

Understanding Your Risk Rating

TH1- Normal Non-Vascular Image

- Normal with minimal risk of cancer.
- When compared to each other, both breasts are even in temperature and cool (dark colors).

TH2- Normal Vascular Image

- Normal with minimal risk of cancer
- Evenly distributed areas of heat (blood vessels) in both breasts.
- If present, specific vascular patterns indicate increased estrogen activity.

TH3- Equivocal Image (Questionable)

- Classified between normal and abnormal.
- One breast with one primary or two secondary thermovascular findings.
- Early follow-up infrared examination is indicated to monitor the stability and/or possible progression of any noted regions of interest.

TH4- Abnormal Image

- Increased risk that a cancer may be present.
- Aggressive heated blood vessels in one breast vs. the other.
- Higher risk of future breast cancer when other tests are negative.
- Additional diagnostic imaging may be indicated to monitor the stability and/or possible progression of any noted regions of interest.

TH5- Severely Abnormal Image

- Increased risk that cancer may be present.
- Highly aggressive heated blood vessels in one breast vs. the other.
- Higher risk of future breast cancer when other tests are negative.
- Additional diagnostic imaging may be indicated to monitor the stability and/or possible progression of any noted regions of interest.

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Midwest Thermography

At Midwest Thermography, we are dedicated to educating patients and health care providers about the benefits of thermography, its intended use and the correct methods of thermal imaging and interpretation

Thermography is a non-invasive, infrared imaging system free of ionizing radiation that visualizes and documents temperature variations. This allows for visualization of physiological changes in the body, such as hormone imbalances and health risks associated with one's lifestyle. Imaging such as x-rays, mammography, ultrasound, and MRI's are utilized to detect abnormal structures within the body. Both are completely different pieces of information that are complementary in the detection process.

Clinical Thermography is used for monitoring treatment progress of many conditions including:

- Breast Health
- Dental Irritation
- Dental Misalignment
- Headache Patterns
- Hormone Imbalance
- Inflammatory Conditions
- Musculoskeletal Pain
- Spider Veins
- Spinal Misalignment
- Sports Injuries
- Thyroid Problems
- Varicose Veins



An Integrative Approach



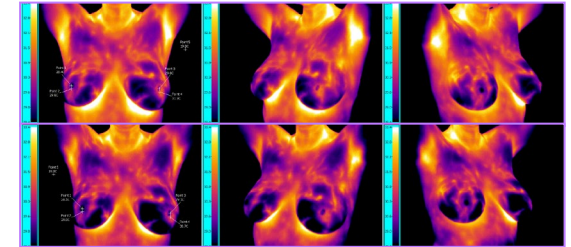
At Midwest Thermography, we strive to offer services with integrity, quality and excellent customer service in a safe, comfortable environment.

- No Doctor's Referral Needed
- Infrared Imaging Technology that is Non-invasive and Free of Ionizing Radiation
- FDA Approved as an Adjunct Imaging Study to Other Diagnostic Testing and Exams
- Certified Female Thermographic Technicians
- Breast Thermogram Reports Include a Hormonal Grade for Estrogen Activity

Midwest Thermography provides thermal imaging services as an assessment tool to be used in addition to standard screening and/or diagnostic examinations. It is not a stand-alone examination and cannot diagnose or rule out the presence of injury or disease. When interpreting these images, we look for unusual patterns of warmth and cooling that can suggest inflammation and circulatory changes that may suggest risk for various types of injury and disease. Since the causes of most of the examination findings cannot be determined by the thermal images alone, additional examinations are always required before a final diagnosis can be made.

- Initial Breast Scan \$250
- Return Breast Scan \$200
- Half Body Scan \$300 (With Breast Scan \$350)
- Full Body Scan \$400 (With Breast Scan \$450)
- Head & Neck Scan \$125

Breast Thermography



At Midwest Thermography, we believe more has to be done for prevention of hormone related cancers. By the time mammography and ultrasound detect an issue, a pathology may have already developed. Thermography helps to detect risk factors early to allow time to make a change before a diagnosis may occur. Breast thermography is a valuable addition to breast health screening because of its ability to monitor physiological changes in the breast tissue, such as lifestyle effects on breast health. This assists doctors in formulating more effective treatment and prevention plans, as well as monitoring the effectiveness of these treatments and lifestyle changes.

Breast thermograms and hormone testing are recommended yearly, with any of the following risk factors:

- Obesity & Belly Fat
- Use of ANY Hormone Replacement Therapy
- Hormone Imbalance
- History of Birth Control Use
- Fibrocystic or Dense Breast Tissue
- Gynecomastia in Men
- Family History of Hormone Related Cancer(s)
- Personal History of Hormone Related Cancer(s)
- Red Dots on the Tongue
- Red Spots (Cherry Angiomas) on the Abdomen
- Eating Commercially or Conventionally Grown Foods
- Exposure To Xenoestrogens in Environmental Chemicals/Products