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Mobile mammography service to visit Standoff

STANDOFF — Alberta Health Services' Screen Test program will be in Standoff this month to provide screening mammograms to eligible individuals aged 45-74.

A mobile mammography trailer will be at the Blood Tribe Department of Health — Health Centre June 26-28.

Appointments are required. Call 1-800-667-0604 to book an appointment or learn more about the program.

A mammogram is an X-ray of the breast. Screening mammograms are the best way to find breast cancer early, when treatment may work better. Getting screened for breast cancer saves lives.

More information about breast cancer screening and who is eligible can be found by visiting https://screeningforlife.ca/breast/get-screened/#who_should_get_screened.

Visit <https://screeningforlife.ca/breast/screen-test-mobile-clinics/> for more information and a complete listing of communities that the Screen Test mobile visits.

Screen Test is improving access to cancer screening for thousands of individuals in Alberta communities where mammograms are not readily available.

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