
Patient Name:	Rose Hansen	Date of Birth:	23/07/1950
MRN:	1608846	Procedure date:	27/05/2018

Procedure:	Left mastectomy with left axillary clearance.
Pre-op diagnosis:	Invasive ductal carcinoma ER/PR/HER-2 pos with left axillary lymphadenopathy.
Surgeon:	Dr Anna Mills
Assistant:	Dr Jerome Handford (Surgical registrar)

Operation details:

An elliptical skin incision including the nipple-areola complex and core biopsy site of the left breast was made. The incision is then deepened by coagulation diathermy device and subdermal veins were coagulated. Diathermy was used to dissect the breast tissue from one end of the incision to the other. Pectoralis major, latissimus dorsi and serratus anterior muscles and their neurovascular bundle identified and preserved.

Level 2 axillary clearance was done and drain inserted. Skin sutured with interrupted nylon.

Dr Anna Mills
Armidale Hospital General Surgeon