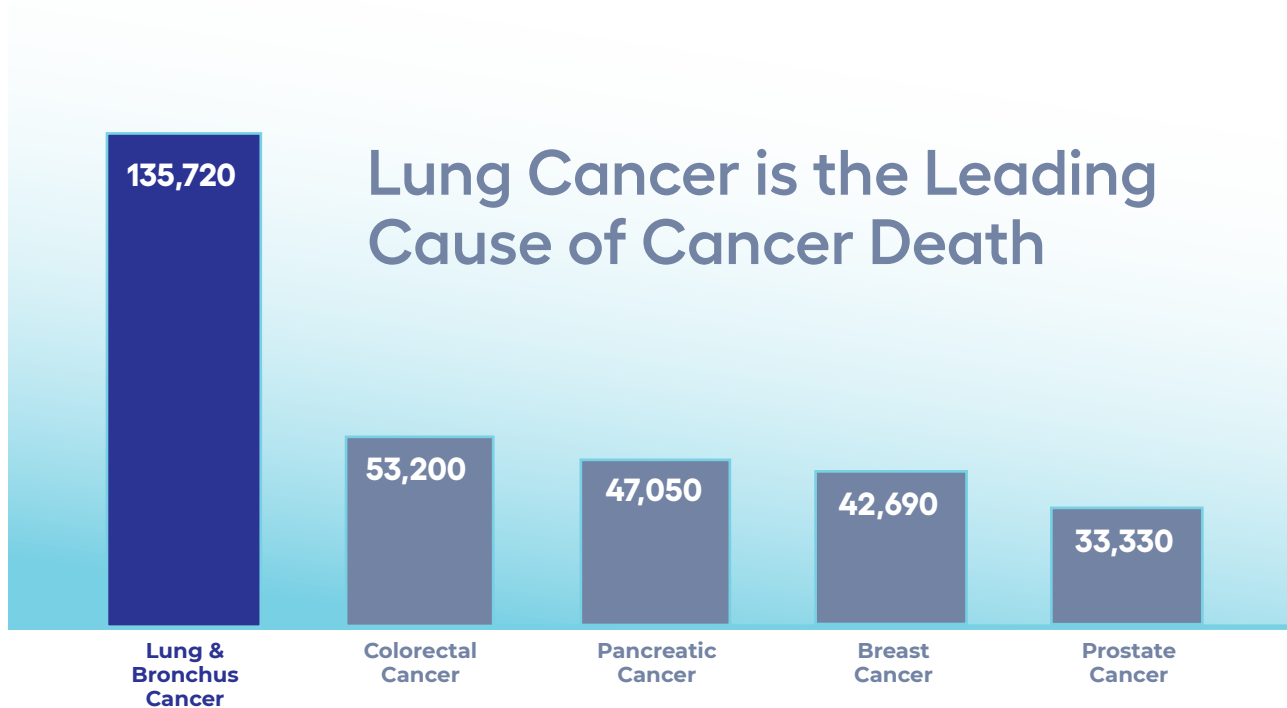


# 2020 Lung Cancer Facts<sup>1</sup>



This year  
**228,820**  
Americans will  
be diagnosed  
with lung cancer.

Lung cancer is the  
leading cancer killer  
of men & women.

Lung cancer is the  
leading cancer  
killer of every  
ethnic group.

## ANYONE CAN GET LUNG CANCER

Of the men and women with lung cancer, **17.9%** are never smokers.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> American Cancer Society. Cancer Facts & Figures 2020. Atlanta: American Cancer Society; 2020

<sup>2</sup> Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report, "Cigarette Smoking Among Adults -- United States, 2006". November 9, 2007/ 56(44):1157-1161.



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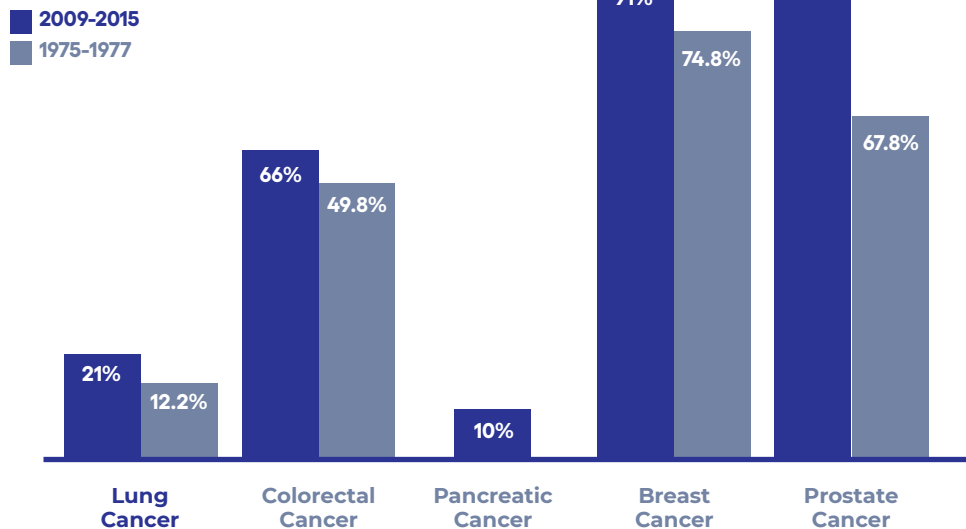
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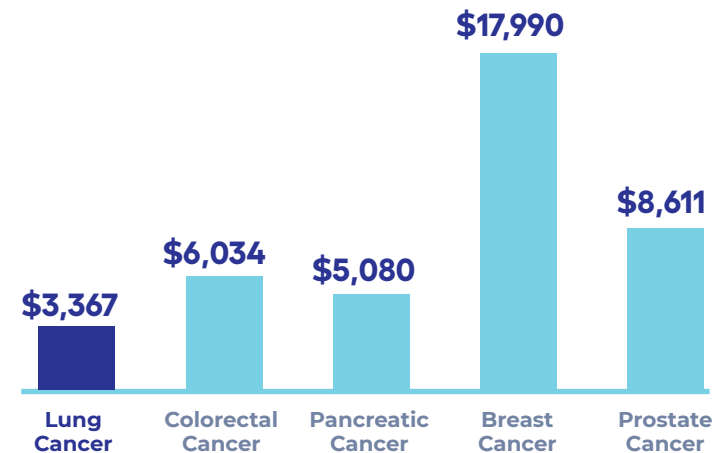
# 2020 Lung Cancer Facts<sup>1</sup>

Lung Cancer is the Leading Cause of Cancer Death,  
But Receives the Least Amount of Federal Research Funding.

## 5 YEAR SURVIVAL RATE<sup>3</sup> Of Top 5 Cancer Killers



## NIH RESEARCH DOLLARS PER DEATH<sup>4</sup> Of Top 5 Cancer Killers (ESTIMATED 2020)



<sup>3</sup> American Cancer Society. Cancer Facts & Figures 2020. Atlanta: American Cancer Society; 2020.

<sup>4</sup> "Estimates of Funding for Various Research, Condition, and Disease Categories (RCDC)." NIH Research Portfolio Online Reporting Tools, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, [https://report.nih.gov/categorical\\_spending.aspx](https://report.nih.gov/categorical_spending.aspx). (divided by total mortality per cancer type)