# UVA Hematologic Malignancy and Stem Cell Transplantation Program

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UVA Cancer Center

## Multidisciplinary Team of Hematology Experts

At UVA Cancer Center, our multidisciplinary team of hematologists, medical oncologists, hematopathologists, dedicated nurses, pharmacists and social workers provide expert, comprehensive care.

The cytogenetic, molecular and other hematology/ oncology labs at UVA specialize in testing that is critical in the diagnosis and treatment of blood cancers.

Patients with these conditions often need long-term follow-up and care, a priority of our hematology team. Our multidisciplinary team meets weekly to discuss each patient's care plan and progress, ensuring that every patient treated at UVA receives the input of the entire team.

# Hematologic Malignancy Disorders Treated

- Acute myeloid leukemia
- Acute lymphoblastic leukemia/lymphoblastic lymphoma
- Acute promyelocytic leukemia
- Burkitt lymphoma/leukemia
- Diffuse large B-cell lymphoma
- Primary mediastinal B-cell lymphoma
- Hodgkin lymphoma
- Anaplastic large cell lymphoma

- T-cell lymphoma
- Mantle cell lymphoma
- Myeloproliferative neoplasms
- Multiple myeloma/Waldenstrom macroglobulinemia
- Aplastic anemia
- Myelodysplastic syndromes
- Chronic lymphocytic leukemia
- Follicular lymphoma
- Bone marrow failure syndromes
- Mycosis fungoides/cutaneous lymphoma
- Marginal zone lymphoma

### Targeted Therapies/Immunotherapy

UVA Cancer Center offers the latest in targeted therapies, including immunotherapy and novel agents such as tyrosine kinase inhibitors and immune-modulating agents. Patients have ready access to clinical trials not offered at other cancer centers in the region.

### UVA Stem Cell Transplantation Program

The UVA Stem Cell Transplantation Program treats patients with high-risk and life-threatening blood diseases such as leukemia, lymphoma, multiple myeloma, myelodysplastic syndrome and others. Our center is one of only two programs in Virginia recognized by the National Marrow Donor Program (NMDP) with access to Be the Match<sup>®</sup>, the world's largest and most diverse bone marrow donor registry, greatly expanding

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the number of transplants we are able to provide to our patients. We are able to perform autologous and reduced intensity allogeneic transplant safely up to age 75.

Our Stem Cell Transplantation Program is accredited by the Foundation for the Accreditation of Cellular Therapy (FACT). FACT accreditation is the threshold for excellence in cellular therapy, including bone marrow or cord blood transplant, and focuses on quality care. We are approved for care by all the major insurance companies and payors.

#### Transplants Performed at UVA

- Autologous bone marrow transplant
- Allogeneic bone marrow transplant (cord blood, unrelated and related)
- Haploidentical stem cell transplant
- Umbilical cord blood transplant

For a consultation or to refer a patient, please call **434.924.9333**.

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