

Proton Therapy - fewer side effects and better results because **A CURE IS NOT ENOUGH**

At Oklahoma Proton Center, we are dedicated to bringing state-of-the-art care to patients with cancer in a comfortable outpatient setting. Our team uses proton therapy, the most precise form of radiation treatment available for cancer, to effectively treat patients while reducing unnecessary treatment related side effects.

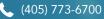
Through purposeful collaboration, our doctors are committed to providing exceptional patient care in a healing environment. We work closely with clinicians at cancer centers around the area to provide a multi-speciality team approach to cancer care. Patients receiving proton therapy often receive other complementary forms of treatment, such as surgery or chemotherapy, as part of a comprehensive treatment regimen. Your overall well-being is our top priority, and we aim to help you maintain your current lifestyle as much as possible.

BENEFITS

- Reduced risk of damage to healthy tissue and organs
- Less risk of short- and long-term side effects
- Can be used to treat recurrent tumors even in patients who have already received traditional forms of radiation
- Lower incidences of secondary tumors
- Shown to be effective in adults and children

PROVEN RESULTS: Proton therapy has been used to treat nearly 200,000 cancer patients since 1954 and is a treatment of choice at many of the top cancer centers in the United States. Hundreds of clinical papers have been published documenting the clinical benefits of proton therapy versus other forms of radiation for cancer.

INSURANCE COVERAGE: Medicare offers broad coverage for proton therapy. Commercial insurance companies also cover many different disease sites. The financial team at Oklahoma Proton Center works side by side with patients to help them navigate the insurance process.





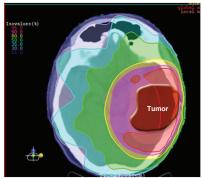
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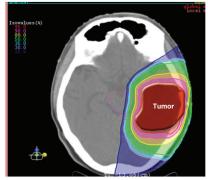
The Oklahoma Proton Center is one of just 30 proton therapy centers in the country and one of only 5 in the southwest. It opened as the 6th proton center in the country in 2009 and has been a leader in the field for the past decade. Nearly 3,000 patients have traveled from around the world, including from 38 different states, to Oklahoma City for state-of-the-art treatment at the Center. The 60,000 square foot facility is at the corner of MacArthur and Memorial adjacent to the INTEGRIS Cancer Institute.

X-Rays



With X-Ray radiation treatments, such as IMRT, TomoTherapy and Cyberknife, more healthy tissue is exposed to radiation. (colored area indicates radiation exposure)

Protons



With protons, because protons can be stopped inside the tumor, less healthy tissue is exposed to radiation. (grey/white area indicates no radiation exposure)

TUMORS LISTED BELOW BENEFIT THE MOST FROM PROTON THERAPY.*

Prostate | Brain | Breast | Pediatric | Lung | Head & Neck | Gastrointestinal * Additional tumors may also be treated with proton therapy.