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**Assemblyman Brian Manktelow** knows cancer doesn't stop at the end of October - neither does he.

PLEASE GET SCREENED RESOURCES INSIDE.



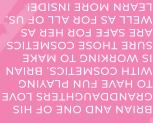
FOR BREAST CANCER -











and our families - just as hard as he's working to protect his own. over. Our Assemblyman knows cancer doesn't stop when we turn the calendar, Manktelow, a father and grandfather, doesn't forget just because the month is October may be Breast Cancer Awareness Month but Assemblyman Brian

## **OUR ASSEMBLYMAN, BRIAN MANKTELOW,**

is working to make our world safer from cancer-causing agents and to ensure that we have access to affordable health care – including cancer screenings and treatment. That's why Brian has partnered with The Breast Cancer Coalition to promote resources for women in the Greater Rochester and Finger Lakes Region (including Wayne County), and at our state Capitol Brian is sponsoring legislation to:

- Regulate ingredients in consumer products through the creation of , the "Safe Personal Care and Cosmetics Act" (A.6969).
- Ban the use of certain restricted substances in menstrual products including, but not limited to, talc, lead, and mercury (A.5990-A).
- Additionally, Brian voted YES on Shannon's Law to require insurance companies to eliminate any fees or co-pays for all screening mammograms for anyone aged 35 or older (A.5502-A of 2019).

At least 80 countries, including Japan, Cambodia and Vietnam, have stricter regulations on chemicals used in personal care products than the United States.<sup>1</sup>

#### PLEASE GET SCREENED

Depending on your age and other factors, your doctor may recommend screening mammograms around age 40. Mammograms are widely available for free, should you be concerned about cost, and is a safe, simple and a quick process – for most, it will be a relief to

The average American woman uses 12 different personal care products daily.<sup>2</sup>

Breast Cancer remains the number one cancer among women in New York.<sup>3</sup>

have a clean bill of health. Additionally, it is important

to talk to your doctor about other cancer screenings as well. For women, these include gynecological cancers like ovarian or cervical cancer and for men, prostate cancer. Everyone can benefit from having moles checked as skin cancer can develop rapidly.

If you, or someone you care about, has recently been diagnosed with breast cancer, a gynecological cancer or

need resources, please speak with your doctor or contact:

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Email: info@BreastCancerCoalition.org

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OR



# NEW YORK STATE BREAST CANCER SERVICES' 24/7 REFERRAL & SUPPORT HOTLINE

Phone: 1-866-442-CANCER (2262) Text: "Get Screened" to 81336

https://www.ny.gov/get-screened-no-excuses/

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3. https://statecancerprofiles.cancer.gov/quick-profiles/index.php?statename=newyork



