If you or a loved one is diagnosed with lung cancer, it’s important to have several specialists from different disciplines on your side. Together, they will help you receive the best cancer care.

**PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER**
Provides main health-care services in non-emergency situations.

**PULMONOLOGIST**
Specializes in the diagnosis and treatment of pulmonary (lung) conditions and diseases.

**PATHOLOGIST**
Examines tissues, blood and fluids to assist in diagnosis and treatment decisions.

**MEDICAL ONCOLOGIST**
Treats cancer with chemotherapy and other medications that kill cancer cells.

**RADIATION ONCOLOGIST**
Treats cancer with radiation therapy (such as X-rays) to kill cancer cells.

**THORACIC SURGEON**
Performs operations on the lungs, heart, esophagus, and other chest organs.

**YOUR SUPPORT NETWORK**
Few things hit harder than a diagnosis of cancer. Along with being stunned and upset, you may feel angry, sad, alone, frightened or overwhelmed. Talk to your medical team about other options for help. As an informed patient, you can become your own best advocate for quality care.

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