

Our goal is to provide you with additional services to complement the care you provide to your patients.

#### OUR STAFF:

Our staff consists of board-certified genetics experts in addition to a multidisciplinary team of healthcare providers.

#### AREAS OF CONSULTATION:

- Comprehensive evaluation for inherited cancer risk, prior to initiation of genetic testing
- Support following receipt of genetic test results including:
  - Interpretation of genetic test results
  - Evaluation of complex family history
  - Consideration of rare hereditary cancer syndromes
  - Development of cancer risk management plans

#### HOW DO I GET INFORMATION?

Our counseling and testing service is comprised of board-certified genetics experts. To set up a genetic counseling appointment at one of our Vanderbilt Hereditary Cancer Clinics, please call:

**(615) 343-7400**

#### ONLINE LINKS FOR DIRECT REFERRALS

Provider referrals:  
[bit.ly/ProviderReferral](http://bit.ly/ProviderReferral)  
Patient self-referrals:  
[bit.ly/PatientSelfReferral](http://bit.ly/PatientSelfReferral)

## For More Information

Patient and Physician Resources

#### INHERITED CANCER REGISTRY (ICARE)

ICARE is a means by which we partner with healthcare providers and patients to provide clinical updates and research opportunities focused on inherited cancer risk. To learn more, visit [InheritedCancer.net](http://InheritedCancer.net) or contact the study team:  
Email: [ICARE@inheritedcancer.net](mailto:ICARE@inheritedcancer.net)  
Phone: (615) 875-2444  
Fax: (615) 343-3343  
[facebook.com/ICARERegistry](https://facebook.com/ICARERegistry)



#### NATIONAL SOCIETY OF GENETIC COUNSELORS (NSGC)

To locate genetic counseling services close to you, visit: [NSGC.org/page/find-a-gc-search](http://NSGC.org/page/find-a-gc-search)

#### NATIONAL CANCER INSTITUTE PDQ®

The PDQ Genetics Cancer Information Summaries, supported through the National Cancer Institute, is an online resource through which information about inherited cancer predisposition is continuously reviewed and updated by a national group of experts. This web-based freely available resource is designed to make the most current, credible and accurate information focused on inherited cancers available to health professionals and the public: [Cancer.gov/about-cancer/causes-prevention/genetics/overview-pdq](http://Cancer.gov/about-cancer/causes-prevention/genetics/overview-pdq)

 VANDERBILT-INGRAM CANCER CENTER

Nashville, TN  
[VICC.org](http://VICC.org)

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## Evaluating Patients for Inherited Cancer Susceptibility

 VANDERBILT-INGRAM CANCER CENTER

## OUR EXPERTS PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING SERVICES:

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### Comprehensive Genetic Risk Assessment for Inherited Cancer Prior to Testing:

- Evaluate inherited cancer risk through comprehensive review of personal and family cancer history
- Discuss available genetic testing options to evaluate cancer risks
- Discuss the benefits and considerations of testing, including insurance coverage and confidentiality
- Help patients decide if genetic testing is right for them
- Explain the process for ordering genetic testing
- Discuss medical management options based on family history and/or testing results
  - This can include assistance with decision making prior to initiating cancer treatment
- Discuss the emotional impact of cancer risk information on an individual and family members



### Support Following Receipt of Genetic Test Results:

#### POSITIVE TEST RESULT

New research on management options is constantly being published. We can provide your patients with the latest information about:

- Personalized cancer treatments
- Personalized cancer prevention strategies
- Research opportunities

You can use this information to manage your patients' cancer risks and refer them to other specialists as needed.

#### NEGATIVE TEST RESULT (WHEN A POSITIVE RESULT WAS EXPECTED)

Our experts can interpret negative test results based on individual risk assessments. In some instances, we may consider:

- Other cancer genetic syndromes
- Additional testing
- Testing other family members to clarify risk

#### VARIANT OF UNCERTAIN SIGNIFICANCE (VUS) RESULT

VUS results pose challenges to interpretation for healthcare providers and patients. We may be able to provide assistance with strategies to clarify results.

#### COMPLEX FAMILY HISTORY

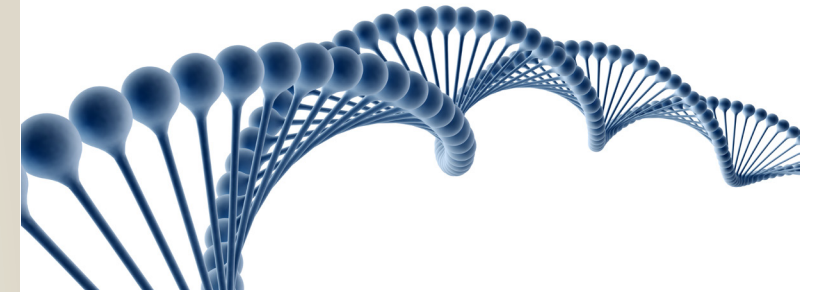
In these instances we can:

- Evaluate your patients for other rare inherited cancer genes for which we may not typically test
- Facilitate gene testing, as appropriate
- Facilitate research enrollment, as appropriate

### FACILITATE TESTING IN AT-RISK FAMILY MEMBERS OF KNOWN MUTATION CARRIERS

In these instances we can discuss:

- The inheritance pattern of the known mutation
- Options for genetic testing
- A personalized cancer risk management plan



### CLINIC LOCATIONS:

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The Village at Vanderbilt  
1500 21st Avenue S., Suite 2500  
Nashville, TN 37212

One Hundred Oaks  
719 Thompson Lane, Suite 25000  
Nashville, TN 37204

Access to appointments through telemedicine are being expanded. If interested, email us at [telegenetics@vumc.org](mailto:telegenetics@vumc.org) for information regarding options and health insurance coverage information.