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Alexander Drilon, MD

[Thoracic Medical Oncologist & Early Drug Development Specialist \(#about-me\)](#)



Areas of Expertise

Conditions I Treat

- Lung cancer

My Specialties

- Early-phase clinical trials



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Our Care Advisors can answer many of your questions. They will connect you with the best healthcare provider for your needs.

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Get to Know Me

I am a medical oncologist who specializes in the treatment of lung cancer. I work with a team of experts including surgeons, radiation oncologists, pathologists, and nurses. Our goal is to provide the best possible care and support for patients and their families.

What I Do at MSK

I'm a thoracic medical oncologist, which is a cancer doctor who specializes in thoracic (thor-A-sik) cancers. These are cancers that have to do with the chest, including lung, tracheal (windpipe), and thymic (thymus) cancers.

I'm an early drug development specialist, which is a scientist who tests new drugs to treat cancer. I have special training in research studies, also known as clinical trials.

- Chief, Early Drug Development Service

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Education & Honors

Education

- MD, University of the Philippines

Residencies

- Internal Medicine - St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center

Fellowships

- Medical Oncology - Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center

Board Certifications

- Internal Medicine
- Medical Oncology

Insurance Information

Understanding your insurance options is an important part of managing your cancer care. We have relationships with many common healthcare providers and plans.

Don't see your carrier or plan? [We can help you understand your coverage](#) .

If you don't have health insurance or are worried that your care may not be fully covered, our [financial assistance](#) programs may be able to help.

If you have questions about insurance, call us at [646-497-9176](#) .

Make an Appointment

New Patients

Scheduling an appointment is easy. Click or call [646-497-9163](#) — we're available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week

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Current Patients

Request an appointment by calling your Care Team or messaging them in [MSK MyChart](#).

Contact and Location

Office Phone

 [646-608-3758](tel:646-608-3758)

Location

 New York, NY

[David H. Koch Center for Cancer Care at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center](#)

 530 East 74th Street
New York, NY 10021

[Get Directions](#)

Looking to see a doctor at a different location? [See all MSK locations](#) .

Colleagues

Doctors at Memorial Sloan Kettering work as teams, with specialists from all different areas. This allows us to consider all your needs together, and to give you the best possible care.

[See all Early Drug Development Service doctors](https://www.mskcc.org/doctor#:f:Departments=[Medicine,Division of Solid Tumor Oncology,Early Drug Development Service]) . (https://www.mskcc.org/doctor#:f:Departments=[Medicine,Division of Solid Tumor Oncology,Early Drug Development Service])

[See all Thoracic Oncology Service doctors](https://www.mskcc.org/doctor#:f:Departments=[Medicine,Division of Solid Tumor Oncology,Thoracic Oncology Service]) . (https://www.mskcc.org/doctor#:f:Departments=[Medicine,Division of Solid Tumor Oncology,Thoracic Oncology Service])

Clinical Trials

- Clinical Trials Investigated by Dr. Drilon

- [A Phase 1 Study of ANS03 in People With Advanced Solid Tumors](#)
- [A Phase 1/2 Study of BBI-355 in People With Advanced Solid Tumors](#)
- [A Phase 1/2 Study of EP0031 in People With Solid Tumors](#)
- [A Phase 3 Study Comparing Neladalkib \(NVL-655\) With Alectinib in People With Advanced Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer](#)



Find a Clinical Trial for You

Memorial Sloan Kettering's doctors and scientists are constantly developing new treatments for cancer. MSK is typically running hundreds of clinical trials at a given time.

You may be able to participate in a clinical trial even if you are new to MSK. Search our online directory to find trial information and see more about who can participate.

[Search clinical trials \(https://www.mskcc.org/cancer-care/clinical-trials\)](https://www.mskcc.org/cancer-care/clinical-trials)

Research and Publications

Publications on PubMed

Visit PubMed for a full listing of Dr. Drilon's journal articles. Pubmed is an online index of research papers and other articles from the US National Library of Medicine and the National Institutes of Health.

[See all on PubMed \(http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=search&db=pubmed&term=%28%28neoplasms%5BMH%5D%20OR%20cancer%5BTW%5D%29%20OR%20sloan-kettering%20AND%20Drilon%20A%29\)](http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=search&db=pubmed&term=%28%28neoplasms%5BMH%5D%20OR%20cancer%5BTW%5D%29%20OR%20sloan-kettering%20AND%20Drilon%20A%29)

Disclosures

Members of the MSK Community often work with pharmaceutical, device, biotechnology, and life sciences companies, and other organizations outside of MSK, to find safe and effective cancer treatments, to improve patient care, and to educate the health care community. These activities outside of MSK further our mission, provide productive collaborations, and promote the practical application of scientific discoveries.

MSK requires doctors, faculty members, and leaders to report ("disclose") the relationships and financial interests they have with external entities. As a commitment to transparency with our community, we make that information available to the public. Not all disclosed interests and relationships present conflicts of interest. MSK reviews all disclosed interests

and relationships to assess whether a conflict of interest exists and whether formal COI management is needed.

Alexander Drilon discloses the following relationships and financial interests:

- **Academy for Continued Healthcare Learning**
Professional Services and Activities
- **AnHeart Therapeutics Inc.**
Professional Services and Activities
- **Associazione Italiana Oncologia Toracica (AIOT)**
Professional Services and Activities
- **Bayer**
Professional Services and Activities
- **Boundless Bio, Inc.**
Professional Services and Activities
- **Bristol-Myers Squibb**
Professional Services and Activities
- **BroadcastMed**
Professional Services and Activities
- **EcoR1 Capital LLC**
Professional Services and Activities
- **IDEology Health, LLC**
Professional Services and Activities
- **Loxo Oncology**
Professional Services and Activities
- **LUNgevity Foundation, Inc.**
Professional Services and Activities

- **MBrace Therapeutics, Inc.**
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- **Medscape**
Professional Services and Activities
- **MJH Life Sciences**
Professional Services and Activities
- **Northwell Health**
Professional Services and Activities
- **Nuvalent, Inc.**
Professional Services and Activities
- **OncLive**
Professional Services and Activities
- **Physicians' Education Resource**
Professional Services and Activities
- **Springer Nature Limited**
Professional Services and Activities
- **Total CME**
Professional Services and Activities
- **Treeline Biosciences, Inc.**

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- Zymeworks Inc.

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