



From the Executive Director: A Deep Sense of Urgency

By Karuna Jaggar, Executive Director

My feet are sore, but my heart is strong. Like many of you, I've been protesting a range of issues—three protests in six days. Here's what I've been drawing inspiration from. Civil rights leader and Congressperson John Lewis recently wrote:

"Our struggle is not the struggle of a day, a week, a month or a year, it is the struggle of a lifetime. Never, ever be afraid to make some noise and get in good trouble, necessary trouble."



Breast Cancer Action has never been afraid to get into good and necessary trouble. We speak up, we speak out, even when it's unpopular. We are an ambitious organization that feels a deep sense of urgency—because we know first-hand what is at stake.

We know the stomach-churning fear that comes with a breast cancer diagnosis. We know the physical and financial costs of treatment. We know the terror that treatment will not work and that the cancer will return or spread. We know what it means to say goodbye to loved ones.

This work is personal. And incredibly urgent.

As part of the incredible team here at Breast Cancer Action, doing this work day in and day out, I have to balance the impatience that comes from this urgency with a persistence grounded in the reality that change takes time. A fact that is especially true for some of the biggest and most impactful changes. This issue of *The Source* includes some examples of important changes that were many years in the making, and the result of many people's determination and work.

There is no better example than the landmark U.S. Supreme Court win, litigated by the ACLU, to overturn Myriad Genetics' patent on the human BRCA1 and BRCA2 genes. On June 13, we celebrated the 5th anniversary of this win with a [free webinar](#) for our members, featuring two women who propelled this historic case to victory! [Barbara Brenner](#), Breast Cancer Action's first executive director, who led this organization for fifteen years and built it into a national watchdog, signed the

organization onto the case as a plaintiff back in 2009. Even before the case began winding its way through the courts, a process that lasted five years, our founders objected to corporate control of the human BRCA genes during the mid-1990s. And even after the Supreme Court win, there's been more work to do. We've worked on issues related to genetic testing, including supporting efforts to free the data, monitoring threatening legislation that could reverse the ruling, supporting the ACLU's filing to enforce patients' rights to their data under HIPAA, pushing for strong Food and Drug Administration (FDA) regulation of genetic tests and opposing direct-to-consumer genetic testing.

This June was also a marker of significant progress in treatment thanks to a study that showed fewer women need chemotherapy after surgery for breast cancer. Although it may feel counterintuitive to see that a step forward would come in the form of actually pulling back on treatment, the truth is that reducing overtreatment has been an important focus of breast cancer activism—going all the way back to the radical Hallstead mastectomy. The ability to spare tens of thousands of women each year from the harmful effects of chemotherapy that's not benefiting them is a major medical advance. And at the same time, it doesn't overshadow the need for more effective treatments so fewer women die from the disease. We'll continue to work for more effective, less toxic treatments for metastatic breast cancer.

We've also faced setbacks over the past few months. At the end of May, President Trump signed into law the federal Right to Try bill that we, along with patient watchdog groups, had spent the last year trying to stop. Now that the worse version of the bill (the Senate version) is law, we have an important role to play in helping people who want to access experimental drugs outside of the clinical trial process understand their choices, helping them understand the FDA's existing compassionate use pathway and the important protections that are lost when patients go directly to drug companies as permitted by Right to Try.

This issue of *The Source* contains more information about these treatment related issues, as well as information about our work to prevent toxic exposures by working to end fracking and dangerous drilling in California. As Governor Jerry Brown enters his final months in office we, as part of the leadership group of a broad coalition of more than 800 national organizations, are demanding he take bold action to protect our public health and our planet. It's urgent that we stop cancer before it starts, and it's #BrownsLastChance to prevent cancer and climate change before he leaves office. No matter where you live in the U.S., look for opportunities to help build the pressure in the coming months.

