FEEL CONFIDENT WITH A Second Opinion.



RECEIVING A CANCER DIAGNOSIS IS A LIFE-CHANGING EVENT.

You may be overwhelmed with different emotions and feel unsure about what to do next. Explore a second opinion. This can help you make a more informed decision about your cancer treatment, and can also introduce you to advanced treatment options.

CONFIRM YOUR DIAGNOSIS

Confirming your diagnosis can help you feel more confident that you are choosing the right treatment path. In some cases, a second opinion might yield a different type or stage of cancer, which changes the treatment plan.

MANAGE SIDE EFFECTS

A multidisciplinary care team dedicated to treating your cancer while also using evidence-informed supportive care services to help manage side effects, maintain energy and stay strong throughout treatment.

A DOCTOR AND FACILITY FOR YOUR NEEDS

Most doctors understand that patients have a right to a second opinion and should not feel offended. In fact, many doctors encourage it before making a treatment decision. When meeting with a new doctor, take note of the nurses and office staff to make sure you choose the team and hospital that is right for you.

GOAL: THE RIGHT TREATMENT PLAN FOR YOUR INDIVIDUAL NEEDS

One doctor may say that your cancer is untreatable, while another may be willing to explore other treatment options. If you're concerned that all of your needs aren't being met, then a second opinion might help you find the right treatment path.

Our Journey of Hope provides pastors and ministry leaders with the tools, training and support to help raise up cancer care ministries in their churches and communities.

Do you not know that your bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own; you were bought at a price. Therefore, honor God with your bodies. - I Corinthians 6:19-20 (New International Version)



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