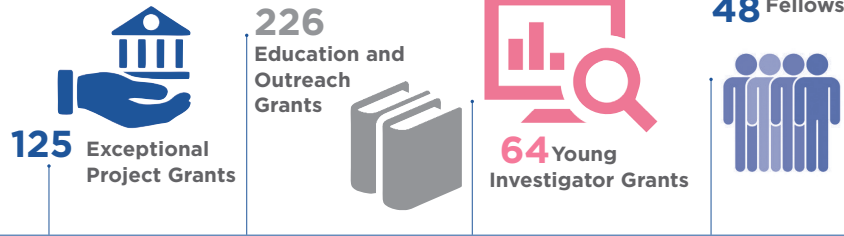


BREAST CANCER ALLIANCE is making a national impact as one of the most prominent private non-corporate breast cancer organizations in the United States.

Why we are **UNIQUE**

WE HAVE FUNDED 463 GRANTS TO DATE:

We continue to improve the outlook on breast cancer and are proud to have funded so many impactful grants and ground-breaking research despite the pandemic. With the uncertainty of federal funding, the need for private philanthropy for the advancement of cures continues to grow.



THIS YEAR'S RECIPIENTS OF BCA GRANTS ARE:

EXCEPTIONAL PROJECT GRANTS

Scott Abrams, PhD and Michael Nemeth, PhD, *Roswell Park, Unique combination immunotherapy to confront triple negative breast cancer*

Rumela Chakrabarti, PhD, *University of Pennsylvania, A novel combination immunotherapy to improve treatment of metastatic triple negative breast cancer, Deborah G. Black Memorial Research Grant*

Jianua Yu, PhD, *City of Hope, An oncolytic virus engineered to express a full-length anti-CD47 IgG1 antibody for the treatment of breast cancer brain metastasis, Supported by Jane and Stuart Weitzman in memory of Irma Wallin*

YOUNG INVESTIGATOR GRANTS

Gloria Echeverria, PhD, *Baylor College of Medicine Characterizing and targeting mitochondrial metabolism in chemoresistant triple negative breast cancer*

Jennifer Rosenbluth, MD, PhD, *Dana Farber Cancer Institute, Modeling cancer prevention in mammary organoids derived from BRCA1/2 mutation carriers*

Maria Soledad Sosa, PhD, *Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, Targeting disseminated breast cancer cells to prevent metastasis, Deborah G. Black Memorial Research Grant*

BREAST SURGERY FELLOWSHIPS

Billie Borden, MD, *Yale University, Supported by the Mitchell Family*

Kelly Krupa, MD, *Rutgers Cancer Institute of New Jersey, Rodkin Family Fellow*

Marissa Srour, MD, *Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center*

EDUCATION AND OUTREACH GRANTS

Danbury Hospital/
New Milford Hospital,
Danbury & New Milford, CT
Paula L. Banwell Memorial Grant

Gilda's Club Westchester,
White Plains, NY
Greenwich Hospital,
Greenwich, CT
Griffin Hospital, Derby, CT
Hartford Hospital,
Hartford, CT

Hospital of Central
Connecticut, New Britain, CT
Mary's Place, Washington, DC
MedStar Georgetown,
Washington, DC

Middlesex Hospital Cancer
Center, Middletown, CT

Norma F. Pfriem
Cancer Center/
Bridgeport Hospital,
Bridgeport, CT
Norwalk Hospital,
Norwalk, CT
Open Door Family
Medical Center,
Port Chester, NY
Stamford Hospital,
Stamford, CT
White Plains Hospital,
White Plains, NY
Yale-New Haven
Hospital,
New Haven, CT

1 We focus on crucial early-stage research.

Breast Cancer Alliance is a premiere private foundation committed to funding early-stage, innovative and impactful research not yet eligible for federal grants. BCA uniquely bridges that gap by providing exceptional researchers with scientific venture capital, propelling life-changing scientific hypotheses from the conceptual stage to reality.



Educating our supporters with leading experts at our medical symposium



Meeting with our grantees to learn about the research we underwrote

2 We support brilliant talent in the field.

Breast Cancer Alliance understands that survival rates and quality of life are dramatically improved when patients are in the care of specially trained breast surgeons. As a result, BCA uniquely funds breast surgery fellowships at Society of Surgical Oncology-accredited institutions. These highly skilled surgeons go on to work at institutions across the United States. Through its Young Investigator Grants, BCA helps launch the careers of promising new scientists as well.

3 We eliminate barriers of access to essential breast care.

Breast cancer survival rates are near 90% due to advances in early detection and improved education. BCA funds breast health education programs and covers costs associated with mammograms, biopsies and other breast cancer-related services, lessening the burden for underserved women.



Funding screening for the underserved

We continue to improve the outlook on breast cancer and **are proud to have awarded \$30 million in critical grants since 1996.** With federal funds for research and healthcare for the underserved at uncertain junctures, private philanthropy is more important **now** than ever. It is private philanthropy that will fund the path to cures for breast cancer.



Learn how you can be involved with BCA.

BCA's success is a result of partnerships with leaders across the U.S. including those on our prestigious Medical Advisory Board, our Board of Directors, our Advisory Council and our External Scientific Review Committee. Together with legions of energetic volunteers and our generous supporters, Breast Cancer Alliance is making a difference for women and men affected by breast cancer.