offering state-of-the-art technology and medical expertise in the diagnosis and treatment of women with breast cancer. Expanded medical imaging services through the breast center include: Digital Mammography, Breast Ultrasound, Biopsy-mammothone, and High Field Breast MRI.

“The Eastland Breast Center is about offering women in Eastern Jackson County access to the best technology, diagnostic and treatment options available, as well as the optimum in care and service in an environment that is close to home.” said TMC Medical Imaging Department Chair, Lawrence Ricci, D.O.

Specialized diagnostic and surgical service is provided through TMC Lakewood’s state-of-the-art surgery center located in Eastern Jackson County.

The Eastland Breast Center provides personalized medicine for patients in collaboration with physicians of The University of Kansas Cancer Center. Offered at the cancer center’s Lee Summit location, women have access to the region's most advanced medical and radiation oncology services and nationally recognized cancer care, close to home.

In addition to diagnostic and imaging services, patients will have access to Breast Care Navigators. Navigators give breast cancer patients personalized assistance in coordinating care with their physicians; accessing and overcoming any potential barriers to care, providing educational resources and helping patients to be active, informed partners in their medical care.

The Eastland Breast Center is located inside Medical Imaging Eastland at 19000 East Eastland Center Ct. Suite 100 in Independence. For more information or to make an appointment, please call 816-876-2919.

About TMC Lakewood

Truman Medical Centers is a not-for-profit, two acute-care hospital health system in Kansas City. The TMC Health System includes TMC Hospital Hill, TMC Lakewood, TMC Behavioral Health, the Jackson County Health Department and a number of primary care practices throughout Eastern Jackson County. TMC is the primary teaching hospital for the University of Missouri-Kansas City Schools of Medicine, Nursing, Dentistry and Pharmacy and specializes in Chronic Disease Management, high risk pregnancies, orthopaedics, trauma services, and women's health. For more information, please call (816) 404-3785 or visit at www.trumed.org or on [Facebook](#).

Eastland Breast Center and Medical Imaging Eastland are hospital based outpatient departments owned and operated by Truman Medical Center Lakewood.

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