The stakes are high. There's so much that needs to change right now to address and end the breast cancer epidemic. As we face the overwhelming number of threats to women's lives and bodies, I draw strength from Breast Cancer Action's track record of unlikely wins against great odds. Wins you have helped make possible.

There's no doubt that there's work to do. Work that matters for the millions of people who are living with and at risk of breast cancer. Work that can't be separated from the larger push for social justice. Work that makes sure women's health never gets sidelined.

And I can assure you, we will not rest until lives and communities aren't threatened by breast cancer. We will resist. We will persist! Thank you for joining us in the #CancerResistance.

In solidarity,

Karuna

When a Huge Step Forward is Rolling Back a Common Treatment: The TAILORx Study Means Fewer Women Need Chemotherapy

By Karuna Jaggar, Executive Director

When we speak about advances in medicine, most people think of new treatments that work better than existing treatments, or maybe work as well as existing treatments but come with fewer side effects. Rarely is a reduction in the numbers of people who receive treatment seen as an advance.

But that was exactly the buzz this weekend at the annual meeting of the American Society of Clinical Oncology. A new study will transform treatments for the most common type of breast cancer: instead of adding a new treatment, the TAILORx study results released this weekend dramatically expanded the number of women with hormone positive breast cancer who can safely skip chemotherapy.

TAILORx used a common genomic test, Oncotype DX, to identify which women with early stage, hormone positive breast cancer which has not spread to the lymph nodes who do not need to receive chemotherapy. Chemotherapy has long been a mainstay of breast cancer treatment. Oncotype DX has been marketed since 2004 to predict the likelihood of cancer recurrence for this group of patients after surgery. However, until now, the test was most useful only for those patients with the lowest and the highest scores (under 10 and over 25, respectively).

Around one in six patients receive a low Oncotype score (10 or lower) which indicates a low risk of



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recurrence and no likely benefit from chemotherapy. Another one out of six patients receive a high Oncotype score (above 25) indicating a likely benefit of chemotherapy. The remaining two thirds of patients receive an intermediate score (between 11-25), which until now has been a relative gray zone where the likelihood benefit of chemotherapy was not well understood. With cancer, too often the default is generally more is better and as a result most women in these situations have been treated with chemotherapy.

The TAILORx study divided close to seven thousand women with hormone receptor positive, HER2 negative, node negative early stage breast cancer with an intermediate OncotypeDX score (between 11 and 25) into two groups after surgery: one group received the standard chemotherapy plus hormone therapy while the other group received only hormone therapy. At nine years, overall survival and recurrence were essentially the same in the two treatment groups, although some benefit of chemotherapy was found in women under age 50 with a recurrence score of 16 or above.

The results of this large, well designed study that followed women for nearly a decade is considered practice changing. The researchers concluded that women over age 50 with an Oncotype score of 25 or lower do not need to be treated with chemotherapy for hormone positive, lymph node negative breast cancer. Patients age 50 or younger with an Oncotype score of 16 or above may get some benefit from chemotherapy, the researchers said. Dr. Joseph A. Sparano, of Montefiore Medical Center, who presented the study results said that practically, this means: "Application of this test in clinical practice in this population could be estimated to spare chemotherapy in 69% and to select chemotherapy in 31%, on average."

The ability to reduce overtreatment, is in fact a huge step forward in breast cancer treatment. While it does not overshadow the need for more effective treatments so fewer women die from the disease, the ability to spare tens of thousands of women each year from the harmful effects of chemotherapy that is not benefiting them is undoubtedly a major medical advance.

Hey, Hey! Ho, Ho! Toxic Chemicals Have Got to Go!

By Kaunra Jaggar, Executive Director

Why is a breast cancer organization working on what some people consider a climate change issue? Because fracking and dangerous drilling threatens our health, as well as the planet.

Join us in calling on California's Governor Jerry Brown to put the health and well-being of people over the profits of big oil and gas companies.

[Tell Gov. Brown to stop the expansion of the fossil fuel](#)



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industry and end toxic extraction processes before he leaves office next year.

