

Let's Talk About **THE ABORTION-BREAST CANCER LINK**

Eve Silver

Medical Research Analyst

Executive Director

Clear Research

silver@clearresearch.org

Access Presentation:

http://www.stopabortionbreastcancer.org/washington_silver070121.pdf

Introduction

- There is a media blackout about the Abortion-Breast Cancer Link
- The medical community is denying the facts
- This calls for aggressive action:
We're gonna have to tell the truth

“Speaking the truth
in times of universal deceit
is a revolutionary act.”

George Orwell

Outline

- Important breast cancer note
- A brief history of breast cancer money and its link to Planned Parenthood
- Abortion-Breast Cancer biology
- Let's Talk About The **Abortion-Breast Cancer Link**

Breast Cancer organizations

- Claim concern for women's health
- Raise funds from the public for their work
- Teach younger women their philosophy

The women's health community is steering women away from the truth:

- Abortion often claims **two** victims
 - The Child
 - The Mother
- Abortion & Breast Cancer: a **partnership of death and disease**
- Abortion Industry & Breast Cancer Orgs.: a **social-financial partnership**

However Breast Cancer organizations promote an **agenda to:**

- Fund **abortion** through Planned Parenthood (SGK)
- Deny **abortion**-breast cancer link research (NCI)
- Slam **Abortion**-Breast Cancer organizations (NBCC)

The Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation funds breast services at PP. However...

- Planned Parenthood's breast services are **DOWN**:

- PP services **between 2002 and 2003**:

- abortions **increased** by **14,000**, while

 **breast exams decreased by more than**
141,000 (Ryan Report)

Breast Cancer Funding organizations deny the A-BC link. **Are they reliable?**

“Never let a mortician take your pulse.”

Eliezer D. Silver

The Pink Money Cycle

You give to **SGK**

SGK gives to **PP**

PP murders people

Abortion is a cause of breast cancer

Breast cancer keeps **SGK** in business

Women die of breast cancer

We give **SGK** more money



Pink Money Organizations

- **PINK MONEY FLOWS THROUGH THE VEINS** of organizations for whom the **abortion/breast cancer connection is:**
 - financially useful and/or politically expedient and
 - has a social agenda that benefits from the **A-BC information blackout**

The “Pink Money” Organizations are not immediately obvious

- **SGK** - funds PP Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation
- **PP**- supplies birth control & abortions
Planned Parenthood
- **American Cancer Society** - Withdrew its
info on the A-BC link American Cancer Society
- **NBCC** - created ridiculous award; charges to
discredit Coalition on Abortion Breast Cancer
National Breast Cancer Coalition
- **NCI** - Recognizes “*no significant link between
abortion and breast cancer*” . National Cancer Institute

Follow the Tobacco dollars trail

- **Fifty year delay** in telling the truth:
- In 1928 first study on lung cancer /smoking link from England
 - NCI finally admitted it **might be true** in the **1950's**
- **Women do not have time** for NCI to catch up with the facts

Breast cancer groups deny the A-BC link

- Supposed adherence to *following the scientific data wherever it leads* is a feint
- **When the scientific evidence disagrees with their political agenda, they choose to follow their political agenda**
- Breast cancer groups' concern for the health of women is now parallel to PP's concern for the health of the children that they abort

IT IS AN IDEALOGICAL TRAGEDY TO THINK Planned Parenthood HELPS PEOPLE

- PP is not in the business of saving lives, doing pap smears & breast cancer exams
- **Planned Parenthood is in the Business of Killing People**

The media and breast cancer groups rely upon the NCI

- The National Cancer Institute's position denies the importance of the abortion-breast cancer link:
- The NCI relies upon the Beral "meta-analysis" of the A-BC link

The Beral study has been discredited

- Because:
 - It refused to include a significant number of published, peer-reviewed studies
 - It compared aborted women **to women who had never been pregnant** rather than to women who had carried to term (among many other flaws in the study; see www.abortionbreastcancer.com web site). (Dr. Angela Lanfranchi: *Journal of Ethics and Medics*)

