

Community Programs and Services

The programs and services listed here represent ongoing initiatives of Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center (MSK) to reach our surrounding community, the medically underserved, and minority populations. We seek to improve the community's access to cancer information, prevention, care, and treatment advances. Additionally, we aim to reduce the impact of cancer health disparities among minority and medically underserved populations.

Breast Examination Center of Harlem

212-531-8000 • www.bech.org

The Breast Examination Center of Harlem offers high-quality breast and cervical cancer screening, at no out-of-pocket expense, to eligible women in the Harlem community.

CancerSmart Programs

212-639-3074

www.cancersmart.org

cancersmart@mskcc.org

CancerSmart community education talks are free and provide informative discussions on the most up-to-date issues in cancer. Programs are archived for viewing on iTunes, YouTube, and the CancerSmart website, and are discussed on Twitter using the hashtag #CancerSmart.

Community Affairs

212-639-3199

communityaffairs@mskcc.org

MSK disseminates information on its community programs through multiple avenues, including its *Community Matters* newsletter, website, social media, and public service announcements. The public may contact Community Affairs with questions regarding MSK's community initiatives, and to request the dates of our free cancer screenings, a presentation to a community group, or our participation at a health event. We appreciate a minimum of one month's advance notice for presentation and event participation requests.

Evelyn H. Lauder Breast Center

646-227-3700

The Evelyn H. Lauder Breast Center offers comprehensive breast cancer screening services to women. A referral is not needed to schedule an appointment, but a prescription is required prior to the appointment.

Financial Assistance Program

212-639-3810

MSK is committed to providing financial assistance to patients in need. The Financial Assistance Program provides help to eligible uninsured and underinsured patients with household income up to five times the federal poverty level who cannot get publicly funded health insurance or cannot afford to pay for their medical care.

Immigrant Health and Cancer Disparities Service

646-888-4600 • www.mskcc.org/cih

The Immigrant Health and Cancer Disparities Service works to identify the causes of health and cancer disparities among underserved populations and to develop solutions to alleviate them. People with cancer who are in need of assistance may contact the service for more information.

Integrative Medicine Service

646-888-0800

www.mskcc.org/integrativemedicine

The Integrative Medicine Service offers complementary therapies for pediatric and adult cancer patients and survivors from MSK or other institutions, as well as for caregivers, MSK faculty and staff, and members of the community. Services include massage therapy, acupuncture, mind-body therapies such as meditation and self-hypnosis, fitness training, nutritional guidance, and dietary supplement counseling. All are welcome.

Lung Cancer Screening Program

646-227-3500

www.mskcc.org/lungscreening

The Lung Cancer Screening Program provides low-dose CT screening for longtime smokers between the ages of 55 and 74 who fit specific criteria. Individuals may contact the program to schedule an appointment and learn about insurance coverage.

Office of Clinical Research, Diversity Research Program

646-735-8006 • ocdrp@mskcc.org

The Office of Clinical Research (OCR) provides oversight for and supports the clinical research program at MSK. To better serve and reach diverse communities, the OCR Diversity Research Program collaborates with community-based healthcare facilities in the New York City metropolitan area. MSK research studies are open at these sites to facilitate access to cancer screening, care, support, and educational activities.

Office of Diversity Programs in Clinical Care, Research, and Training

212-639-3294 • diversity@mskcc.org

The Office of Diversity Programs in Clinical Care, Research, and Training strives to reduce cancer health disparities based on race, ethnicity, culture, and socioeconomic status. The office seeks to collaborate with community and academic partners that serve minority populations.

Partnership for Community Outreach Program

646-888-0082 • pcop@mskcc.org

The Partnership for Community Outreach Program is a component of The City College of New York/MSK Partnership for Cancer Research, Training, and Community Outreach. The program works to establish, strengthen, support, and sustain relationships with key segments of the community in order to define and address priorities and concerns about cancer health disparities.

Physician Referral Service

800-525-2225

The Physician Referral Service is for people who are interested in cancer-related surgery and treatment at MSK. Patients, family members, caregivers, and healthcare professionals may contact the service to request information or an appointment.

Ralph Lauren Center for Cancer Care and Prevention

212-987-1777

www.ralphlaurencenter.org

Located in Harlem, the Ralph Lauren Center for Cancer Care and Prevention provides cancer screening and treatment services in partnership with MSK.

Resources for Life After Cancer

646-888-4740 • rlac@mskcc.org

Resources for Life After Cancer offers educational services that focus on treatment-specific issues; support groups led by professionals; and consultation and advice on survivorship concerns including insurance, sexual health, and employment. These resources are available to all cancer survivors, regardless of where they received care.

Survivorship Initiative

**www.mskcc.org/livingbeyondcancer
survivorship@mskcc.org**

The Survivorship Initiative offers comprehensive services for cancer survivors and their families, including a survivorship research effort that addresses issues of critical importance to survivors nationwide. A newsletter, *Bridges: Connecting Cancer Survivors*, along with educational videos are available free online at www.mskcc.org/livingbeyondcancer.

Tobacco Cessation Program

212-610-0507

The Tobacco Cessation Program provides state-of-the-art treatment for tobacco dependence and is a national leader in tobacco treatment for cancer patients. The program serves cancer patients and their family members, MSK employees, as well as individuals from the community who wish to reduce their cancer risk.



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