



Project Title: Breast Screening Project

Amount: \$84,166

Project Description:

BAPTIST HEALTH Medical Center-Little Rock (BHMC-LR) was fortunate to receive a grant of \$66,010 from the Komen Foundation in 2006 to support the BAPTIST HEALTH Community Breast Screening Project to increase breast cancer screening among low socio-economic, minority, and medically underserved women in central Arkansas. The project was very successful with approximately 88 participants below the age of 20 served within the first six months. Upon evaluation of this project, BHMC-LR identified the need to adjust the demand of this service by increasing the number of diagnostic and treatment services for patients in this project. Diagnostic and treatment services are included in the continuum of care provided by the BAPTIST HEALTH Breast Center and include the services of a Breast Health Specialist to access and monitor the physical, psychological and social needs of the patient and educate patients regarding treatment options, support services, and self-care skills.

Service Area:

