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James C. Root, PhD

Neuropsychologist ([#about-me](#))



Areas of Expertise

My Specialties

- Neuropsychology



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Languages: English

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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 neuropsychologist in the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center and also hold an appointment as Assistant Professor of Psychology in the Departments of Psychiatry and Anesthesiology at Weill Cornell Medical College.

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[What I Do at MSK](#)

I'm a neuropsychologist (NOOR-oh-sy-KAH-loh-jist). This is a doctor with special training in evaluating how brain problems affect behavior and cognition (mental processes).

- Attending Neuropsychologist
- Co-Director, Neuropsychological Assessment Service

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Education & Honors

Education

- PhD, New School for Social Research (New York)

Residencies

- Yale University School of Medicine

Fellowships

- Weill Cornell Medical College
- College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University

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](tel:646-497-9176) .

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Scheduling an appointment is easy. Click or call [212-610-0489](tel:212-610-0489) — 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

 [646-888-0035](tel:646-888-0035)

Location

 New York, NY

[Rockefeller Outpatient Pavilion](#)

 160 East 53rd Street
New York, NY 10022

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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 Attending Staff doctors](https://www.mskcc.org/doctor?field_vocab_departments%5B21221%5D=21221) (https://www.mskcc.org/doctor?field_vocab_departments%5B21221%5D=21221)

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Clinical Trials

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