

LUNG CONNECT INDIA FOUNDATION'S



142nd

SUPPORT GROUP MEETING MUMBAI-MAHARASHTRA

Topic

TUBERCULOSIS AND LUNG CANCER UNDERSTANDING THE DIFFERENCE

Followed by Q & A Session by Dr Mehak Trikha

GUEST SPEAKERS



DR DEVAYANI NIYOGI

Surgical Oncologist
TMH, Mumbai



DR MEHAK TRIKHA

Medical Oncologist
TMH, Mumbai



MR RAVI

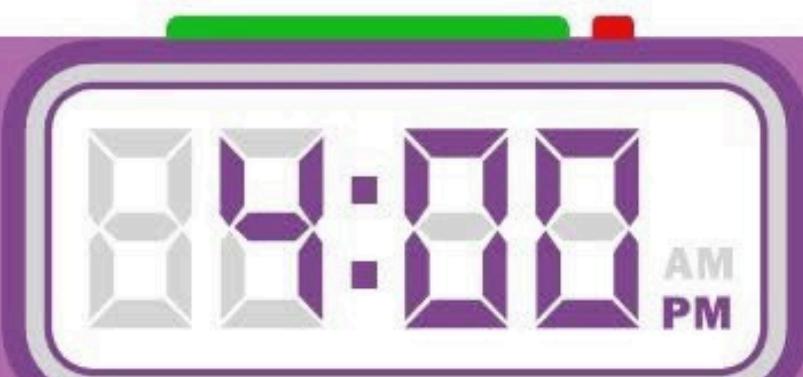
Caregiver
Uttar Pradesh

MODERATOR



MS VANDANA MAHAJAN

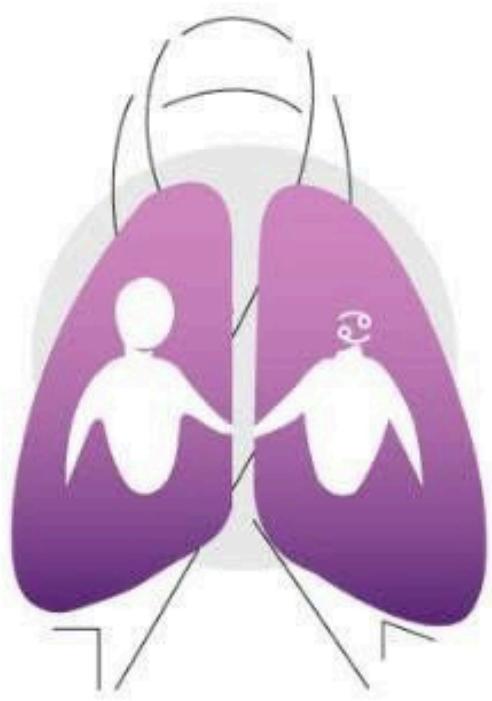
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142ND SUPPORT GROUP MEETING – MUMBAI

TB AND LUNG CANCER- UNDERSTANDING THE DIFFERENCES

KEY TAKEAWAYS

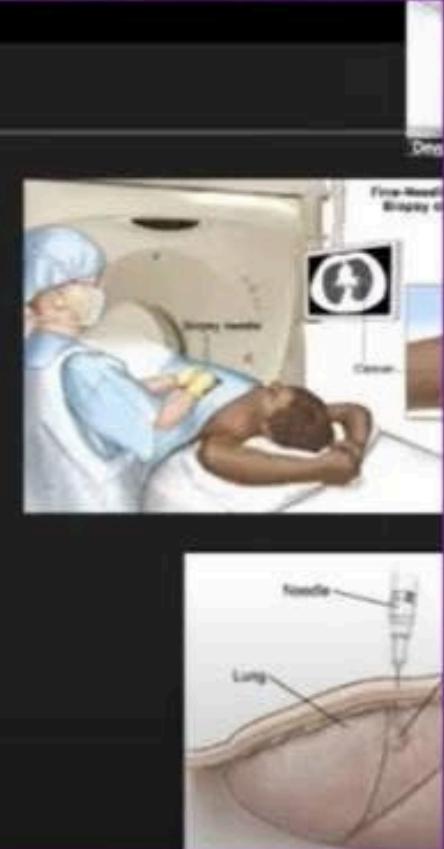
- Lung Connect successfully concluded its 142nd Support Group Meeting which was held on 9th May, 2025
- Dr Devayani took an insightful session related to TB and lung cancer.
- She explained to everyone in simple terms why doctors get confused between the two.
- However she mentioned even after having 6 weeks of TB medicine, you are not feeling better- you must go for lung cancer screening.
- We had Dr Mehak Trikha who solved the queries of the meeting participants.
- We heard the challenges faced by caregiver from Sanjay Kumar.

