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Exciting innovations in lung cancer treatments



Types of lung cancer and therapies available today^{3,6,7}:

If you've received a lung cancer diagnosis, you may take comfort in knowing that quality of life and survival rates have greatly improved over recent years.^{1,2} After running certain tests, your healthcare team can uncover your cancer cell type and growth to tailor the treatment to the tumor based on your specific genes while reducing side effects.²⁻⁴



More good news

Researchers continue to study new treatments, including drugs that help radiation more easily kill tumors and combinations of existing therapies. You may also want to consider a clinical trial, which can help you as well as others in the future.

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