

Lung Cancer Screening

Early detection saves lives!

#1cause of cancer
deaths in U.S. 1

Lung cancer causes more *cancer deaths* each year than breast, colorectal and prostate cancer *combined!* ² ZERO

Lung Cancer typically has 0 symptoms until it has spread

Who should be screened for lung cancer?

50 to 80 years old

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✓ Have smoked 20 or more pack years in their lifetime

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Current smokers or have quit within the last 15 years

Early Detection with Annual Screening

Low Dose CT (LDCT) lung screening can detect lung cancer at early stages.



The 5 year survival rate when lung cancer is found early improves by 51% compared to when it has spread outside the lung.³

LDCT has one fifth the radiation in a standard CT scan

Insurance covers this scan similarly to other screenings (mammogram, colonoscopy). Contact your insurance for more information.

References:

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