



A Breath of Hope
Lung Foundation

Why a women's wellness event?

Lung cancer kills more women than any other cancer, yet it is one of the least funded cancer research fields and one of the only cancers where patients are blamed and held responsible for their disease. Half of each year's diagnoses occur among women who don't smoke, yet EVERY woman feels the unfair stigma associated with lung cancer; a stigma that causes unnecessary additional pain for patients and their families.

Lung cancer kills nearly twice as many women as breast cancer each year in the U.S.

Over 25,000 American women who have never smoked will be diagnosed with lung cancer this year.

In response to alarming statistics around a disease that has been signaled out for judgement and blame, *A Breath of Hope Lung Foundation* holds an annual Women's Wellness Tea to bring attention to the disease, support women who face this devastating disease, and focus on wellness messages that can benefit each of us, regardless of age or current health status.

A special thank you to **MN Oncology** and **Virginia Piper Cancer Institute**, part of Allina Health for their sponsorship of this event.

Reasons you should attend!

- **Excellent speakers:** Dr. Nancy Hutchison and Molly McShane on cancer rehabilitation, cancer survivorship and general wellness tips to help prevent and heal from serious illness.
- **Fabulous silent auction:** More than 50 items...from designer handbags to everyday bags, to costume jewelry, to fine jewelry...and one beautiful oil painting!
- **Yummy food:** Healthy, delicious and elegant!
- **Great diversion:** Help! I need to forget about winter!
- **Fun:** Women's events just are.

Women's Wellness Tea

Saturday, March 1, 2-4pm at The Marsh; 15000 Minnetonka Boulevard, Minnetonka.

[REGISTER NOW!](#)

Feel free to call us if you prefer to pay by phone or hold a spot: 952-456-2463

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