# Why choose VA cancer care?

#### **Care for Veterans**

We are committed to serving Veterans and their family. We understand the unique needs of Veterans and are here to support you every step of the way.

#### **Care Coordination**

Our nurse care coordinators will work with you and our providers to coordinate timely care. You will be taken care of very quickly from diagnosis through care.

### **Multidisciplinary Team Approach**

We provide high-quality, multidisciplinary team care often all in one place. We discuss your care plan as a multidisciplinary team and work together to streamline your care.

## **Quality Program**

Our commitment to providing highquality, multidisciplinary cancer care, and emotional support to our Veterans and their family has earned, VA Portland Health Care System accreditation from the American College of Surgeons Commission on Cancer.

# Who We Are

#### **About Us**

Whether you have a new cancer diagnosis or have been dealing with cancer for a long time, VA Portland Health Care System is here to provide timely, compassionate, state-of-the-art cancer care.

We have a network of medical experts and support services to help you. We work closely with our academic affiliate, Oregon Health & Science University (OHSU), and participate in VA clinical trials that give Veterans access to the most up-to-date treatments.

#### **Contact Us**

Cancer Care Navigation Team Phone: (503) 220-8262, ext. 51753

Hematology Nurse Care Coordinator Phone: (503) 721-1436

Oncology Nurse Care Coordinator Phone: (503) 220-3408

Urology Cancer Care Coordinator Phone: (503) 220-8262, ext. 57718

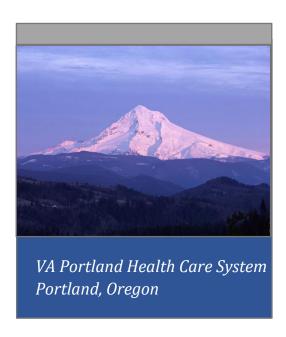
#### Website

www.portland.va.gov/services/Cancer\_ Care\_Services.asp





# Comprehensive Cancer Care Services





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# What cancer services do you offer?

#### **Cancer Services & Treatment**

Chemotherapy & Infusion Therapy
Clinical Trials
Diagnostic Testing & Imaging
General Surgery
Interventional Radiology
Lung Cancer Screening Program
Medical Oncology & Hematology Care
Precision Oncology - Molecular Testing
Radiation Oncology (with academic
affiliate/community)

#### **Telehealth**

We offer video telehealth for Medical Oncology & Hematology and lung cancer evaluation and follow-up care.

Telehealth allows you to receive care from our cancer experts closer to home.

It may be available at your home or local VA community-based outpatient clinic.

#### **Multidisciplinary Clinics**

We offer multidisciplinary clinics for gastrointestinal (GI), head & neck (ENT), and lung cancers. Veterans receive evaluation and care from various cancer experts and support services in ONE appointment. You may see specialists from medicine, surgery, medical oncology, radiation oncology, nursing, nutrition, and more.

"I'm very impressed with the thorough and quality care at the Portland VA Medical Center! A kinder or more caring team would be hard to find."

# **Cancer Specialties**

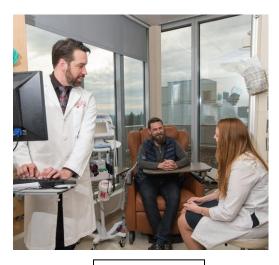
Dermatology
Gastroenterology / Colorectal Surgery
Hepatology / Hepatobiliary Surgery
Medical Oncology & Hematology
Neuro-Oncology / Neurosurgery
Orthopaedic Oncology Surgery / Sarcoma
Otolaryngology (ENT)
Pulmonary Medicine
Thoracic Surgery
Urology / Urologic Oncology

#### **Cancer Support Services**

We have services to support you and your loved ones before, during, and after treatment.

Cancer Care Navigation Team
Cancer Rehabilitation Services
Cancer Survivorship Care
Chaplains
Home Based Services
Nutrition Services
Oncology Social Workers
Palliative Care Team
Support Groups
Tobacco Cessation
Travel & Lodging

There are a number of options that may be available to meet your travel and lodging needs. Please contact your social worker for more information.



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