

Get screened

To find a breast cancer screening location:

- Text "Get Screened" to **81336**
- Call **1-866-442-CANCER (2262)**
- Visit ny.gov/programs/get-screened-no-excuses



“Early detection can make all the difference. That’s why I’m helping more women get screened so they have a better shot at beating breast cancer.”

**-Assemblywoman
Kimberly Jean-Pierre**

Assemblywoman Jean-Pierre is fighting to save lives

Most insurers start covering screenings at 40, but statistics show many women develop breast cancer earlier. Assemblywoman Jean-Pierre's pushing for Shannon's Law to require insurance companies to cover mammograms starting at age 35 so more women can benefit from early detection (A.6731-C).

New laws now in effect:

- Insurers must cover mammograms, breast ultrasounds and MRIs free of charge and hospitals have expanded screening hours (Ch. 74 of 2016)
- Public employees can take up to four hours of paid leave each year to undergo cancer screening (Ch. 465 of 2017)
- Insurance companies are required to cover 3-D mammograms, which can detect breast cancer earlier than traditional mammograms as well as reduce the incidence of false positives (Ch. 414 of 2017)



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Help women in need

Assemblywoman Jean-Pierre is holding a hygiene drive to help women overcoming domestic violence and homelessness.

Items needed:

Toothbrushes • Toothpaste • Deodorant • Shampoo and conditioner • Body wash • Bar soap • Hand soap
Razors • Feminine hygiene products such as tampons and sanitary napkins

**Donations are being collected at her district office through Friday, April 27,
and will be donated to women's shelters in the town of Babylon.**