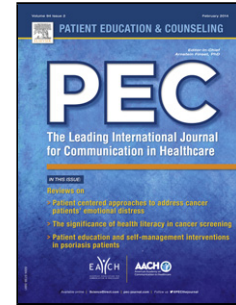


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Highlights

- About half of the breast cancer patients show limited health literacy
- Fear of cancer progression decreases over the course of breast cancer treatment
- Health literacy is negatively associated with fear of cancer progression

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