

BREAST AND CERVICAL CANCER TREATMENT PROGRAM (BCCTP)

The BCCTP may provide Medi-Cal to low-income people that live in California and have breast and/or cervical cancer.

If you have been denied Medi-Cal or you are no longer eligible for Medi-Cal through your county and you have breast and/or cervical cancer, tell your county Eligibility Worker (EW). Your EW can make a referral for you to the BCCTP.

An Eligibility Specialist (ES) from the BCCTP will call or write to you for more information. The requested information will help us to see if you are eligible for the program. You may be Medi-Cal eligible through the BCCTP if you are a woman and you meet the following requirements:

- Have been screened and found in need of treatment for breast and/or cervical cancer, follow-up care for cancer, or precancerous cervical lesions/conditions by an Every Woman Counts (EWC) or Family Planning, Access, Care and Treatment (FamPACT) provider; and
- Are a California resident; and
- Are under age 65; and
- Are a United States citizen or have satisfactory immigration status; and
- Have no other health insurance including full-scope no share-of-cost Medi-Cal, or Medicare; and
- Have a monthly gross family income, at the time of screening and diagnosis, that is at or below 200 percent of the federal poverty level.

If you have been screened for breast and/or cervical cancer by a provider that is not with EWC or FamPACT, you can still be referred to the BCCTP. Your BCCTP worker will help you find an EWC or FamPACT provider that can confirm your diagnosis.

Even if you do not meet all the above requirements, you may still receive BCCTP through the State-funded BCCTP. The State-funded BCCTP can help you for up to 18 months for breast cancer or up to 24 months for cervical cancer. The State-funded BCCTP is available to men and women, regardless of immigration status.

For additional information or questions on the BCCTP, call 1-800-824-0088