

Breast Cancer: Late Diagnosis, Nurses Implicated.

The prenatal patient reported pain in her breast to her physician in April but did not have biopsy until August, which was positive for cancer. During two check-ups in May she reported the same pain to the nurses, but they did nothing.

The patient died in October. The jury in the Circuit Court, Cook County, Illinois awarded the family \$1,500,000. **Hollister v. NW Association, 2010 WL 4358538 (Cir. Ct. Cook Co., Illinois, September 22, 2010).**