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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

R. Michael Tuttle

What I Do at MSK

- Chief, Endocrinology Service

Get To Know Me

I designed and validated the first real-time risk assessment model for thyroid cancer management in which individual risk estimates are modified over time as a function of response to initial therapy. My research continues to center on important management aspects of thyroid cancer, including efforts to better define:

- The risk of recurrence and death from thyroid cancer for individual patients
- The role of active surveillance in properly selected patients with low-risk papillary thyroid cancer
- The proper application of minimalistic management options to better tailor the intensity of therapy and follow-up to the risks of undesirable outcomes

My clinical practice is entirely devoted to the evaluation and management of patients with thyroid cancer.

My Role at MSK

An endocrinologist (EN-doh-krih-NAH-loh-jist) is a doctor with special training in endocrine problems. These disorders affect glands and organs that make hormones, and include diabetes, infertility, and thyroid, adrenal, and pituitary gland problems.

Areas of Expertise

My Specialties

Thyroid Cancer

Head & Neck Cancers

Education & Honors

Education

MD, University of Louisville School of Medicine

Residencies

Dwight David Eisenhower Army Medical Center

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)

Castle Connolly: New York Magazine Top Doctors (2007-2013, 2018-2020)

Fellowships

Madigan Army Medical Center

Board Certifications

Endocrinology and Metabolism

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 [646-608-2917](tel:646-608-2917)— 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. Tuttle sees patients at one location.


Office Phone

 [646-608-3910](tel:646-608-3910)

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

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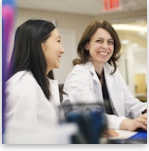
Looking to see a doctor at a different location? [See all MSK locations.](#)

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 Endocrinology Service doctors](#) →

Clinical Trials



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](#) →

Research and Publications

Publications on PubMed

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

R. Michael Tuttle discloses the following relationships and financial interests:

THANC Foundation, Inc.
Professional Services and Activities

United BioSource LLC
Professional Services and Activities (Uncompensated)








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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