

# At Diagnosis

## It is useful to know

Lobular Breast Cancer accounts for around 15% of all breast cancer diagnoses.

Throughout your treatment it is useful to say

**“I am asking this because I have had a Lobular Breast Cancer diagnosis”**

There are different types of Lobular tumour, & most share the following characteristics:

- they tend to grow more slowly;
- they grow in a single cell line so rarely present as a lump;
- they are sometimes harder to see on initial imaging, especially if someone has dense breasts;
- the size of your tumour may change following further imaging or surgery;
- there is often more than one tumour.

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## It is OK to ask

How big is my tumour?

Do you know how many tumours I have?

How does Lobular Breast Cancer affect my treatment options?

Who is my Breast Care Nurse/ Keyworker, and how can they support me generally and in relation to Lobular Breast Cancer?

How will I be kept up to date on my treatment? Is it possible to have access to my medical records?