A Multidisciplinary, Comprehensive Initiative of the Thoracic Oncology Program

The Smilow Cancer Hospital Lung Cancer Screening Program is a comprehensive program involving a multidisciplinary team of pulmonologists, chest radiologists, thoracic surgeons, thoracic oncologists, smoking cessation specialists, and nurse practitioners whose primary goal is to provide patients at risk for developing lung cancer with individualized, evidence-based screening.

Who Benefits from Lung Screening?

Benefits related to lung cancer screening have been clearly proven for the following individuals:

- Adults between the ages of 55 and 80
- A 30 pack year smoking history
- A current smoker or someone who has quit smoking within the last 15 years
- Individuals who are asymptomatic (no signs/symptoms of lung cancer)
- Patients should be in good enough health to withstand and recover from surgery and oncology treatment
OUR PROGRAM INCLUDES:

- Personalized lung cancer risk evaluation
- Detailed discussion of an individual’s benefits and downsides of lung screening
- Smoking cessation counseling and treatment for active smokers
- Low dose screening CT scan or other tests, if indicated
- CT scan review and interpretation by a dedicated and experienced team
- Management recommendations of any findings from our expert panel
- Continuity of care and ongoing monitoring

If you are worried about developing lung cancer, interested in more information about the Smilow Cancer Hospital Lung Cancer Screening Program, or want to schedule a consultation, please call us.

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