

Lung Cancer Clinical Trial Call to Action Fact Sheet



WHAT are Clinical Trials?

Clinical trials are research studies that help evaluate new cancer treatments for both early stage and advanced lung cancer patients.

Some studies test brand new therapies in development. Other studies test better ways to give standard treatments in hopes of improving the treatment results and lowering the side effects.

WHY Search for Clinical Trials?

Every time you make a treatment decision you deserve to have information about all treatment options. Too often we talk to patients who feel rushed into treatment before they have had the chance to consider clinical trial alternatives. There may be a good standard of care for you-- care that experts believe is appropriate for your specific diagnosis and treatment history. However, sometimes the current standard of care is not as effective as you and the doctor would like. Sometimes the standard of care works for awhile but then stops working. Sometimes there is no standard of care for your situation. At these times, participation in a clinical trial may be the best available option for you.

HOW Our Clinical Trial Specialists Will Help You Search for Lung Cancer Clinical Trials Right for You

The Lung Cancer Clinical Trial Matching Service provides personalized education and matching to quickly identify clinical trial options that match each person's specific diagnosis, stage, and treatment history.

WHEN Should You Search?

We recommend that you search for clinical trials as soon as you are diagnosed and every time you have to make a treatment decision. You need to know about studies you may be eligible for BEFORE you begin treatment. **Call 1.800.698.0931.**

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Each time a person with lung cancer faces a treatment decision, it is important to explore all options, including clinical trials.

Your participation is critical because advances in research, leading to cures, cannot happen without you.

Register with our service now to learn what clinical trials may be an option for your particular situation now and throughout your cancer journey. Call for a confidential conversation with one of our clinical trial specialists.

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This campaign is a collaborative effort designed to proactively involve lung cancer patients and their families in learning about and searching for clinical trials. Participants in this campaign are: Lung Cancer Alliance, CancerCare's lungcancer.org, Uniting Against Lung Cancer, National Lung Cancer Partnership, Lungevity, Respiratory Health Association of Metropolitan Chicago and American Lung Association, Caring Ambassadors Lung Cancer Program, Bonnie J. Addario Lung Cancer Foundation, The Beverly Fund Lung Cancer Foundation, LungCAN and EmergingMed.

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