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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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About Me

William D. Tap

What I Do at MSK

- Chief, Sarcoma Medical Oncology Service

Get To Know Me

I am a medical oncologist who specializes in the treatment of patients with soft tissue and bone sarcomas. Sarcomas are rare tumors that affect individuals of all ages and can develop in almost every organ in the body.

At Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, we have a multidisciplinary team of physician-scientists, nurses, and patient support advocates who care for individuals with sarcoma. Our dedicated team is very familiar with and understands the nuances of these uncommon and challenging malignancies. This enables us to focus on the specific needs of each patient with an emphasis on personalized medicine that benefits from clinical and basic science research.

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My Role at MSK

A sarcoma oncologist is a cancer doctor with special training in sarcoma. This includes soft tissue sarcomas (such as Ewing sarcoma and rhabdomyosarcoma) and benign (not cancer) growths that are like sarcoma.

Areas of Expertise

My Specialties

Soft Tissue and Bone Sarcoma

Drug Development

Education & Honors

Education

MD, Jefferson Medical College

Residencies

Internal Medicine - Vanderbilt University

Awards and Honors

Castle Connolly: America's Top Doctor (2024)
Top Doctors New York Metro Area, Castle Connolly (2023)
Castle Connolly: America's Top Doctors (2023)
New York Magazine Top Doctors (2015-2016, 2018-2020)

Fellowships

Medical Oncology/Hematology - University of California Los Angeles

Board Certifications

Internal Medicine
Medical Oncology
Hematology

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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New Patients

Scheduling an appointment is easy. Click or call [646-497-9067](tel:646-497-9067)— we’re available Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. (Eastern time)

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Current Patients

Request an appointment by logging on to MyMSK or calling your doctor's office. If you aren't registered for MyMSK, call [646-227-2593](tel:646-227-2593) for your Enrollment ID.

Contact and Location

Dr. Tap sees patients at one location.


Office Phone

 [646-888-4163](tel:646-888-4163)

Location

 New York, NY

[Rockefeller Outpatient Pavilion](#)

 160 East 53rd Street
New York, NY 10022
[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 Sarcoma Medical Oncology Service doctors](#) →

Clinical Trials

Clinical Trials Investigated by Dr. Tap

[A Phase 1a Study of AVA6000 in People with Solid Tumors](#)

[A Phase III Study of Sunitinib with or without CGT9486 in People with Inoperable or Metastatic Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumors](#)

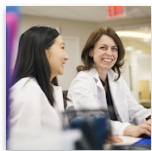
Clinical Trials Co-Investigated by Dr. Tap

[A Phase I/II Study of BA3011 in Patients with Advanced Cancer](#)

[A Phase II Study of ADP-A2M4 Gene Therapy in People with Advanced Synovial Sarcoma or Myxoid/Round Cell Liposarcoma](#)

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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](#) →

Research and Publications

Publications on PubMed

Visit PubMed for a full listing of Dr. Tap'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.

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Connecting Humans in Health, LLC

Professional Services and Activities

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Professional Services and Activities

Deciphera

Professional Services and Activities

Inhibrx, Inc.

Professional Services and Activities

Osteosarcoma Institute (OSI)

Professional Services and Activities

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Professional Services and Activities

PeerView Institute for Medical Education (PVI)

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Projects In Knowledge

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Servier

Professional Services and Activities

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