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**Help People Impacted
by Lung Cancer**

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Cracking the Code on Lung Cancer in Younger Adults

There is a growing cohort of younger adults who are being diagnosed with lung cancer. Alarmingly, the research points to an increase not only in diagnosis at a young age—but particularly in women. Although the average age for a lung cancer diagnosis is 70, research into lung cancer diagnoses in people under age 40 is yielding results. But more research is needed. What's going on?



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Increasing Diversity in Clinical Trials

It may seem like clinical trials are suddenly top of mind here at GO2 Foundation, with new articles about inclusive research and demystifying them with a brand-new FAQ. But clinical trials and the diversity of the patients within them have always been a high priority.

Help researchers understand the impact of lung cancer therapies on your sexual health. Take the SHAWL survey from the Lung Cancer Registry.

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3 Keys to a More Integrated Approach to Lung Health

McLeod Health was looking for a better way to detect and track lung health across its one million plus patient population. The health system includes 7 hospitals across South Carolina, along with a growing network of primary care doctors and family physicians. McLeod turned to GO2 Foundation for help in creating an integrated approach across their care continuum. That approach, known as the Healthy Lungs Initiative, is already showing results.



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Jog for Jill—and Honor the Woman who Inspired a Generation.

One person can make a difference. If you have any doubt, look no further than the legacy of Jill Costello, a college student at the University of California at Berkeley who was diagnosed with Stage 4 lung cancer at age 20. Her motto was “Beat Lung Cancer,” a sentiment that her coach and teammates on the Cal Berkeley crew team had permanently etched on their boat.

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Lung Cancer: No Silly Questions

A lung cancer diagnosis can be physically, mentally, and emotionally draining. One thing you should never worry about is asking your doctor or treatment team questions. You may feel like questions running through your head should be common sense or might be assumed—but rest assured knowing that the only silly cancer question is the one that isn't asked. Plus, there's a good chance that others are wondering the same thing.



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