

"POSSIBLE" BREAST CANCER RISK FACTORS FOR WOMEN

Breast Cancer is increasing every year among Native American Women

- We do not know how to "prevent" breast cancer ... yet
- We do know how to find breast cancer when it is just beginning to grow and when it may be cured.

Are increases in breast cancer due to:



Eating a high fat/high calorie diet?



Drinking alcohol?

"Cancer is treatable today"
Dr. Judith Kaur (Chocktaw/Cherokee)



Not exercising like our ancestors did?



Taking or have taken birth control pills for 6 months or more?



Taking estrogen replacement therapy (ERT)?



Not breast feeding any of their children?

"Keep that spirit up!"
Angela Russell (Crow)

*** We do not know yet, but these risk factors are currently being researched by scientists

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BREAST CANCER SYMPTOMS

AT RISK FOR BREAST CANCER

MAMMOGRAM INFORMATION

BREAST EXAM INFORMATION