

## NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED COMPREHENSIVE CANCER CARE

UPMC Hillman Cancer Center connects patients to the integrated expertise of leading clinicians, academic researchers, specialty programs, and treatment centers. As the only National Cancer Institute-designated Comprehensive Cancer Center in the region, we are accelerating the breakthroughs in our labs into clinical practice around the world. With the collective strength of UPMC and the University of Pittsburgh, UPMC Hillman Cancer Center is transforming cancer research, care, and prevention — one patient at a time.

**OUR MISSION:** TO PROVIDE EXCEPTIONAL PATIENT CARE AS A WORLD LEADER IN UNDERSTANDING, PREVENTING, AND TREATING CANCER THROUGH THE INTEGRATION OF SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY, CLINICAL EXCELLENCE, AND COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS, WHILE TRAINING THE NEXT GENERATION OF CANCER EXPERTS.

**OUR VISION:** TO BRING TOGETHER COMPASSIONATE CARE AND TRANSFORMATIVE RESEARCH TO ACHIEVE THE EXTRAORDINARY: **LIFE WITHOUT CANCER.**



**FAST FACTS**

<p>Founded in <b>1986</b> as the University of Pittsburgh Cancer Institute</p>	<p><b>7</b> NCI Cancer Center Grant-supported research programs</p>	<p>NCI-designated since <b>1990</b></p>	<p>Ranked <b>14th</b> in NCI funding</p>
<p><b>2,000</b> physicians, researchers, and staff</p>	<p><b>1 of 54</b> NCI-designated Comprehensive Cancer Centers</p>	<p>More than <b>171,000</b> patients treated each year</p>	<p><b>4</b> International locations in Ireland and Italy</p>
<p>More than <b>400</b> clinical trials</p>	<p>Nearly <b>800</b> robotic Whipple surgeries for pancreatic cancer</p>	<p>More than <b>1,000</b> laparoscopic liver surgeries</p>	<p>More than <b>2,000</b> cytoreductive surgeries with hyperthermic intraoperative chemoperfusion (CRS/HIPEC) for complex abdominal cancers</p>
<p><b>1st</b> in western Pa. to offer FDA-approved CAR T-cell therapies for blood cancer in 2018</p>	<p>More than <b>160</b> CAR T-cell therapies delivered since 2018</p>	<p>Pioneered <b>PET-CT</b> planning for radiation therapy</p>	<p><b>2</b> Specialized Programs of Research Excellence (SPORE) grants in head and neck cancer and melanoma and skin cancer</p>
<p><b>1st</b> to use naturally occurring killer cells for immunotherapy</p>	<p>Hillman researchers discovered <b>2 of the 7</b> known cancer-causing viruses</p>	<p><b>1st</b> to create and test a synthetic vaccine (MUC-1) against cancer</p>	<p><b>17</b> multidisciplinary specialty clinics</p>

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