

“Mercy offers a holistic approach to cancer, from medicine to nutrition to massage.”

—Lousie Hurlbutt of Kennebunk, breast cancer survivor, with oncology nurse Carolyn Murphy, R.N.



After 20 weeks of chemotherapy, Louise’s treatment team at Mercy’s Oncology-Hematology Center became like old friends—and more. She describes her nurse, Carolyn Murphy, as “an angel”, and loves her medical oncologist, Sarah Ketchum, M.D.

She’s especially grateful for the services Mercy provides beyond conventional medicine: massage therapy, cancer-specific nutritional counseling, and a lymphedema treatment center. She believes this marriage of different healing modalities truly embodies the slogan *Excellence at the heart of healing.*

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