JonesRadiology

3D Mammography

Digital Breast Tomosynthesis

Jones Radiology is pleased to offer Digital Breast Tomosynthesis (DBT) in five metropolitan locations and several regional clinics. Our breast imaging services are supported by our team of breast radiographers, sonographers and are reported by our breast imaging radiologists.

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Digital Breast Tomosynthesis (DBT) offers the potential advantage of detecting breast cancer where standard digital mammography may be limited by dense breast tissue or overlapping tissues which may hide a lesion.

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Referral clinical criteria may include (but is not limited to):

- The patient or a family member has been diagnosed with breast cancer.
- A medical practitioner found symptoms and/or indicators suspicious for malignancy (cancer).
- The patient presented with breast tenderness and/or dense breast tissue.

Key Benefits of Digital Breast Tomosynthesis

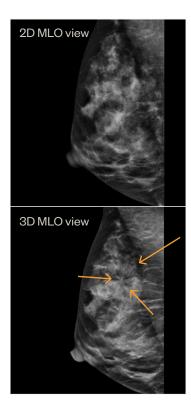
- Improved sensitivity and specificity of cancer detection in all breasts.
- Increased cancer detection in dense breast tissue above what is achievable in standard digital mammography alone.
- Reduced recall rates for assessment of benign lesions.

A clearer picture



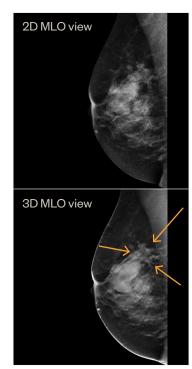
DBT Case Study 01

Clinical History	• 50 year old female
	Strong family history of breast cancer
	Dense breasts (BIRADS D) on previous mammogram
Examination	Routine screening with Tomosynthesis
Findings	Routine mammogram showed normal appearances
	Tomosynthesis showed a small stellate mass superiorly in the right breast
Conclusion	• 7mm, grade 1 carcinoma. Fully excised



DBT Case Study 02

Clinical History	• 59 year old female
	• Lumpy breasts, new palpable lump superiorly in the right breast
Examination	Routine mammogram with Tomosynthesis
Findings	Routine mammogram showed multiple circumscribed masses consistent with cysts
	Tomosynthesis showed additional stellate lesion superiorly
	Ultrasound showed cysts at palpable lump but second solid irregular mass measuring 26mm
Conclusion	Invasive lobular carcinoma



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