

10 Questions to Ask Your Doctor About Immunotherapy for Ovarian Cancer

Being diagnosed with ovarian cancer can feel overwhelming, and understanding your treatment options can make a big difference. Asking the right questions can help you take an active role in your care, make informed decisions, and feel more prepared for conversations with your health care team.

Here are 10 questions you may want to ask your doctor:

- 1 What exact type and stage of ovarian, fallopian tube, or primary peritoneal cancer do I have?
- 2 Should I be treated by or get a second opinion from a gynecologic oncologist?
- 3 Have I had both genetic testing and tumor biomarker testing?
- 4 Which of my genetic or biomarker results affect my treatment options, and do they have any implications for my family?
- 5 Is my cancer considered platinum-sensitive or platinum-resistant, and how does that affect my options?
- 6 Is immunotherapy a recommended option for me right now, and if so, which treatment or combination would I receive?
- 7 What side effects should I watch for, and when should I call you?
- 8 How will we monitor whether treatment is working, and what role will scans and CA-125 testing play?
- 9 Are there clinical trials I should consider now or in the future?
- 10 What support is available for me and my family, including emotional support, fertility or menopause care, financial resources, and help managing treatment?



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