
SUSAN G. KOMEN 3-DAY® FACTS

The Susan G. Komen 3-Day® is a 60-mile walk for a committed group of people who are ready to go the distance to end breast cancer. Participants raise a minimum of \$2,300 and walk an average of 20 miles a day for three consecutive days, educating their communities about breast health and raising funds to help support breast cancer research, community health, patient care and advocacy. It's a big commitment, but it's totally worth it.

- Since 2003, the Komen 3-Day has raised more than \$875 million. The net proceeds raised by the Susan G. Komen 3-Day help Susan G. Komen® build a world free of breast cancer through research, community, care and action. The funds raised have helped Komen's mission to save lives from breast cancer, by investing more than \$1 billion in breakthrough research and more than \$2.3 billion to support people and communities most at risk through programs to provide access to screening, treatment assistance, patient navigation and education.
- The Susan G. Komen 3-Day® is a place where every moment is full of meaning, emotion and celebration. As participants cover the mileage on foot, volunteers help along the way. Each night of the event, walkers experience an incredible community of kindness that's more than just a place to sleep; it's where they can bond, share laughter and tears, and make memories with old and new friends.
- National Presenting Sponsor for the Susan G. Komen 3-Day® is Bank of America.
- The 2019 Susan G. Komen 3-Day® series raised over \$15.2 million in the fight against breast cancer.

BREAST CANCER FACTS

- In 2022, about 287,850 new cases of invasive breast cancer will be diagnosed in women and 2,710 cases will be diagnosed in men in the U.S. Also, about 51,400 new cases of ductal carcinoma in situ (DCIS) will be diagnosed in women.
- In 2022, about 43,250 women and 530 men in the U.S. are expected to die from breast cancer. While it's exciting to see the number of deaths decrease slightly, we don't know if it's statistically significant since the number is so small.
- One in eight women in the U.S. will be diagnosed with breast cancer in her lifetime.
- Every two minutes, one case of breast cancer is diagnosed in a woman in the U.S.
- Improvements in early detection and treatment contributed to a 41 percent decline in the breast cancer death rate in the U.S. between 1989-2018.
- In the U.S., it is estimated there are more than 168,000 women living with metastatic breast cancer.
- There are more than 3.8 million survivors and people living with breast cancer in the U.S.

WHY WE WALK



About Susan G. Komen®

Susan G. Komen® is the world's largest breast cancer organization, funding more breast cancer research since our founding than any other nonprofit (outside of the federal government) while providing real-time help to those facing the disease today.

Through the Komen Patient Care Center, we make it possible for people across the country to gain the knowledge, support and access they need to support their breast health journey. In 2021, this included:

- More than 15,000 people who contacted Komen's free Breast Care Helpline seeking support
- More than 3 million people who visited Komen's comprehensive "About Breast Cancer" section of komen.org
- 10,424 patients who received support from a patient navigator
- 4,707 people who received a diagnostic test
- 14,596 people who received a breast screening
- 10,152 patients who received financial assistance from Komen to help cover a variety of related expenses

Since its founding in 1982, Komen has funded more than \$1 billion in research and provided more than \$2.3 billion in funding to screening, diagnostics, education, treatment and psychosocial support programs serving millions of people in 60 countries worldwide. Komen was founded by Nancy G. Brinker, who promised her sister, Susan G. Komen, she would end the disease that claimed Suzy's life. That promise has become Komen's promise to all people facing breast cancer. Visit www.komen.org or call 1-877 GO KOMEN.

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