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Hofvind is radiographer by training and did her master at the Norwegian school of sport sciences (Physical activity and risk of breast cancer).

After 13 years work at Akershus University hospital, where she was the pioneer in establishing a breast clinic and the Norwegian Breast Cancer Screening Program, she started to work at the Cancer Registry of Norway. The Cancer Registry is responsible for the administration and quality assurance of the screening program. Hofvind started working as an information advices for the breast and cervical cancer screening programs in 1998. Four years later she started working on her PhD, which she finished in 2005 (The Norwegian Breast Cancer Screening Program: Selected process indicators and their utilization in epidemiological research).

Hofvind was guest professor at the University of Vermont, 2006-07, and 2010-11 and a substantial network internationally.

She has about 90 peer-review publications, mainly related to epidemiological aspects of breast cancer and mammographic screening.