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Doshier now offers 3-D mammography screening

SOUTHPORT—Digital tomosynthesis for the breast, or three-dimensional mammography, is now available at Doshier Memorial Hospital.

“Two-dimensional mammograms are good for identifying calcification in breast tissue, while 3-D provides radiologists a clearer view of overlapping tissue and improves detection of invasive cancers. Our mammography unit does both simultaneously,” Connie Pitman, MHA, CNMT, director, Doshier Diagnostic Imaging, says. “It’s the same high-tech equipment as used at larger hospitals.”

In recognition of Breast Cancer Awareness Month in October, Doshier has gifts for the first 300 mammography patients. For an appointment or more information, patients may call 910-457-3948.

Read more at Doshier.org/Diagnostics.

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Lead technologist Elizabeth Walker prepares a patient for a 3-D mammography screening at Doshier Memorial Hospital.