

Ask the Doctor October 2016:

We need your help!

Don't give insurance companies an **excuse to not pay for mammograms** for women in their 40's!

Please: **Sign our petition**: Link to: <https://www.change.org/p/all-women-over-the-age-of-30-start-mammograms-at-age-40-not-50> .

A government appointed task force (USPSTF) is recommending women start mammographic screening at age 50, do it every other year and stop at age 74. These guidelines are based on **flawed data**. They are all about cost containment (for details see: beawarefoundation.org "drop-down: 40 not 50 campaign").

Congress has placed a temporary moratorium on these new screening guidelines. The moratorium expires next year. We are on a campaign to **permanently block** these recommendations.

We need your help.

Please sign our petition and send it to all your contacts

For more information on our 40 not 50 campaign link to:
beawarefoundation.org (drop down 40 not 50). **Your comments or suggestions would be much appreciated.**

Thanks in advance for your support

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