DIAGNOSTIC

Sputum examination

CT guided biopsy

TB and Lung cancer can co-exist!



PANELIST:

DR DEVAYANI NIYOGI
SURGICAL ONCOLOGIST
TMH, MUMBAI



DR MEHAK TRIKHA
MEDICAL ONCOLOGIST
TMH, MUMBAI



MR SANJAY KUMAR
CAREGIVER



143rd

SUPPORT GROUP MEETING

UP-BIHAR



Topic: The Role of Clinical Trials in Shaping the Future of Lung Cancer Treatment

Followed by Q&A session with Dr Akhil Kapoor and Dr Amit Kumar



DR AKHIL KAPOOR

Medical Oncologist
TMH, Varanasi



DR AMIT KUMAR

Medical Oncologist
Medanta Hospital
Patna

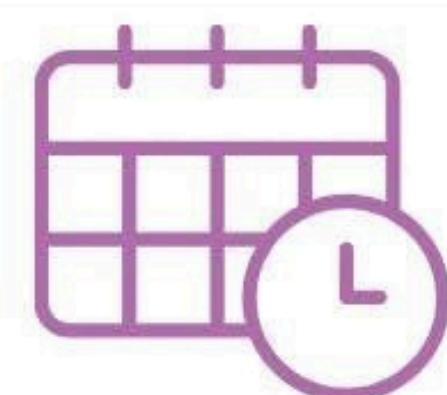


ASHOK KUMAR

Lung Cancer Warrior and
Patient Advocate

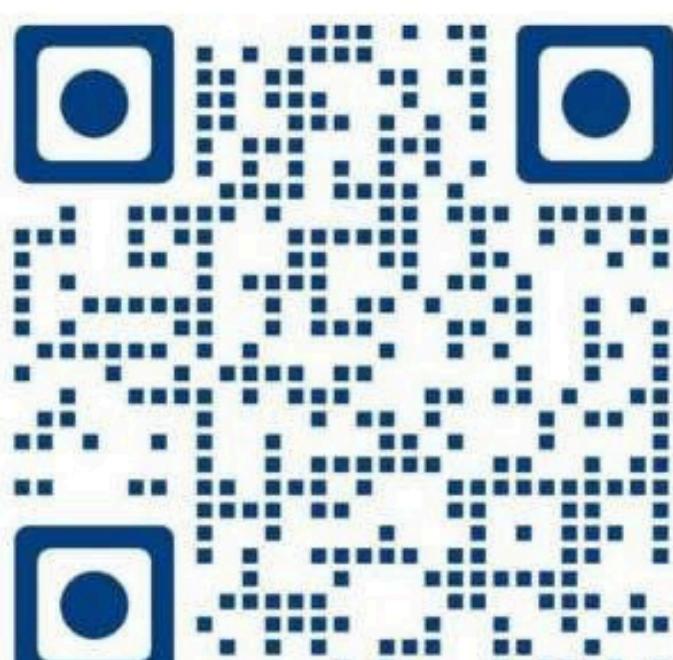
PRABHAT RANJAN

Caregiver, Moderator

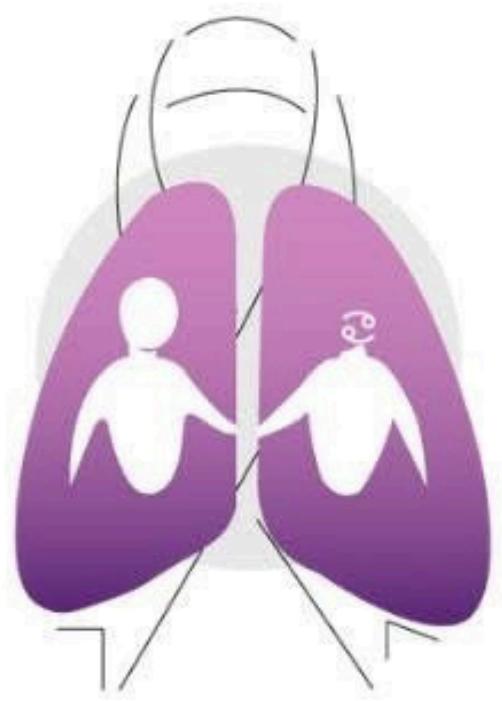


**14th May, 2025
4pm onwards**

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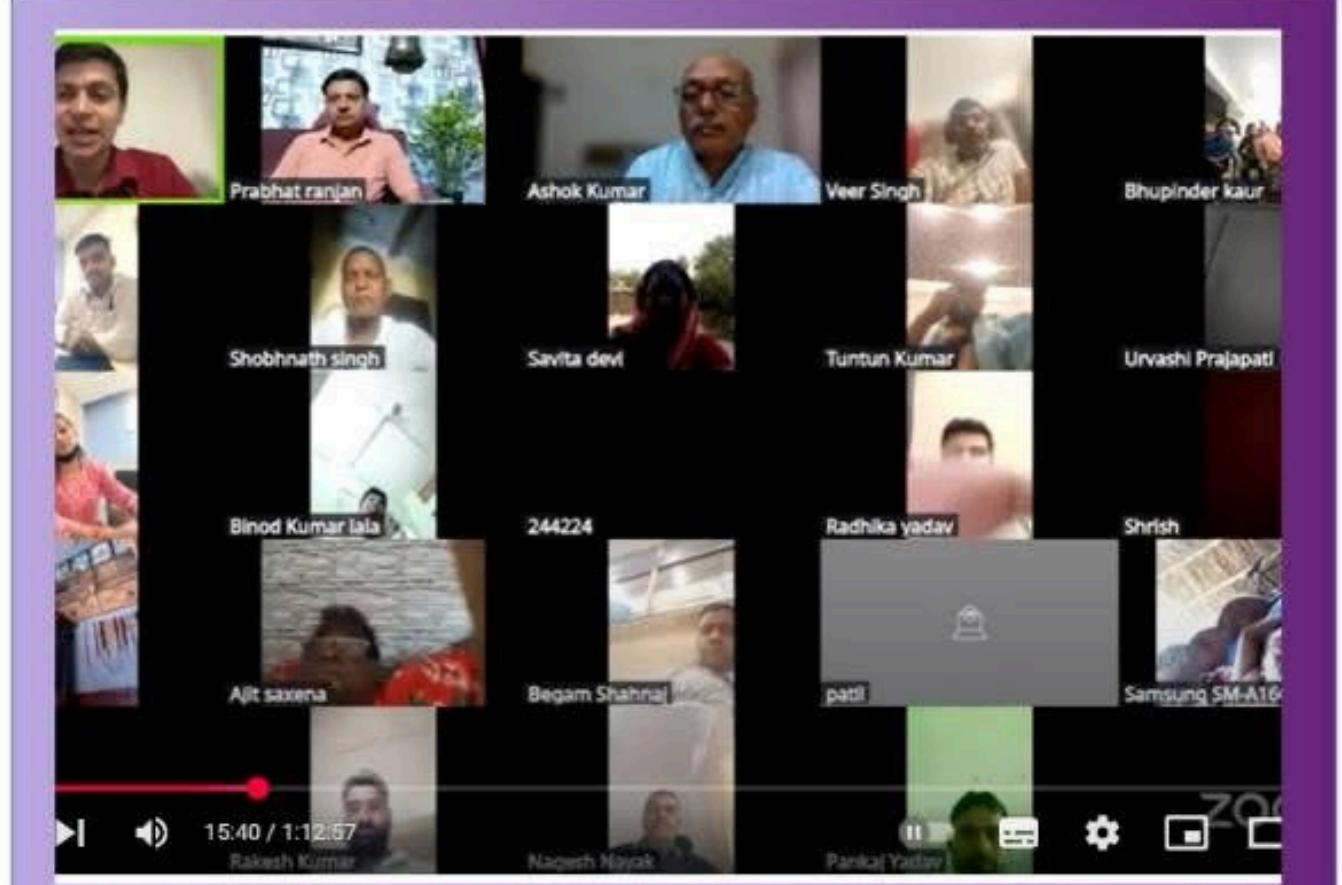
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143RD SUPPORT GROUP MEETING- UP- BIHAR

IMPORTANCE OF CLINICAL TRIALS IN LUNG CANCER

KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Lung Connect conducted its 143rd Support Group Meeting on 14th May, 2025.
- This time, we had Dr Akhil talking about the clinical trials for lung cancer in India and its importance.
- 40-50% people get common mutations- ALK, EGFR etc.
- However, the next generation medicines are available in the clinical trials before govt approval.
- You may also think about this as a society upliftment.
- Dr Akhil also helped to solve all the queries of participants.



PANELISTS:

DR. AKHIL KAPOOR
Medical Oncologist
MPMMCC, Varanasi



DR. AMIT KUMAR
Senior Consultant Medical Oncology,
Medanta Hospital, Patna



PRABHAT RANJAN
Caregiver
Moderator



37TH GERIATRICS OPD SUPPORT GROUP MEETING

Every fight becomes a little bit easier when we fight it together.



TOPIC OF DISCUSSION

Mobility and falls prevention for older patients

We have Dr. Anupa Pillai and Dr. Dharampal as our support.

