



Lung Cancer metastasis is when the cancer spreads to other parts of the body.



Tumors may spread through blood vessels and the lymphatic system.



Up to 70% of lung cancer patients experience metastasis at diagnosis.



Small cell lung cancer (SCLC) tends to spread more quickly but other forms like non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) also experience metastasis.

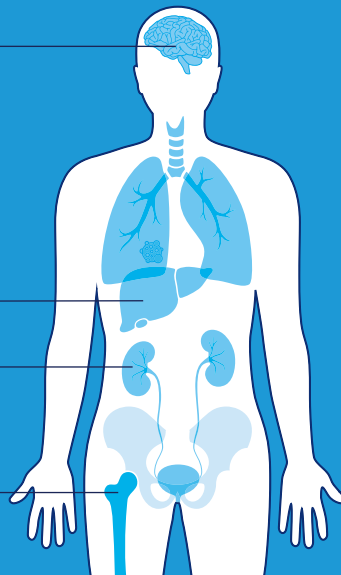
Lung cancer patients experience metastasis at some point in their diagnosis with a rate of,

50% to the brain

20% to the liver

40% to an adrenal gland

30% to bone



In many cases, a metastasis can occur in two or more organs, this is considered **oligometastatic lung cancer**. A metastasis can cause additional symptoms and complications depending on the organs affected. This may play a role in the treatment path that health care teams would recommend.

Ask your doctor about all your treatment options.

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