

The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services approved coverage for annual chest CT scans as preventive care, making annual lung screenings a covered benefit for qualifying individuals. Patients with insurance (including Medicaid) are responsible for co-pays and deductibles.

Medicare and several insurance plans include annual lung screenings as a covered benefit.

Accepting Physician Referrals.

## Call 1-844-LUNG SCREEN (1-844-586-4727)

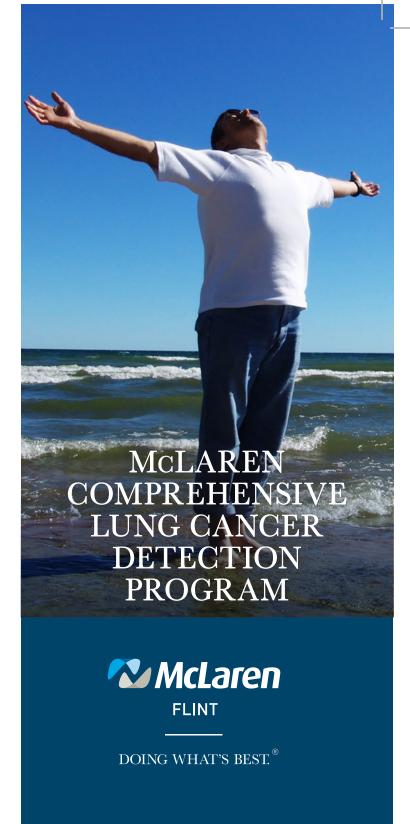
Our lung screening coordinator will assist you with the streamlined scheduling process.



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## McLAREN COMPREHENSIVE LUNG CANCER DETECTION PROGRAM

McLaren Flint offers a specialized program to answer questions and help those who are eligible receive a simple, painless chest CT scan. And, if lung cancer is suspected based on the scan results, McLaren has the area's only program to provide seamless access to advanced diagnostics and care by a team of medical experts in the management of lung disease and the treatment of cancer. The McLaren Comprehensive Lung Cancer Detection Program provides advanced diagnostic screening and treatment services for your patients at an increased risk of lung cancer. Our comprehensive lung screening program is accredited by the American College of Radiology (ACR) and includes:

- Initial consultation to determine eligibility for lung screening, including smoking history and age.
- A painless, no-contrast lung scan performed on a 128-slice CT by certified CT technologists. This scan takes less than 15 minutes to complete.
- Access to physician specialists if the lung scan identifies lesion(s).
- Flint's only program with the SuperD™ electromagnetic navigation bronchoscopy system used to evaluate lesions in even the far reaching airway passages of the lungs.

- Endobronchial Ultrasound (EBUS) technology, a minimally invasive means for physicians to see beyond the bronchial wall to diseased tissue, lymph nodes, or lesions outside the bronchial airway.
- The area's only multidisciplinary thoracic nodule conference to review suspicious nodules and cancer diagnoses comprised of physicians specializing in radiology, pulmonology, pathology, thoracic surgery, radiation and medical oncology as well as support staff.

  Collectively, this team discusses and recommends a best course of treatment.
- Notification to the patient and their physician if health concerns outside of the lung are identified during the scan.

## WHAT ARE THE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS?

- Adults, age 55 77 years.
- Asymptomatic patients.
- Tobacco smoking history of at least 30 pack-years.
- Current smoker or one who has quit smoking within the last 15 years.
- Candidates must have a written order and have completed a shared decision counseling session with a physician or nurse practitioner. Shared decision making discussion will include the benefits and risks of screening, the importance of abstaining from or quitting smoking, and the possible need for follow up testing and treatment.

## WHO SHOULD CALL?

Anyone between the ages of 55-77 with a tobacco smoking history of at least 30 'pack years' (one pack of cigarettes a day for 30 years, two packs a day for 15 years, or 3 packs a day for 10 years). Call 1-844-LUNG SCREEN (1-844-586-4727) and speak to our lung screening coordinator.

We are here to help you breathe easier when it comes to your lung health.