Important Breast Cancer Note:

- Most women who develop breast cancer never had an abortion
- No one knows all the factors that initiate breast cancer for sure
- **Abortion increases breast cancer risk**
- Prevention of all breast cancers is not yet an option
- However: **Prevention of Abortion-Breast Cancer is**

Science first

- **Dr. Janet Daling is an abortion proponent whose ideology did not drive her research:**

"I have **three sisters with breast cancer** and **I resent people messing with the scientific data to further their own agenda, be they pro-choice or pro-life.**"

"I would have loved to have found no association between breast cancer and abortion, **but our research is rock solid and our data is accurate.**"

[L.A. Daily News, Sept., 1997] [Abortion Breast Cancer Coalition]

Dr. Daling's findings: Increased Abortion-Breast Cancer risk

- General population of women have a **12%** risk of breast cancer: (12 out of 100 women)
- At greater increased risk of breast cancer:
 - Women who **never had children: 20 %**
 - **No children and 1 or more abortions: 50%**
 - **Early abortion:**
 - at young age
 - with family history (mother, sister, aunt)
 - Increased risk **before age 45: 800%**

(1990 study; Dr. Janet Daling, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Center; American Cancer Society funded)

Women deserve the truth

- Abortion increases breast cancer risk
- Even one abortion increases risk of **premature birth** (Brent Rooney 2007 International Conference on the Child)

Premature Birth

- 60 out of 60 studies show **even ONE ABORTION** significantly increases Risk of Premature Birth
 - Premature birth increases baby's risks of:
 - Cerebral Palsy
 - Hyaline Membrane Disease of the lung

Women should be told

- Birth control pills are **steroids** for women
- The World Health Organization classified Estrogen as a **CLASS ONE** carcinogen (08/2005)
- Estrogen is **carcinogenic**:
 - Birth control pills are **estrogen**/progesetrone
 - Hormone Replacement Therapy is **estrogen**

High rate of minority abortions

- Despite minorities comprising only a quarter of the population, **they account for more than half of all abortions.** (Social Justice Review)
- African American and Latina women experience **earlier, more aggressive breast cancer tumors with poorer treatment options**
- **Most Planned Parenthood locations are in minority neighborhoods**

talking points

- The ABC's of Talking to Others About the A-BC Link

A-BC Fact Sheet

The breast is the only immature organ at birth
Breast cells do not mature until after 32 weeks of pregnancy
Interruption of pregnancy before 32 weeks greatly increases
breast cancer risk

**Estrogen makes breasts grow. Estrogen is carcinogenic
to breast cells that do not mature**

There has been a 40% increase in breast cancers since the
Roe v. Wade decision

No other cancer rate has increased like abortion related
breast cancer

The causal link between abortion and breast cancer

- *"Human biology will never conform to human ideology.
For optimal health, ideology must conform to human biology."* (Karen Malec, President, Coalition on Abortion/Breast Cancer)
- *"There is a great deal at stake here. When the public learns that the causal link between abortion and breast cancer has been downplayed by the scientific community -- for reasons that are ideological rather than factual-- the feeling of betrayal will be strong."* (Edward J. Furton, M. A., Ph.D., Editor, Ethics and Medics, The Corruption of Science by Ideology Dec. 2004; vol. 29/12)

The breast is an organ

- The mammary gland is the **only** organ that is **not fully developed** at birth
- From birth to puberty (first menstrual period) breast cells are immature and **cancer vulnerable**
- At 32 weeks of pregnancy, life preserving breast cell changes occur:
 - During the last 8 weeks of a full term pregnancy, breast cells matures into milk producing **cancer-resistant cells**

Pregnancy is protective against breast cancer

- This is a universally undenied medical fact
- Full term pregnancies close to onset of menstruation protect women from breast cancer
- The first, early full term pregnancy is the most protective of all
 - It is also the most aborted of all

Background note:
Estrogen damages DNA

- **Estrogen is carcinogenic** (WHO August, 2005)
 - its carcinogenic effect is measured in parts per trillion
- **Estrogen causes breast cancer in immature breast cells: TYPE 1 and TYPE 2 lobules**

