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# Understanding Genes and Hereditary Cancer Risk

This video explains genes, hereditary cancer, and how genetic testing can help you and your healthcare providers plan your care.



Please visit [www.mskcc.org/pe/genes\\_hereditary\\_cancer](http://www.mskcc.org/pe/genes_hereditary_cancer) to watch this video.

If you have any questions, contact a member of your care team directly. If you're a patient at MSK and you need to reach a provider after 5 p.m., during the weekend, or on a holiday, call 212-639-2000.

For more resources, visit [www.mskcc.org/pe](http://www.mskcc.org/pe) to search our virtual library.

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