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SUBJECT: LUNCH AND LEARN SEMINAR - BREAST CANCER

Breast Cancer is the most common cancer among women, other than skin cancer. It is the second leading cause of cancer death in women. Lung cancer is the number one type of cancer in women. In addition, breast cancer is the leading cause of cancer death among women ages 40-45 years old.

Deaths from cancer of the breast this year alone are expected to be about 43,300, and the chance goes up as a woman gets older.

Shari Blattner, of the Breast Center, will speak on "Cancer of the Breast – an Update" on Thursday, October 14, 1999 from 12 noon - 1 p.m. in G-205 of the Federal Office Building.

All Federal employees and contractors are invited to attend.

If you have any questions about the seminar, please contact Iris Housley, RN, COHN-S, CEAP, at 576-0682 or Dana Hatmaker at 576-5973.

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