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Lung Cancer E-chart: Full Illustrated

Lung cancer

Lung cancer is the most common cause of cancer death in the United States. It is the leading cause of cancer death among men and the second leading cause among women. Lung cancer is a group of diseases that start in the lung. The most common type is called non-small cell lung cancer. The second most common type is called small cell lung cancer. Lung cancer is a group of diseases that start in the lung. The most common type is called non-small cell lung cancer. The second most common type is called small cell lung cancer.

Classification

There are two main types of lung cancer, which are classified according to the way the cancer cells appear under a microscope. The two types are **non-small cell lung cancer** and **small cell lung cancer**. Each of these types grows, spreads, and is treated differently.

1) Non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) is the most common type of lung cancer, accounting for 85% of all lung cancers. It is the most common type of cancer among men and the second most common among women. It is a group of diseases that start in the lung. The most common type is called adenocarcinoma. The second most common type is called squamous cell carcinoma. The third most common type is called large cell carcinoma.


2) Small cell lung cancer (SCLC) is the second most common type of lung cancer, accounting for 15% of all lung cancers. It is a group of diseases that start in the lung. The most common type is called oat cell carcinoma. The second most common type is called lymphoma. The third most common type is called sarcoma.

Causes

- Cigarette smoking
- Secondhand smoke
- Radon gas
- Asbestos
- Environmental air pollution
- Family history of lung cancer


Squamous cell carcinoma or epidermoid carcinoma

It is the second most common type of lung cancer. It is a group of diseases that start in the lung. The most common type is called squamous cell carcinoma. The second most common type is called epidermoid carcinoma. The third most common type is called large cell carcinoma.




Adenocarcinoma

It is the most common type of lung cancer. It is a group of diseases that start in the lung. The most common type is called adenocarcinoma. The second most common type is called squamous cell carcinoma. The third most common type is called large cell carcinoma.




Large-cell carcinoma

It is the third most common type of lung cancer. It is a group of diseases that start in the lung. The most common type is called large-cell carcinoma. The second most common type is called squamous cell carcinoma. The third most common type is called adenocarcinoma.



Small cell lung cancer

It is the second most common type of lung cancer. It is a group of diseases that start in the lung. The most common type is called small cell lung cancer. The second most common type is called squamous cell carcinoma. The third most common type is called adenocarcinoma.



Risk factors

- Smoking or exposure to secondhand smoke
- Radon gas
- Asbestos
- Environmental air pollution
- Family history of lung cancer


Diagnosis

Diagnosis of lung cancer is usually made by a combination of the following methods:

- Physical examination
- Chest X-ray
- CT scan
- PET scan
- Biopsy

Lung cancer Metastasis

Metastasis is the spread of cancer cells from the primary site to other parts of the body. Lung cancer can metastasize to other parts of the body, such as the brain, bones, and liver.



Prognosis

The prognosis for lung cancer depends on the stage of the disease at the time of diagnosis. The most common type of lung cancer is non-small cell lung cancer. The second most common type is small cell lung cancer. The third most common type is squamous cell carcinoma.



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