Because California is both the third-largest oil-producing state and the leading food-producing state, strong protections here can benefit millions more beyond California's state lines. Oil and gas workers and nearby residents, often low-income and people of color, have higher cancer risks, increased asthma attacks, higher hospitalization rates, and more rashes and upper respiratory problems.

In our interconnected world, everyone is at risk of exposure to the toxic chemicals used by oil and gas industries when they contaminate the air we breathe and the water we drink. And **we know that our involuntary exposure to these toxic chemicals can increase the risk of breast cancer.**

It's long past the time to act on what we know.

That's why we're proud to be one of a core group of organizations leading more than 800 environmental, labor, health, and social justice organizations from around the globe in demanding that Gov. Brown do the right thing and take a bold step to protect our health.

Join us in calling on Gov. Brown to ban all new oil and gas infrastructure and protect the health of people across the country.

Free Webinar: 5 Years After the Supreme Court Decision to Overturn Gene Patents: Where do We Stand?

On June 13, 2018, we celebrated the 5th anniversary of the landmark U.S. Supreme Court ruling to overturn one company's patent on the human BRCA 1 and 2 genes with a webinar featuring the two women who propelled this historic case to victory!

Learn about the landmark case overturning Myriad Genetics' patents on what are popularly known as the "breast cancer genes"—which are linked to hereditary breast cancer risk in some families. And find out what's happened in the five years since the Supreme Court overturned the company's monopoly on genetic testing for breast cancer risk.



Our featured speakers: ACLU staff attorney **Sandra Park, JD**, one of the lead attorneys on the case, and **Tania Simoncelli, MS**, director of policy for science at the Chan

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Zuckerberg Initiative, who heralded the original case as the ACLU's Science Advisor. They discuss their work together on the landmark case and the ongoing issues related gene patents and genetic testing.

In 2009, Breast Cancer Action was proud to join the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) as a plaintiff on the case against Myriad Genetics, making us the *only* breast cancer organization to do so. On June 13, 2013, the Supreme Court ruled in our favor and struck down Myriad Genetics' patents, *ruling that all naturally occurring genes are not patentable*.

This webinar covers what's happened in the five years since the historic ruling, plus the current issues related to data biobanks, direct to consumer genetic testing, patients' rights to genetic data, and more.

We're Hiring!

Want to work at Breast Cancer Action? We're looking for a full-time Campaigns Coordinator to join our small, but mighty team. Come work with us to help achieve health justice for all women at risk of & living with breast cancer. Read more about the position:

[National Campaigns Coordinator](#)

[ABOUT BREAST CANCER ACTION](#)



Breast Cancer Action is not your typical breast cancer organization. Our passionate, talented, tireless staff and our engaged grassroots membership are our strength. Since our founding in 1990, we have had an outsized impact because of the power of people coming together. We are currently hiring an accomplished Campaigns Coordinator to lead and run our national online campaigns.

Breast Cancer Action's founders knew that their personal tragedy was part of a larger public health crisis. Our work to achieve health justice for all women living with and at risk of breast cancer has always been grounded in the fact that breast cancer is a social justice issue. Today, Breast Cancer Action is known as the watchdog for the breast cancer movement. We work for system change that addresses the root causes of the breast cancer epidemic.

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Radical and compassionate, we never shy away from the hard truths. We tell it like it is and refuse to blame anyone for their breast cancer, because:

- More than a quarter million women are diagnosed with breast cancer each year;
- Black women are 40% more likely to die and people of color fare worse after a diagnosis;
- Involuntary chemical exposures throughout our lives are linked to increased risk of breast cancer and 90% of breast cancers are not linked to family history or genetic mutations;
- Corporations boost sales with pink ribbon products for awareness, yet fail to take steps to ensure their products don't increase the risk of breast cancer;
- Pharma and biotech make billions in profits even though most new cancer drugs don't help patients live longer and there is still no cure for metastatic breast cancer;
- Pink ribbon culture shifts the burden to patients' attitude and behavior by telling us to just "stay positive" and "fight like a girl" when we are diagnosed.

