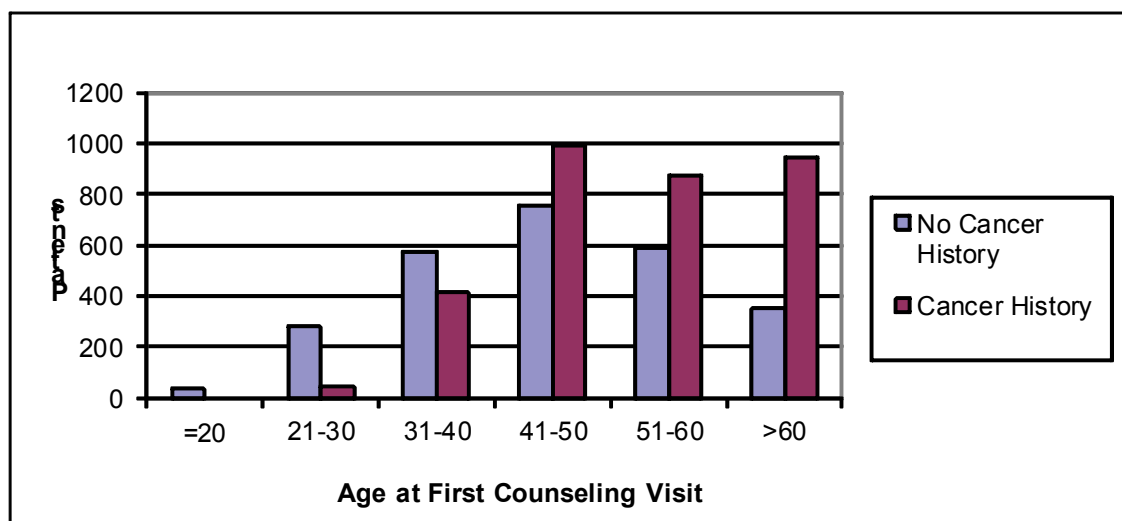


Figure 2. Age at first visit in those with and without a personal history of breast and/or ovarian cancer, October 2007–March 2011



As shown in Figure 2, half (52.8%) of all patients seen for genetic counseling were age 50 or younger. The mean age at visit was 50.4 ( $\pm$  13.3) years of age, and the median age was 50.0 years. The mean and median age for those without a personal cancer history was 46.0 ( $\pm$  12.9) vs. a mean of 53.8 ( $\pm$  12.5) and median of 52.0 years of age in those with a personal cancer history.

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