We also welcome our guest Dr Nabila Ansari

FRIDAY- 16th MAY, 2025

4:00 pm



Dr Nabila Ansari
Onco Occupational Therapist
TMH, Mumbai



Dr Dharampal
Medical Oncologist
Tata Memorial Hospital



Dr Anupa Pillai
Geriatrician
Tata Memorial Hospital



Ratan Dhekale
Patient Advocate
Moderator

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144th



SUPPORT GROUP MEETING- GUJARAT

TOPIC

TOBACCO AND IT'S SIDE EFFECTS



KEYNOTE SPEAKER

DR PALAK BHATT
MEDICAL ONCOLOGIST
ONCOWIN CANCER CENTRE
AHMEDABAD



DR RUSHABH KOTHARI
MEDICAL ONCOLOGIST
AHMEDABAD



PARESH SHAH
PATIENT ADVOCATE

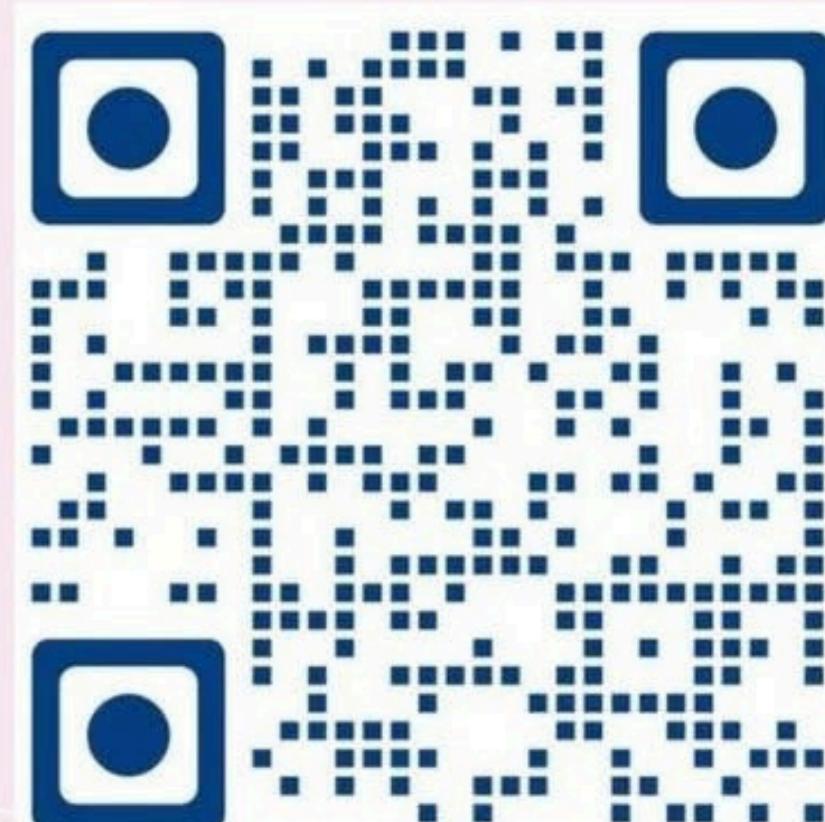


SUCHISMITA DAS
MODERATOR

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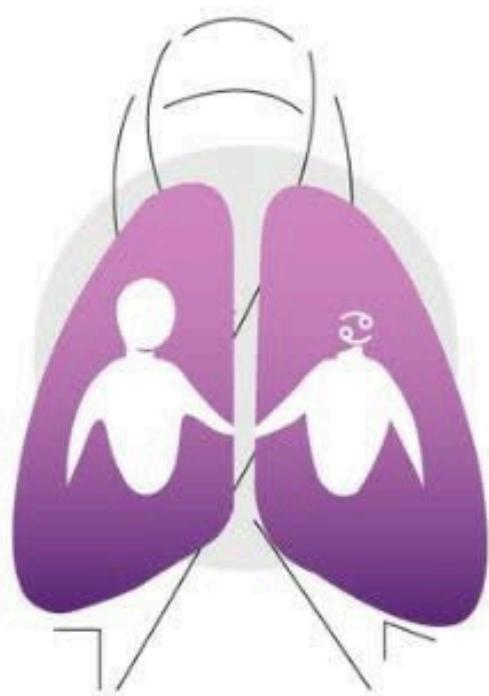
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144TH SUPPORT GROUP MEETING – GUJARAT

TOBACCO AND ITS SIDE EFFECTS

KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Lung Connect successfully concluded its 144th Support Group Meeting - Gujarat which was held on 30th May, 2025.
- This time we had Dr Palak who spoke a very important topic - Tobacco Consumption and its risk factors on the occasion of World No Tobacco Day.
- Tobacco in all forms still adds to 70-80% lung cancer cases all over the world.
- It not only causes harm to your health also wastes money.
- He also solved our patient queries.
- We had our regular supporters Ashok Kumar and Prabhat Ranjan who spoke about our newest initiative- Buddy Program.

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