Breast Cancer Action is fiercely independent and refuses corporate funding from any company that profits from or contributes to breast cancer, which means we can do the work that other breast cancer organizations don't do.

We value diversity and each member of our team brings their own diverse lived experiences along with the depth of their professional expertise to inform and enrich our work together. We are an ambitious organization and successful team members bring big, bold ideas as well as a relentless determination to get the actual work done. Our work together is deeply collaborative and driven by our organizational values.

For more information about our work please visit www.bcaction.org and www.thinkbeforeyoupink.org.

ABOUT THE ROLE

The Campaigns Coordinator plans and executes all of our national online campaigns and on-the-ground actions, most notably Think Before You Pink® (TB4UP), which calls for accountability and transparency in mainstream pink ribbon marketing and culture. In addition to our annual TB4UP corporate campaign, we do year-round policy, advocacy and educational campaigns on key breast cancer issues. This person will work closely with other key staff and organizational partners to identify both rapid response and proactive campaigns.

The Coordinator works to expand and engage our diverse national membership. In addition to running online campaigns, the Campaigns Coordinator develops webinars and other educational

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materials in support of our work. This is an exciting opportunity for a proven grassroots digital organizer who is eager to work collaboratively in pursuit of big goals.

The Campaigns Coordinator is a full time, salaried position based in San Francisco and reports to the Executive Director.

RESPONSIBILITIES

Take action: Develop and implement online grassroots campaigns from start to finish

- Develop campaign strategy and project plans for all of our corporate, educational, and legislative campaigns;
- Execute effective campaigns to mobilize national membership and attract media attention in order to achieve programmatic wins;
- Lead the development and execution of our annual Think Before You Pink campaign;
- Identify and evaluate potential campaigns and direct actions, and seek stakeholder input;
- Manage all aspects of our campaigns, including writing ealerts and other collateral, keeping to timeline, coordinating tasks across staff, tracking goals, etc.

Organize: Engage and expand our membership and build organizational partnerships

- Expand and engage Breast Cancer Action's national grassroots membership;
- Represent Breast Cancer Action in partner coalitions and build new relationships;
- Recruit and manage key volunteer leaders, most notably from our Community Leaders program.

Educate: Develop and disseminate evidence-based educational materials

- Develop and disseminate engaging and inspiring educational and campaign materials;
- Manage our educational webinar series on a wide range of breast cancer topics;
- Contribute content to newsletter, e-alerts, website, social media, reports, etc.
- Research and stay informed about breast cancer issues central to Breast Cancer Action's mission and work, including and not limited to the links between environmental toxins and breast cancer, fracking and dangerous drilling, healthcare access, FDA approval process, regulatory protections, etc.;

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- Serve as an inspiring advocate, educator, and spokesperson.

Other duties as needed, including and not limited to:

- Support organizational mission and strategic priorities;
- Bring social justice analysis and grounding to all work;
- Participate in cross-departmental collaboration and support;
- Assist in developing and keeping to Program budget.

QUALIFICATIONS

Applicants should have a demonstrated understanding of and commitment to women's health issues from a feminist perspective, social and environmental justice, and grassroots organizing. The successful applicant is a talented and strategic grassroots organizer with demonstrated experience running online campaigns, is a powerful communicator and strong facilitator who can engage diverse stakeholders, is self-motivated and an excellent multi-tasker, and enthusiastically embraces the mission and work of Breast Cancer Action.

