



KARMANOS LUNG CANCER SCREENING PROGRAM IS OFFERED AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS:

Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute
4100 John R
Detroit, MI 48201

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Farmington Hills, MI 48334

The Karmanos Cancer Institute is designated as a Lung Cancer Screening Center by the American College of Radiology and a Screening Center of Excellence by GO2 Foundation for Lung Cancer.

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MISSION

A world free of cancer

VISION

To lead in transformative cancer care, research and education through courage, commitment and compassion

Contact Us Today!

You'll receive a brief questionnaire that will help determine if you're eligible for the program.

Karmanos Lung Cancer Screening Program
Contact:

TOLL FREE NUMBER:
1-800-KARMANOS (800-527-6266)

WEBSITE:
karmanos.org/LungScreening

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Screening@karmanos.org

REFERRING PHYSICIAN ORDERS:
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DETECT LUNG CANCER EARLY WITH LOW-DOSE CT SCANS



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Lung Cancer Facts

- Lung cancer is the second most common type of cancer and the leading cause of cancer deaths in the United States.
- More than 150,000 Americans die from lung cancer each year.
- However, lung cancer is also one of the most preventable cancers.
- The best way to prevent lung cancer is to quit smoking.
- Screening can reduce the risk of dying from lung cancer.

Why Should I Consider Lung Cancer Screening?

- While not every smoker will develop lung cancer, about 15 percent of smokers will.
- Early detection of lung cancer increases the chance of successful treatment.
- The National Lung Screening Trial (NLST), a study of over 50,000 current or former heavy smokers conducted by the National Institutes of Health, showed that screening using three annual CT scans can reduce the number of deaths from this disease.
- The NLST study showed that, among high-risk adults, early detection of lung cancer through screening with a CT scan rather than a chest X-ray, can reduce cancer death by 20 percent.

Who Should be Screened?

- Men and women aged 50-80.
- Current or former smokers (quit no more than 15 years ago) with at least a 20-pack-year smoking history (meaning smoked 1 pack per day for 20 years, 2 packs per day for 10 years, etc.)
- The NLST found that people in this age group with this smoking history are most likely to benefit from screening.

What is Lung Cancer Screening?

- Screening for lung cancer is a process and cannot be completed with a single test.
- The screening process includes annual CT scans of the chest.
- The screening process also includes a visit with a Karmanos provider to discuss the risks and benefits of lung cancer screening.
- Any abnormalities detected on a CT scan must be followed up with either a Karmanos specialist or your primary health care provider.

Who Should I Contact for Information About Quitting Smoking?

- Call the Michigan Tobacco Quitline at 1-800-QUIT-NOW (1-800-784-8669).
- Call 1-800-KARMANOS and ask for the Patient/Community Education Department, or visit www.karmanos.org/smoking-cessation.

HOW CAN I PARTICIPATE?

Call 1-800-KARMANOS (800-527-6266),
visit karmanos.org/LungScreening
or email
Screening@karmanos.org

Is this Covered by my Insurance?

- Medicaid, Medicare and many private insurance companies now cover the cost of lung cancer screening CT scans. You should check with your health insurance plan to determine if this is a covered benefit for you.
- If an abnormality is found, future scans and further workup should be covered by your health care insurance.

Are There Risks to Getting Screened?

There could be risks associated with the detection of false-positives and abnormalities from the CT scan. If these do occur, a Karmanos physician will review your options regarding additional testing that may need to take place.



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