FACTS ABOUT PANCREATIC CANCER
• Over 43,000 people will be diagnosed in the United States per year and it is the fourth leading cause of cancer death
• The risk of developing pancreatic cancer is higher among patients with certain genetic syndromes or a family history of pancreatic cancer
• Screening and early detection may improve survival for patients at increased risk

WHO IS AT RISK?
Individuals with:
• Two or more first-degree relatives with pancreatic cancer
• Three or more of any relatives with pancreatic cancer
• Certain hereditary cancer syndromes, such as:
  • Breast and ovarian cancer syndrome
  • Lynch (HNPCC)
  • Familial Atypical Multiple Mole Melanoma
  • Peutz-Jeghers
GOAL
• Identification of high-risk individuals
• Early detection and intervention
• Cancer risk reduction and prevention
• Advancing pancreatic cancer research

BENEFITS
• Multidisciplinary care from experienced gastroenterologists, radiologists, surgeons, dieticians, genetic counselors and nursing staff
• Genetic risk assessment
• Wellness counseling to reduce modifiable risk factors
• Annual screening for high-risk individuals may include endoscopic ultrasound (EUS) and MRI with the goal of detecting abnormalities at a very early stage
• Opportunity to participate in pancreatic cancer studies

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