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Cancel[®] has not been shown to treat or prevent cancer.

CanCell[®] (also called Entelev[®] or Cantron[®]) was developed by a chemist in the 1930s. Its exact ingredients are unknown, but it is thought to contain catechol (stabilizes collagen and is used in tanning and dyeing), nitric acid (an intermediate used in the manufacturing of fertilizers and explosives), sodium sulfite, potassium hydroxide (a caustic material), sulfuric acid (a corrosive liquid), crocinic acid, and various minerals and vitamins. This mixture of chemicals, the manufacturers claim, normalizes cellular metabolism and balances the vibrational frequency of cancer cells, causing them to die or return to a healthy state. Scientists from the National Cancer Institute reviewed these theories, tested CanCell[®] in laboratory studies on cancer cells, and concluded that CanCell[®] has no anticancer activity.

What are the potential uses and benefits?

None of the following claims is supported by scientific evidence.

- To treat Alzheimer's disease
- To treat cancer
- To treat cystic fibrosis
- To treat Diabetes
- To treat emphysema
- To treat epilepsy
- To treat Epstein-Barr virus
- To treat hemophilia

- To treat herpes
- To treat HIV and AIDS
- To lower high blood pressure
- To raise low blood pressure
- To treat multiple sclerosis
- To treat scleroderma
- To treat systemic lupus erythematosus (SLE)

If you have questions or concerns, contact your healthcare provider. A member of your care team will answer Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Outside those hours, you can leave a message or talk with another MSK provider. There is always a doctor or nurse on call. If you're not sure how to reach your healthcare provider, call 212-639-2000.

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