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About Me

What I Do at MSK

- Deputy Service Chief, Hospital Medicine Service
- Chair, Interdisciplinary Quality Assurance Committee

Get To Know Me

In my role as Deputy Service Chief, I oversee the daytime operations and faculty of the Hospital Medicine Service in coordination with our Service Chief, Dr. Barbara Egan. I have practiced as a hospitalist at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center (MSK) since 2008 and thrive on providing comprehensive, compassionate care. Along with my team of housestaff, nurse practitioners (NPs), and physician assistants, I specialize in caring for people with cancer who are hospitalized.

In addition to internal medicine, I am board-certified in hospice and palliative care and work with a team of fellows (including medical doctors and NPs) to consult on hospitalized patients and improve their quality of life. I very much enjoy teaching our housestaff and was awarded MSK's Dorothy White Division of General Medicine Teacher of the Year Award in 2019.

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My Role at MSK

A hospitalist is a doctor with special training in caring for people in the hospital.

Areas of Expertise

My Specialties

General Medical Care for Oncology Patients

General Medicine

Education & Honors

Education

MD, Boston University School of Medicine

Residencies

New York University/Bellevue Hospital

Board Certifications

Internal Medicine

Hospice and Palliative Care Medicine

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).

Contact and Location

Dr. Kumar sees patients at one location.

Office Phone


 [212-639-2734](tel:212-639-2734)

Location

Chhavi Bansal Kumar

 New York, NY

[Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center](#)

 1275 York Avenue
New York, NY 10065
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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.

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Clinical Trials



Chhavi Bansal Kumar



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](#) →

Disclosures

Doctors and faculty members 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.

MSK requires doctors and faculty members 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.

Chhavi Bansal Kumar discloses the following relationships and financial interests:

No disclosures meeting criteria for time period

If you're a patient at MSK and would like more information about your doctor's external relationships, please talk with your doctor.

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This page and data include information for a specific MSK annual disclosure period (January 1, 2022

through disclosure submission in spring 2023). This data reflects interests that may or may not still exist. This data is updated annually.

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