

Systemic Spread

Take home points



- Systemic spread (metastatic disease) is when cancer has spread to places beyond the original location to other organs in the body.
- If a cancer first developed in one organ but then starts growing in another organ, the type of cancer or diagnosis doesn't change.
- For most cancers, there are many available treatment options for metastatic disease that can help control the cancer, sometimes for long periods.

What should I ask my doctor?

- Has my cancer spread?
- If so, has it spread to other organs?
- Is there effective treatment for my cancer?

Other questions I have...

Other questions I want to ask my doctor.

What I am thinking...

My notes and thoughts.

What I am feeling...

How I feel about this information.
