



LUNG CANCER

Our relationship with Massachusetts General Hospital brings leading radiation and medical oncologists from their nationally recognized Cancer Center to work together with surgeons at Exeter Hospital. This collaborative relationship allows us to offer advanced cancer care close to home.

Multidisciplinary lung cancer clinics

When patients are first diagnosed, they attend our unique multidisciplinary lung cancer clinic. The clinic provides a personalized evaluation from a collaborative team of experts in cancer care who meet together with each patient in one afternoon and collectively give an opinion for the best course of treatment for the patient's individual diagnosis.

Nurse Navigator

Our nurse navigator will help you understand your diagnosis and treatment options, help coordinate appointments and provide information on support resources.

TREATMENT OPTIONS

Surgery

Surgery can be performed at Exeter Hospital with our team of experienced surgeons.

Radiation oncology

Some of our innovative treatments include:

- **External Beam Treatment** – radiation treatments are delivered daily over several weeks with a state-of-the-art Varian TrueBeam linear accelerator.
- **Stereotactic Body Radiation Therapy** – an accelerated, focused radiation treatment to the tumor, also with the Varian TrueBeam.

Medical oncology/hematology

- **Personalized treatment** – each patient's treatment is customized to best treat their individual diagnosis.
- **Chemotherapy** – this traditional cancer treatment acts on dividing cancer cells to prevent them from growing.

– **Targeted therapy** – this treatment acts more specifically on targets that are associated with cancer formation or progression.

– **Immunotherapy** – this treatment boosts the body's immune system to destroy cancer cells.

SPECIALTY SERVICES

Clinical Trials Program – through Mass General, patients may participate in new trials, giving patients access to innovative treatments while advancing cancer knowledge.

Personalized care:

- Nutrition counseling
- Physical therapy
- Therapeutic massage
- Financial counseling
- Rehab and Wellfit exercise program
- Support services and support groups



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