

BREAST CANCER

FAST FACTS

Breast cancer is the **most commonly diagnosed cancer in Australia.**

1 in 7 women will be diagnosed with breast cancer in their lifetime.

1 in 675 men will be diagnosed with breast cancer in their lifetime.

8 Australians die every day from breast cancer.

Approximately **55 Australians are diagnosed** with breast cancer every day.

In the last 10 years, rates of breast cancer diagnosis have increased by 38%. The survival rate for metastatic breast cancer is much lower at 32%. Since 1994, the five-year survival rate for breast cancer has **increased from 76% to 91%.**

Without research, **27,000 more lives will be lost** to breast cancer by 2030.

NBCF has funded vital life-saving research into breast cancer since 1994, and the data shows that with this funding from the generous Australian community, nearly **47,000 lives have been saved** in this time.

The Mother's Day Classic Foundation has **donated \$37.95 million** to NBCF to fund life-saving research.

Over **160,000 kilometres** travelled by MDC participants in 2020.