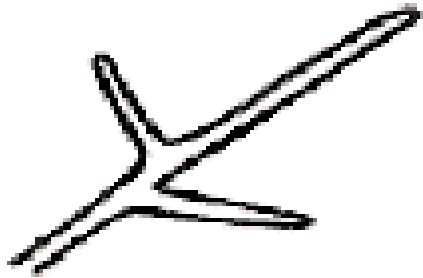
Estrogen makes breasts grow

- Women start producing substantial estrogen at puberty
- The longer women with the immature **TYPE 1** and **TYPE 2** breast cells are exposed to their own estrogens, the greater their risk of developing breast cancer
- Studies show higher risk groups include nuns and lesbians

How does breast cell conversion (differentiation) occur?

- Before puberty **TYPE 1** breast cells form
- At puberty more estrogen causes growth of **TYPE 2** lobules
- Pregnancy **rapidly increases estrogen levels** causing a dramatic healthy growth of **TYPE 1** and **TYPE 2** breast cells into healthy tissue
- At 32 weeks of pregnancy, most **TYPE 1** and **TYPE 2** lobules are changed into **TYPE 3** and **4** breast cells.
 - Think: **BROCCOLI FLORETS**
- **Type 4** lobules are the milk producing breast cells
- Both **TYPE 3** and **TYPE 4** breast cells are essentially immune to breast cancer

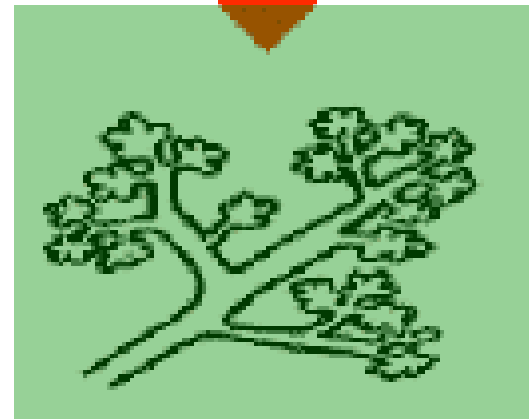
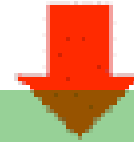
Types of Breast Lobules



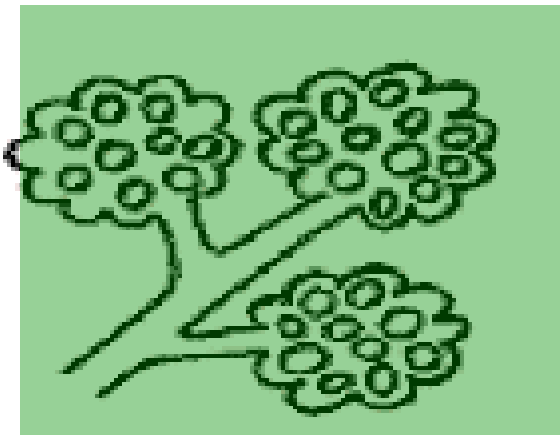
Type 1
Breast at birth



Type 2
Breast after puberty



Type 3
Breast with pregnancy
after 32 weeks



Type 4
Breast with milk

Effect of first full term pregnancy on risk

- A full term pregnancy **dramatically reduces lifetime breast cancer risk by changing the immature breast cells into mature ones**
- **The FIRST full term pregnancy has the greatest risk-reducing effect since more type 1 and 2 lobules are present prior to this pregnancy** than just before any subsequent pregnancies

Subsequent pregnancies further reduce lifetime risk

- **Reducing the time interval** from first menstruation until the first full term pregnancy also serves to limit overall lifetime risk

**Pregnancy
is Protective**

Walking and diet mitigate against breast cancer

- Eat well:
 - High fiber foods
 - dark green vegetables
- Exercise:
 - 60 minutes of walking daily
 - 4 hours of housework :)
- For breast cancer survivors:
 - Soy products in moderation
 - Not at all with estrogen positive tumors

