

Jennifer Jones: My name's Jennifer Jones. I'm a mammography tech at Ephraim McDowell and I've been working for Ephraim for 11 years.

Kathy Murphy: My name is Kathy Murphy, and I have been with Ephraim McDowell since '94.

Jennifer Jones: We are a unique facility here in Danville, Kentucky, and we actually can give patients same day reads. They come in for their screening mammogram. We show the pictures to our radiologist and the patient can get an answer same day. If they are having a lump or a problem, we can do ultrasound and any other imaging that they need while they're here. At that point, if they do need a biopsy, then we do biopsies at our hospital.

Kathy Murphy: When they remodeled the second floor here at Ephraim Diagnostic Center, and we were named the Ephraim Women's Breast & Health Center. They remodeled the entire second floor specifically for mammography and women's breast health procedures. So we do have two private registration areas. And once you are registered, you go back to what we call our tranquility area. So we play some soft music and we have our essential oil diffuser. We have our warm robes. Once you change into your warm robe for your procedure, we do take your belongings to a locker, have that locked away, so you don't have to carry your things with you. And while you wait for your results, you can help yourself to some refreshments and kick your feet up and enjoy a little rest for a while.

We do have two mammography rooms, so we can get through our patients in pretty good, quick time, but they'll sit there and wait for the results from the radiologist. And usually it just takes a few minutes to get those results.

Jennifer Jones: We have things a lot better off than our moms and grandmas did. We have really great technology now, and I promise we'll take good care of you.