



Dignity Health Research Institute

St. Joseph's Cancer Institute

Oncology Research Program

St. Joseph's Cancer Institute, part of the Dignity Health system, provides a full range of cancer treatment and support services, including world-class care provided by a multi-disciplinary team. An important part of the center's ongoing commitment to excellence includes leadership in the field of cancer research.

The physicians and staff of St. Joseph's Cancer Institute are focused on identifying new technology, procedures and devices that will positively impact our patients, improving their symptoms, their prognosis and their quality of life.

About the Program

St. Joseph's Cancer Institute is proud to be a part of multiple multi-center, national and international clinical research trials. The program is led by dedicated physicians and professional research staff. This team actively participates in numerous National Institutes of Health studies and Industry Sponsored trials.

The mission of the oncology research program is to support continued innovation in the field of oncology care, with the goal of finding new ways to provide timely and effective treatment to patients diagnosed with cancer.

About Dignity Health Research Institute

At Dignity Health, we strongly believe in the benefits of clinical research and are committed to leading the way in the advancement and use of new and evolving technology and procedures. Our vast research program speaks to this commitment.

Dignity Health as a system offers more than 1,000 active clinical trials and research protocols to its patients in Arizona, California and Nevada.

Dignity Health Research Institute for California & Nevada provides centralized research administration infrastructure and support including contracting, budgeting, financial management and IRB oversight for all research sites across our California & Nevada markets.



St. Joseph's Cancer Institute Research Program

For more information or to inquire about participation in an ongoing trial, please call 209.467.6560.

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Research Program Resources

St. Joseph's Cancer Institute is a certified Comprehensive Cancer Center and is also certified as a Breast Center of Excellence. In addition to the Principal Investigators listed above, the research program includes dedicated Research RN Coordinators.

Academia Affiliations

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Current Active Clinical Trials

St. Joseph's Cancer Institute research program engages in a variety of ongoing active clinical trials, all with the goal of improving outcomes for patients diagnosed with various forms of cancer. Among the topics regularly included in trials are breast cancer, including high risk, BRCA positive, and metastatic.

Other studied cancers are non-small cell lung cancer and prostate cancer. Dr. Guuravjit Singh is leading his own study looking at non-contact low-frequency ultrasound to determine if it will improve quality of life and pain in breast cancer patients with radiation dermatitis.

