Path to a Breast Cancer Diagnosis
for a Person at Average Risk

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Screening Mammogram Normal Results?

- YES → Return in a year for next screening
- NO ↓

Follow-Up Imaging
May include diagnostic mammogram, breast ultrasound and/or breast MRI
Normal Results?

- YES → Return in a year for next screening
- NO ↓

Breast Biopsy Normal Results?

- YES → Return in a year for next screening
- NO → **Cancer or high-risk lesion** Possible additional testing and plan for treatment.

Depending on your tumor type & stage, testing may also include:

Biomarker Testing
Tests for hormone receptor & HER2 status

Genetic Testing
Test for inherited gene mutations

Tumor Profiling Tests
Tests the tumor's genes

Assessing Lymph Nodes
Tests if cancer has spread to lymph nodes

Tests for Metastasis
Tests if cancer has spread to other parts of the body, if needed

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