

FIBROCYSTIC BREAST Nutritional Support Protocol

Lifestyle Recommendations:

- 1. Avoid tight-fitting brassieres.
- 2. Avoid aluminum-containing products such as antiperspirants and lipstick.
- 3. Practice good sleep habits and get between 8-9 hours of sleep a night. Take the "Are You Getting Enough Sleep?" questionnaire and follow Insomnia Nutritional Support Protocol if needed.
- 4. Participate in a regular balanced exercise program that includes wearing a pedometer to ensure that you collect steps and move more. High intensity short bursts (20-60 seconds) of activity during the day is recommended to enhance growth hormone release. Also engage in resistance training that works all major muscle groups (work each group at least 2 times a week).
- 5. Avoid estrogen containing BCPs and synthetic hormone replacement therapies.
- 6. Avoid stress and extra obligations.

Dietary Recommendations:

- 1. Avoid meat and chicken with added hormones. Choose organic whenever possible.
- 2. Focus your diet on complex, unrefined carbohydrates such as whole grains, vegetables and fruits with high amounts of fiber.
- 3. Emphasize omega 3 fatty acids (salmon, mackerel, herring, sardines) and omega 9 fats (olive oil, olives, almonds, hazelnuts, avocados, macadamia oil and coconut oil).
- 4. Choose lean, clean quality protein at each meal such as chicken breast, turkey breast, lean beef, fish (especially salmon and sardines), eggs and whey protein.
- 5. Limit or avoid trans fatty acids (hydrogenated vegetable oil, margarine and shortening). Cook with olive oil at a low heat.
- 6. Drink at least 64 ounces of filtered, bottled or non-chlorinated water every day. In addition, drink 2-3 cups of naturally decaffeinated green tea daily.
- 7. Avoid or limit caffeine, theophylline, theobromine containing food & drinks, alcohol and other potentially neurotoxic compounds like aspartame and MSG.

Supplement Recommendations:

In addition to the core nutrient program recommended by your Health Care Professional and/or from the results of your most recent Designs for Health Metabolic Profile:

Iodine Synergy:	1 with any meal
Ultra Gamma E Complex:	1 with breakfast and dinner, 2 per day
Ultimate Antiox Full Spectrum:	1 with each meal, 3 per day
FemGuard + Balance:	1 with each meal, 3 per day
B Supreme:	1 with breakfast daily
Phosphatidylcholine Softgels:	2 with each meal, 6 per day
Milk Thistle:	1 with each meal, 3 per day
DIM•Avail:	1 capsule with any meal
BroccoProtect:	1 capsule per day

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