

Cancer rehabilitation is relatively new in the healthcare system. So much focus has always been on removing or decreasing cancer in the body that issues related to characteristics such as endurance, balance, emotional well being, and social participation can be overlooked. The sequela of treatment of the cancer leads to impairments which impacts everyday life during treatment or after treatment has been completed months to years later. These issues can severely limit an individual from leading a healthy and productive life. Therefore, cancer rehabilitation is now becoming an essential piece of cancer care.

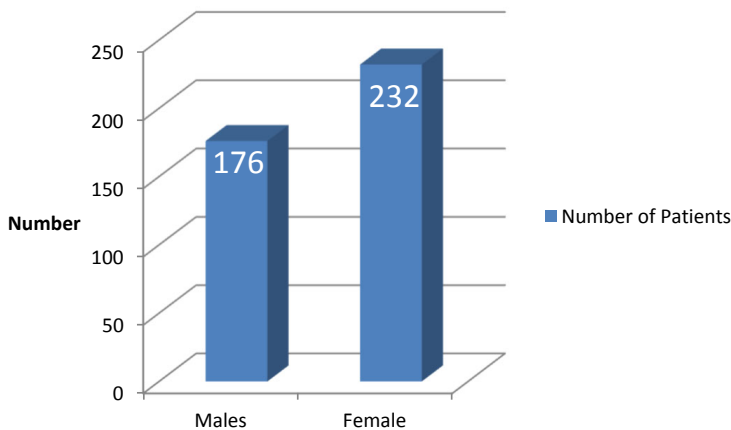
The Cancer Rehab Program offers important physical and psychological rehabilitation to survivors so they can recover more quickly and more completely than they would otherwise. Feeling well and being able to resume normal day-to-day activities is essential to enjoying a good quality of life for survivors and their families.

About Our Patients**

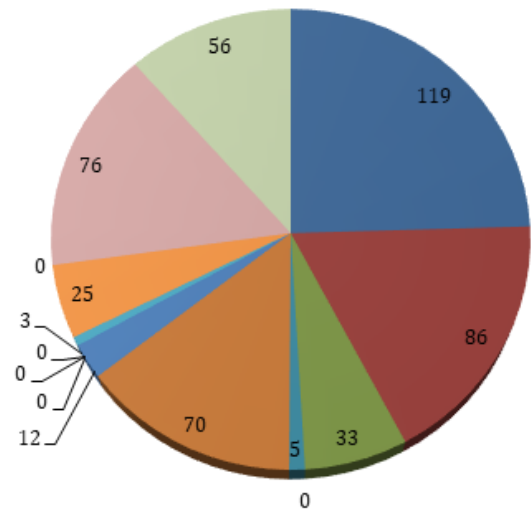
In 2018, the Outpatient Cancer Rehab program treated 277 patients ranging in age from 24- 89. Of those 176 were male and 232 were female. The primary diagnoses treated were Prostate, Breast Cancer, and a type of Head and Neck Cancer. The average age was 62 years old.

Touro receives many types of referrals with Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, and Speech Therapy receiving the highest number of referrals. Touro's conversions rate for those referred who started therapy was 57%.

2018 Gender Mix

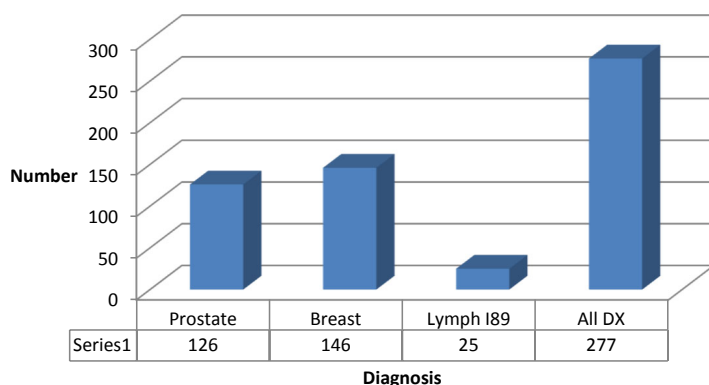


Referral by Type - 2018 YTD



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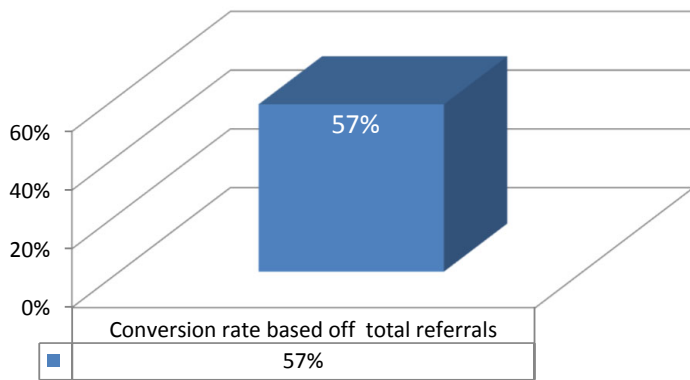
2018 Top 3 Diagnoses



- YTD OT
- YTD PT
- YTD SLP
- YTD Physiatrist
- YTD Lymphedema/Hd & Neck
- YTD Lymphedema/Upper Extr OT
- YTD Lymphedema/Lower Extr OT
- YTD Lymphedema/Upper Extr PT
- YTD Lymphedema/Lower Extr PT
- YTD Nutrition
- YTD OT Wellness
- YTD Swallow Study
- YTD Counseling
- YTD Prehab Pelvic
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Our conversion rate for those referred to therapy was 57%.

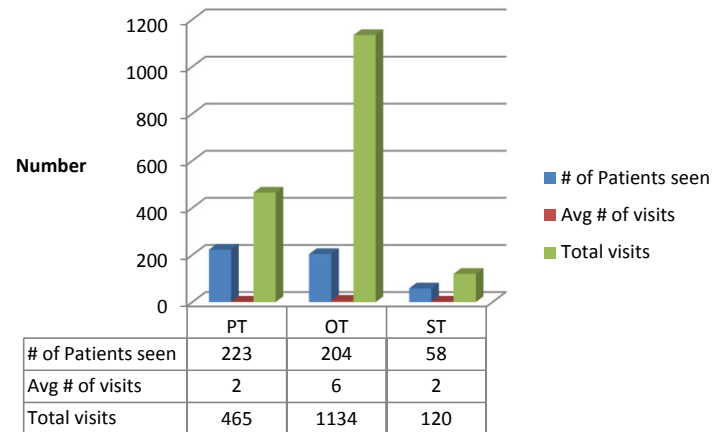
2018 Conversion Rate



Length of Treatment

Patients seen for Physical Therapy averaged 2 visits, Occupational Therapy averaged 6 visits, and Speech Therapy averaged 2 visits per referral.

2018 Cancer Rehab Visits



Of those served, patients selected 5 (strongly agree) – “I would recommend this rehabilitation program to others.”

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Cancer Rehab works in concert with Touro's Cancer Program. The Cancer Rehab staff participate in the Commission on Cancer (COC) Survey process.