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## FOR THE MEDIA



**Samuel Singer, MD, FACS**

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



**Areas of Expertise**

**Conditions I Treat**

- Soft tissue sarcomas
- Malignant peripheral nerve sheath tumor (MPNST)
- Desmoid tumor (benign)

## My Specialties

- Targeted therapy



[Dr. Singer's Office Information \(#contact-and-location\)](#)



Languages: English

## Request an Appointment

Our Care Advisors can answer many of your questions. They will connect you with the best healthcare provider for your needs.

[Call 646-497-9072](#)

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## Get to Know Me

I am a surgical oncologist who specializes in the diagnosis and treatment of soft tissue sarcoma. I have extensive experience with this group of cancers, and am one of just a few surgeons in the world focused solely on treating sarcoma patients. My years of experience have enabled me to devise surgical techniques that improve the ability to completely remove these tumors.

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## What I Do at MSK

I'm a surgeon, which is a doctor with special training in many types of surgery.

- Chief, Gastric and Mixed Tumor Service
- Vincent Astor Chair of Clinical Research

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## Education & Honors

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- MD, Harvard University

### Residencies

- General Surgery - Brigham and Women's Hospital

### Fellowships

- Oncology - Francis Bitter National Magnet Laboratory

### Board Certifications

- Surgery

### Awards and Honors

- Castle Connolly: America's Top Doctor (2026)
- Castle Connolly: America's Top Doctor (2025)
- 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 (2003-2010, 2019-2020)

## 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](#) .

## Make an Appointment

### New Patients

Scheduling an appointment is easy. Click or call [646-497-9072](#) — 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

 [212-639-2940](#)

### 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 Gastric and Mixed Tumor Service doctors](#) ([https://www.mskcc.org/doctor#f:Departments=\[Surgery,Gastric and Mixed Tumor Service\]](https://www.mskcc.org/doctor#f:Departments=[Surgery,Gastric and Mixed Tumor Service]))

[See all Surgery doctors](#) ([https://www.mskcc.org/doctor#f:Departments=\[Surgery\]](https://www.mskcc.org/doctor#f:Departments=[Surgery]))

## Clinical Trials

- Clinical Trials Co-Investigated by Dr. Singer
- [A Study Assessing a Lower Dose of Radiation Therapy after Surgery for Soft Tissue](#)

## Sarcoma of the Arms and Legs



### 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](https://www.mskcc.org/cancer-care/clinical-trials) (<https://www.mskcc.org/cancer-care/clinical-trials>)

## Research and Publications

[View Dr. Singer's Lab](#)

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## Publications on PubMed

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

[See all on PubMed](http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=search&db=pubmed&term=%28%28%22sarcoma%22%5BMH%5D%29%20OR%20sloan-kettering%20AND%20Singer%20S%5BAU%5D%20NOT%20Singer%20SJ%5BAU%5D%29))

## Disclosures

Members of the MSK Community 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. These activities outside of MSK further our mission, provide productive collaborations, and promote the practical application of scientific discoveries.

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Samuel Singer discloses the following relationships and financial interests:

*No disclosures meeting criteria for time period*

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