



MEDIA ADVISORY:

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**Thorntons Inc. Partners with Norton Healthcare Prevention and Wellness
To Provide Low-Cost/No Cost Mammogram Screenings**

*First Screening Scheduled for January 15 at
Thorntons located at 4145 Bardstown Rd 40218*

WHAT | As part of its ongoing “Thorntons Challenge” philanthropic commitment toward breast cancer awareness, Thorntons Inc. is continuing their partnership with Norton Healthcare Prevention and Wellness to provide mobile unit mammogram screenings for women throughout the Louisville metropolitan. **To make an appointment for Thursday call: 502-899-6842**, however appointments are not necessary during this screening.

Beginning **TOMORROW**, mammogram screenings are available for women between the ages of 40-75 who have not been screened in the past year for little to no cost.

WHEN | Thursday, January 15 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

WHERE | Thorntons located at 4145 Bardstown Rd Louisville, Ky 40218.

MORE | This important – and often life-saving – initiative is made possible by an annual \$100,000 grant Thorntons has donated to the Norton Cancer Institute, an initiative that will continue throughout 2015 and beyond. Woman who are medically insured, their insurance companies will be billed and a co-pay may apply for the low-cost screening, however, will not be collected at the time of the exam. For the uninsured, funding will be provided for no-cost screenings

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About Thorntons Inc.: Founded by Kentucky native James H. Thornton in 1971, Thorntons Inc. is one of the leading independent gasoline and convenience chain retailers in the U.S., currently operating throughout the Midwest under the brand name Thorntons. Headquartered in Louisville, Kentucky, Thorntons operates 180 gasoline and convenience stores, car washes and travel plazas in six states: Kentucky, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Tennessee and Florida. Thorntons distributes its petroleum products through its wholly owned Thornton Transportation Company and operates a river bulk storage terminal



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About Norton Healthcare Prevention & Wellness:

As a four-time winner of the prestigious Press Ganey Summit Award for excellence in patient care, Norton Cancer Institute's mission is to blend comprehensive healing, compassion and hope for patients and their families. Our team of experts is dedicated to offering patients confidence and the latest in care techniques through a multidisciplinary approach to advanced cancer prevention, diagnosis, treatment and survivorship. Norton Cancer Institute offers a broad range of cancer specialists, services and programs, including minimally invasive surgery; a \$1 million Mobile Prevention Center; and cancer radiation centers offering state-of-the-art stereotactic radiosurgery (Novalis Tx and TrueBeam STx) and advanced brachytherapy technologies such as MammoSite. Norton Cancer Institute also provides extensive educational, physical and emotional support services, as well as industry-leading cancer research studies and clinical trials. Norton Cancer Institute is designated by the American College of Surgeons as the only accredited Integrated Network Program in Kentucky. Norton Cancer Institute is Kentucky's only National Cancer Institute Community Cancer Centers Program site and one of only 21 sites in the nation. More information is available at NortonCancerInstitute.com.