The Lung Cancer Team combines excellent patient care with research to fight the number one cause of cancer deaths for American men and women.

- A team of lung cancer experts from multiple specialties work together to provide patients with the best cancer care available.
- The team consists of medical oncologists, thoracic surgical oncologists, radiation oncologists, pulmonologists, pathologists, radiologists and supportive care experts.
- Patient care is discussed and coordinated at a weekly lung cancer tumor board. All cases are welcome, including from community physicians.

The Medical Oncology section of the Lung Cancer Program offers:

- Highly targeted drugs that act more selectively on cancer cells and have less toxic effect on normal cells
- Clinical trials that bring the most active new agents to our patients
- Laboratory research on the biology of lung cancer
- The exploration of new strategies to prevent, diagnose and cure lung cancer

The Thoracic Surgical Oncology section of the Lung Cancer Program offers:

- Surgical approaches to lung cancer, mesothelioma and benign diseases of the pleura
- Robotic, minimally invasive surgical procedures for lung cancer

The Interventional Pulmonary section of the Lung Cancer Program offers:

- State-of-the-art minimally invasive diagnostic procedures including EBUS and navigational bronchoscopy

The Radiation Oncology section of the Lung Cancer Program offers:

- State-of-the-art equipment including stereotactic body radiosurgery and TomoTherapy®
The Medical Imaging section offers:

- Expertise when evaluating intrathoracic malignancies leading to accurate diagnosis and staging that allows for an efficient treatment plan
- Unique state-of-the-art CT scanners that expose the patient to the lowest amount of radiation in the state of Arizona

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