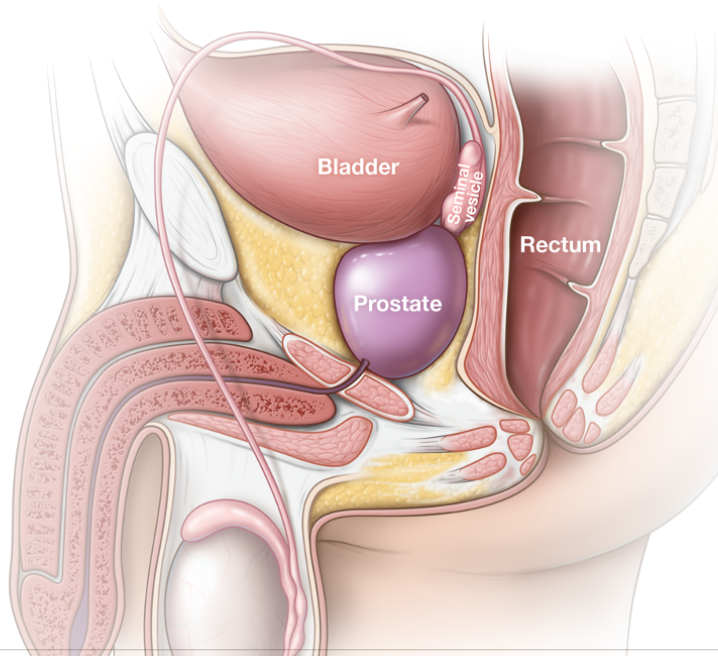


Prostate Cancer US Statistics

WHAT TO KNOW ABOUT PROSTATE CANCER

FOR MEN IN THE UNITED STATES



WHAT IS THE PROSTATE?

The prostate is a gland about the size of a walnut, found only in men. Its function is to produce part of the fluid contained in semen to nourish and protect the sperm.

WHAT IS PROSTATE CANCER?

Prostate cancer occurs when cells in the prostate gland begin to grow out of control. Almost all prostate cancers develop from glandular cells. Glandular cells make the fluid that is added to the semen.

As men live longer, the incidence of prostate cancer is rising worldwide, and prostate cancer continues to be a major health problem. Thanks to years of dedication and commitment to research, there have been many advances in the treatment of prostate cancer.

PROSTATE CANCER PREVALENCE In the US¹

Other than skin cancer,

prostate cancer is the **most common cancer** in American men

~290,000 men in the US are diagnosed yearly with prostate cancer



1 in 8 men in the US will be diagnosed in their lifetime

PROSTATE CANCER SURVIVAL RATE¹

Prostate cancer is the second leading cause of death from cancer in men, however

98% of men survive prostate cancer*

Most men diagnosed with prostate cancer do not die from it. More than

3.1 million

men in the US who have been diagnosed with prostate cancer are still alive today¹

PROSTATE CANCER INCIDENCE AND PREVALENCE¹



AGE – prostate cancer occurs mainly in older men

- About 6 cases in 10 are diagnosed in men aged 65 or older, and it is rare before age 40
- The average age at the time of diagnosis is about 66



ETHNICITY – prostate cancer is more likely to develop in non-Hispanic Black men, and less likely in Asian-American and Hispanic/Latino men



FAMILY HISTORY – having a father or brother with prostate cancer more than doubles a man's risk of developing it. However, most prostate cancers occur in men without a family history of it



WATCHFUL WAITING/ACTIVE SURVEILLANCE



HORMONE THERAPY



RADIATION THERAPY



SURGERY
(removal of prostate gland)