



Decoding STK11 in Lung Cancer Therapy

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Explore the critical role of biomarker testing in lung cancer treatment with Dr. Salman Punekar, Medical Oncologist at NYU Langone Health. Specializing in early-phase clinical development, Dr. Punekar explains the function of the biomarker STK11, a newer discovery shaping approaches to non-small cell lung cancer therapies.

Guests

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Lung Cancer survivor. In March of 2021, Stephanie Williams had a mild cough with some wheezing. She assumed it was allergies. This lingering cough didn't go away, so Stephanie brought it up at her regular appointment. When her doctor ordered a chest X-ray, they revealed a mass.



Resources:

- [Learn more about STK11](#)
- [Unraveling the Role of STK11/LKB1 in Non-small Cell Lung Cancer - PM](#)

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