- Ability to manage multiple projects and tasks at the same time, juggling short-term and long-term tasks and priorities in a fast-paced environment;
- Ability to inspire others and motivate a diverse range of individuals to take action and strong people coordination skills;
- Ability to communicate accurately and effectively with technical and non-technical audiences;
- Passionate and enthusiastic about our work, with a proactive, can-do attitude;
- Honest and earns trust through actions and living up to agreements and meeting goals;
- Excellent interpersonal skills, combining listening skills and self-awareness;
- Quick learner with the ability to proficiently learn new information and skills;
- Exceptional judgement and willingness to ask for help;
- Sense of humor and willingness to take self lightly while working hard;
- Ability and willingness to work some evenings and weekends.

TO APPLY

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Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis and position will remain open until filled. Please email your resumé and a detailed cover letter, highlighting relevant experience along with your salary requirements, to info@bcaction.org using the subject line "Campaigns Coordinator." Please include a writing sample that provides evidence of your ability to clearly communicate complex information in an accessible way (no longer than 4 pages). No phone calls please. People of color, gender and sexual minorities, and people with a personal experience with cancer are strongly encouraged to apply.

COMPENSATION

The Campaigns Coordinator is a full-time, exempt position. Salary is commensurate with experience. Benefits include medical, dental and vision coverage and three weeks paid vacation.

Breast Cancer Action is committed to creating a diverse work environment and is proud to be an equal opportunity employer. Breast Cancer Action does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, gender, sexual orientation, religion, national origin, age, disability, parental status, veteran status, or any other protected status under applicable laws. We encourage individuals of all backgrounds to apply.

This is What the #CancerResistance Looks Like

By Karuna Jaggar, Executive Director

Breast Cancer Action has always been a radical cancer organization—from our founders to our ever-growing community of fierce, persistent activists. That's because women's bodies and women's health have always been social justice issues. As activists across the country are calling for justice and demanding change, Breast Cancer Action is leading the #CancerResistance!

DONATE NOW to support the #CancerResistance!

The country is at a crossroads, and people across the country are calling for social justice as part of a broad and powerful growing movement. #MeToo is pushing back on patriarchy and entrenched misogyny. #BlackLivesMatter is shining a light on police violence and racism. #NeverAgain is changing the conversation about gun violence. With your support, Breast Cancer Action is challenging the cancer industry as we lead the #CancerResistance.



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Your gift is more important than ever and funds our vital grassroots activism.

DONATE TODAY and we'll send you your own "This is What the Cancer Resistance Looks Like" sticker.

Thanks to the support of donors and members like you, we're fighting the cancer industry—the interconnected web of corporations that profit from and contribute to the disease while working hand in hand with multi-million dollar nonprofits to raise billions in the name of breast cancer.

And we've shown again and again that when people like you and me join together to demand a better world, we can and we do win, against the odds.

There's a lot that needs to change right now to address and end the breast cancer epidemic. And I can assure you, we will persist, until lives and communities aren't threatened by breast cancer! So much is at stake. Please donate today and join the #CancerResistance.

You Have our Back Month After Month After Month

By Lopa Pal, Development Manager

As the Development Manager at Breast Cancer Action my job is to make sure that we have the resources we need to do our one-of-a-kind work. I know just how important each and every donor's gift is. And I am especially grateful to our monthly donors, who make sure we have the resources we need month in and month out.

My work is personal to me because Breast Cancer Action's work is personal to me. Work like the compassionate, evidence-based information and resources my colleague Zoë provides every day to people trying to navigate their own breast cancer diagnosis or the diagnosis of a loved one. This isn't flashy, attention-grabbing work that makes headlines. But it's vitally important. And it makes a real difference for real people. This is the work that our monthly donors fund.



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You know Breast Cancer Action isn't your average breast cancer organization. We're fiercely independent and refuse corporate funding from any company that profits from or contributes to breast cancer. We tell it like it is and we are not beholden to Pharma or biotech or any other corporate sponsors. That's why **each and every member of our monthly donor group, our Susan Stone Circle, is so important.** Together they make sure we have the ongoing support we need to do the work you've come to expect from us.

