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BRCA genes mutations are best known for their role in breast and ovarian cancer. However, mutations in these genes are also linked to **increased chance of** pancreatic cancer. BRCA1 and

Pancreat

Medical Condition

Cancer of pancreas is the 12th most common cancer in the US, but it is the 4th leading cause of cancer death. It is often diagnosed late, and the survival rate is low.

Rare (Fewer than 1 in 1,000 people are affected each year in the US)

Often requires surgery and chemotherapy

Treatment is advised

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