

Years of Smoking Can Cause Cancer. A Screening Could Save Your Life.



You may be at risk for lung cancer.
Early detection is important. Schedule your screening today.

Early Detection Saves Lives

Lung cancer is the leading cause of cancer death in the United States. Often symptoms do not show up until the cancer is advanced, when treatment options are limited. A computerized tomography, or CT scan, has proven to be effective in identifying lung cancer when it is most treatable.

Are You at High Risk for Lung Cancer?

- Age 50 or older
- Current or former smoker
- History of 30 “pack years” of smoking

For example, if you smoked a pack a day for 30 years or two packs a day for 15 years.

About Our Lung Cancer Screening

- Cost is covered by Medicare and some other insurance companies
- Low-dose CT scan
- Free interpretation of CT scan results by national experts
- Free access to the Rutgers Tobacco Dependence Program, a tobacco cessation support program
- Consultation with a nurse practitioner and help scheduling additional tests, if needed
- Coordination with your primary care doctor
- Convenient locations throughout central New Jersey

Our team of doctors and specialists participated in the National Lung Screening Trial (NLST), which showed that screening was more effective with a CT scan of the chest than with a chest x-ray.

**For more information or to schedule an appointment, please call 732-235-5947
or visit www.cinj.org/lungcancerscreening**

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