Abortion rates are indicators of breast cancer death rates

British life insurance actuaries are using abortion rates to predict breast cancer deaths (Patrick Carroll PAPRI, UK)

- The first trend is that **upper-class women are the most likely to develop breast cancer and die of the disease**
- **Abortion before a first birth and delayed first birth among upper class** women provide the best explanations for this trend, according to Carroll

Women at high risk are more vigilant when they know the facts:

- Clinically identified tumors take 8 years to develop:
 - abortion at age 20 may yield breast cancer at age 28

A-BC Fact Sheet review:

- The breast is the only immature organ at birth
- Breast cells do not mature until after 32 weeks of pregnancy
- Interruption of pregnancy before 32 weeks greatly increases breast cancer risk
- **Estrogen makes breasts grow. Estrogen is carcinogenic to breast cells that do not mature**
- There has been a 40% increase in breast cancers since the Roe v. Wade decision
- No other cancer rate has increased like abortion related breast cancer

SPEAK out

- *“We still whisper words... like cancer, and abortion, when **we should be disseminating information at full voice**, that all might have the opportunity to form intelligent conclusions as to what is truth.”*
- *“Communication is what is missing; the information is out there. But information is useless if it is not communicated.”*
- *The message is that women are dying: our mothers, our wives, our daughters (Pablo Sanchez, Director, **Pro-Life Joes** www.prolifejoes.com)*

8 Medical Groups Affirm...

<http://www.abortionbreastcancer.com/medicalgroups/index.htm>

- Abortion **is** one of the causes of breast cancer

Here's what you can do

- **OUT THE TRUTH:** Write letters to the editor of your newspaper: The public must be **told and engaged** in spreading the word about the **Abortion-Breast Cancer Link**
- Send e-mail alerts (Google Alerts: abortion, abortion-breast cancer link)
- Phone radio stations
- Tell your friends, colleagues and neighbors
- Keep informed, stay in touch

info@abortionbreastcancer.org

g

Organizations working to OUT the TRUTH:

- **The Abortion-Breast Cancer Coalition**
 - www.abortionbreastcancer.com
- **The Breast Cancer Prevention Institute**
 - www.bcpinstitute.org
- **Clear Research**
 - www.clearresearch.org
 - www.stopabortionbreastcancer.org

Summary

- Breast Cancer and Abortion Organizations are **linked**
- There is important information about the **lifetime abortion-breast cancer risks** to women
- **Pink Money** Organizations claim concern for women's health but are silent about the significant studies and data on the abortion-breast cancer link
- The facts are clear and "rock-solid"
- **This information is not getting out**
- **It is up to you to speak out...**

There is no time to waste.

Tell somebody the truth

- The public must be informed
- YOU must become pro-active

This outline is available for immediate download at:

http://www.stopabortionbreastcancer.org/070121_washingtondc_abc.pdf

Let's Talk About The ABORTION- BREAST CANCER LINK



Access Presentation:

http://www.stopabortionbreastcancer.org/washington_silver070121.pdf

Eve Sanchez Silver
Medical Research Analyst
Executive Director
Clear Research
silver@clearresearch.org

Many thanks to:

Karen Malec
President
The Abortion Breast Cancer Coalition
www.abortionbreastcancer.com

Joel Brind, Ph.D.
Professor of Human Biology and Endocrinology
Baruch College, City University of New York
and
Angela Lanfranchi, M.D., F.A.C.S.
Clinical Assistant Professor of Surgery
Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Piscataway, NJ
www.bcpinstitute.org

D.A. Forest
President
RTTC

End

"...there is a highly visible difference between the pace of basic sciences and **the application of new knowledge to human problems**. It needs explaining."

Lewis Thomas

From The Abortion/Breast Cancer Coalition Enrichment Notes (1)

- **The Abortion/Breast Cancer Link: Support for the Evidence**
- **Physiological Evidence**
- **Dr. Jose Russo, M.D. and Dr. Irma Russo, M. D.** (Fox Chase Cancer Center, PA)
- In 1980 Russo and Russo published the results of their study involving laboratory rats which **confirmed a relationship between abortion and increased risk of breast cancer.**
- [Russo & Russo (1980) Am J. Pathol 100:497-512].