If you'd like to join our mighty group of monthly donors, [click here.](#)

Again, thanks to every single one of you for all you do to support our work. And many thanks to our monthly donors for having our back month after month after month.

Welcome to Our New Board Member: Yamini Ranchod

By Kira Jones, Communications Manager

Our all-volunteer *Board of Directors* is a remarkable group of people who set the vision for Breast Cancer Action and lead the organization by determining organizational policy, assuring the organization's financial security, and representing Breast Cancer Action's views to the world at large. In April 2018, we welcomed Yamini Ranchod to our Board of Directors and are excited to introduce you to her. For information about our Board of Directors, [click here.](#)

Yamini Ranchod is an epidemiologist interested in the social determinants of health. Her research has included work on exposures such as neighborhood health effects, early childhood adversity, diet and physical activity and outcomes such as cardiovascular disease, pregnancy-related and cancer-related outcomes. She received her Bachelor of Science in Economics and Biology and her Doctorate in Epidemiology from the University of Michigan and her Master of Science in Epidemiology from the Harvard School of Public Health. Yamini completed her post-doctoral training at UC Berkeley.



Yamini was diagnosed with breast cancer at the age of 31, while completing her Ph.D. After navigating the challenges of a breast cancer diagnosis and treatment at a young age, Yamini connected with individuals and organizations who shared her drive to support and improve the lives of women at risk of and living with breast cancer. She is committed to working with organizations focused on reducing the burden of breast cancer. Yamini is especially interested in the role of the environment on breast cancer risk and disparities in breast cancer risk, treatment, and survival.

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What first brought you to Breast Cancer Action?

I first learned of Breast Cancer Action in 2011, when I moved to the Bay Area and heard about the Think Before You Pink® Campaign. I'd been in search of an organization that I could get involved with that was tackling systemic issues related to breast cancer and women's health. Breast Cancer Action is asking the tough questions I found myself asking, and doing the work I wanted to be involved with – it was a perfect fit.

What do you love about Breast Cancer Action?

I love that Breast Cancer Action is fearless in its commitment to taking on critical issues, organizations and policies and demanding change.

What are you most looking forward to as a new board member?

As an epidemiologist, I have been involved in contributing to the women's health space from a public health perspective. I have also been involved with a non-profit that supports people with breast cancer at the individual and small group level. What has been missing is connecting these experiences to the broader environmental, social and political issues that impact women's health and breast cancer in particular. I am excited to work with Breast Cancer Action to help shape the policies that tackle these more macro issues, as well as get involved with fundraising efforts and events to help continue this important and inspired work.

Special Thanks: Summer 2018

We could not do this work without the support of so many members and volunteers.

- Thank you to **Alan Kleinschmidt and the San Francisco Choral Society** for complimentary tickets to their wonderful performances for our staff, board & volunteers.
- Thank you to the super handyperson **Ethan Cluck** for assembling a huge piece of furniture for us!
- Thank you to **Sandra Park, JD** and **Tania Simoncelli, MS**, two women who propelled the historic U.S. Supreme Court ruling to overturn Myriad Genetics' monopoly on BRCA genetic testing risk to victory, for speaking on our webinar, "5 Years After the Supreme Court Decision to Overturn Gene Patents: Where do We Stand?"
- Thank you to our **successful peer-to-peer, online fundraisers** for raising \$4,000:

Fundraisers on our **Don't Pink For Me Platform**:
Amy Cho for her birthday and wedding day!

Everyone who made a fundraiser on Facebook in honor of their birthdays. Happy birthday to you all! And a **big thanks to all who gave to Breast Cancer Action through these fundraisers**:

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- Many, many thanks to **JoAnn Loulan** and everyone who helped make the **14th Annual Billie Gardner Loulan Memorial Luncheon** such a success:

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Every day, Breast Cancer Action receives gifts honoring those who are living with or affected by breast cancer. We also receive contributions to honor the passionate advocates, volunteers, medical professionals and leaders of the breast cancer movement.

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