

Without  
compression,  
your X-ray  
would  
appear blurred



We know that breast compression during a mammogram is uncomfortable, but it makes a big difference to the results – and can help us see details that could save your life. Here's why:

- Compression helps to keep the breast still. This reduces movement and blurring.

Compression  
during your  
mammogram  
gives a much  
clearer picture



- Compression helps to spread out the breast tissue so we can see very fine detail on your mammogram.
- Compression helps to flatten the breast to an even thickness. This allows us to use a lower X-ray dose and still get a high-quality picture.

Medical solutions for mammography  
*Images that change lives*

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