- **Medical Groups Supporting Disclosure of Research:**
- **Association of American Physicians and Surgeons**
- 1601 N. Tucson Blvd., Suite 9
- Tucson, AZ 85716-3450
- 520-323-3110
- "The Association of American Physicians and Surgeons believes that patients have the right to give or withhold fully informed consent before undergoing medical treatment. This includes notification of potential adverse effects. **While there is a difference of medical opinion concerning the abortion breast cancer link, there is a considerable volume of evidence supporting this link, which is, moreover, highly plausible. We believe that a reasonable person would want to be informed of the existence of this evidence before making her decision.**"
- Jane Orient, MD
- Executive Director
- October 27, 2003

Endnotes (2)

- **Dr. Janet Daling's** 1994 study found an increased risk of 50% for the general population. It remains the only study specifically commissioned by the National Cancer Institute. [Janet R. Daling et al., "Risk of Breast Cancer Among Young Women: Relationship to Induced Abortion," 86 **Journal of the National Cancer Institute**; (1994);1584]
- Dr. Daling is an abortion supporter, but she did not allow her ideology get in the way of science. She said, "I have three sisters with breast cancer and I resent people messing with the scientific data to further their own agenda, be they pro-choice or pro-life. I would have loved to have found no association between breast cancer and abortion, but our research is rock solid and our data is accurate." [L.A. Daily News, Sept., 1997] [Abortion Breast Cancer Coalition]
- **U. S. and World Medical Community Support of The Abortion Breast Cancer Link**
- *National Physicians Center for Family Resources* <http://www.physicianscenter.org/>
- *American Association of Pro-Life Obstetricians and Gynecologists* <http://www.aaplog.org/>
- *The Polycarp Institute* <http://www.polycarp.org/>

Endnotes (3)

- **Studies and Research Support**
- **Breast Cancer Research Institute** (www.bcpinstitute.org)
- Joel Brind, Ph.D., "Abortion Now a "Risk Factor" According to Latest New England Journal Review, Abortion Breast Cancer Quarterly Update, Spring 2000, Vol. 4, No. 1

- **New England Journal of Medicine**
- The Melbye study has been severely criticized for its errors by both the Brind-Penn State team and Senghas and Dolan." [(1997)New Engl J Med 336:1834] "However, even Melbye reported within the body of the study that: "[w]ith each one-week increase in the gestational age of the fetus . . . there was a 3 percent increase in the risk of breast cancer.'" [Melbye et al. (1997) New Engl J Med 336:83]

- **The World Health Organization** published its study in 1970 and said that the results "suggested increased risk associated with abortion -- contrary to the reduction in risk associated with full-term births." [MacMahon B, et al. Bull Wld Health Org (1970); 43-209-21].

Endnotes (4)

- **News From the Abortion Breast Cancer Coalition (ABCC)**
- Web-site: www.abortionbreastcancer.com
- On March 13, 2000 **The Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists** became the world's first medical organization to warn its abortion providers that the abortion-breast cancer link "cannot be disregarded" and that a 1996 review of the worldwide studies done by Dr. Joel Brind, President of the Breast Cancer Prevention Institute, was "carefully conducted" and "had no major methodological shortcomings." ["Evidence-based Guideline No. 7: The Care of Women Requesting Induced Abortion," Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, Press Conference, March 13, 2000.]
- Mrs. Karen Malec, President of ABCC, said "Now that **27 out of 33 worldwide studies have reported a link between abortion and breast cancer (13 out of 14 of which are American studies reporting a link)** and 43 years since the first study, the New England Journal of Medicine has finally chosen to recognize the overwhelming evidence of an abortion-breast cancer link."

(*All endnote information belongs to Karen Malec, President,
The Abortion Breast Cancer Coalition. More information is available at :
www.abortionbreastcancer.com)

End