

### Why Take Part?

Almost every standard procedure and medication we use today were once clinical trials—made possible by patients just like you! With your help, we can secure cutting-edge treatments and new medications for the next generation of patients.

**Ask your physician if you qualify to participate in a clinical trial.**



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# CLINICAL TRIALS

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**At Montefiore Nyack Hospital, we offer individuals opportunities to participate in national clinical studies and medical research to find new ways to prevent, detect or treat disease. Participants have access to novel medicines and treatments in an environment that ensures standards of care.**

### **Who Can Participate?**

Individuals with a diagnosis that matches a trial can be evaluated to participate. Eligibility requirements may include age, gender, medical history and treatments. Interested patients can consult their doctor to determine their eligibility to participate in a clinical trial.

### **Advantages of Clinical Trials**

From treatment or prevention trials to diagnostic, screening and supportive care trials, participants are assured that the standard of medical care is strictly enforced and meets our highest standards. The medical study sponsor will often cover the expense of certain clinical trial medications, treatments and procedures. Patients can leave a clinical trial at any time and for any reason.

### **Types of Studies**

Clinical trials may include new drugs, new combinations of drugs, vaccines, improved tests and advanced treatment procedures, such as advanced immunotherapy and targeted therapies. Trials include research on lung, colon, breast and prostate cancers, as well as blood disorders. The complete list of current trials can be accessed at [www.montefiorenyack.org/clinical-trials](http://www.montefiorenyack.org/clinical-trials).

### **Who We Are**

Montefiore Nyack Hospital is one of 1,200 institutions worldwide that are part of the ECOG-ACRIN Cancer Research Group, which conducts cancer research involving adults who have or are at risk of developing cancer. We are part of studies at multiple national and international sites that test the treatments in larger groups of patients. Our studies tend to be late Phase II, Phase III or IV, meaning the treatments have already been shown effective in earlier phases.