







BUSINESS **SPOT**LIGHT

Pottstown Hospital

Pottstown Hospital offers many award-winning, accredited, and certified medical services close to home. Combined with our compassionate care, there is no need to travel far. Among those to receive high patient satisfaction scores are the Pottstown Hospital Cancer Center and Pottstown Hospital Outpatient Therapy Department.

Pottstown Hospital Cancer Center

The Pottstown Hospital Cancer Center is nationally recognized by the American College of Surgeon's Commission on Cancer and the American College of Radiation Oncology. Every cancer is different, and our multidisciplinary cancer care team works together to develop a comprehensive plan of care personalized to our patient's specific diagnosis. We gather members from various parts of our cancer care team to plan the most effective strategy for treatment. This multidisciplinary approach includes the latest advances in chemotherapy, radiation, immunotherapy, clinical trials, surgery and more. We also include a wide range of integrative therapies and support services, coordinated to delivery cancer treatment, in one convenient setting.

Pottstown Hospital Cancer Center is home to:

- Advanced cancer treatments and therapies
- Board certified physicians
- Oncology certified nurses
- Patient navigators
- Integrative therapies such as Reiki and massage therapy
- Support groups and more!

Chemotherapy/Immunotherapy — Targeted molecular therapies selectively affect only the cells related to a particular cancer, causing less damage and fewer side effects to surrounding non-cancerous cells and body systems than traditional chemotherapy drugs.

Clinical Trials — Pottstown Hospital's Cancer Center actively participates in preventative and treatment clinical trials. Eligible patients can participate in national clinical trials aimed at discovering newer advances in cancer treatments.

CyberKnife — In an alliance with Tri-County CyberKnife, radiation oncologists use a state-of-the-art robotic radiosurgery system designed to treat cancerous and benign tumors in the head, neck, and body with sub-millimeter accuracy without incision or sedation.

Radiation Therapy — Our boardcertified radiation oncologists use the most advanced technology to develop personalized radiation therapy plans to target different cancers at various degrees of intensity.

Pottstown Hospital Cancer Center 1600 E. High Street Pottstown, PA 19464 610-327-7555









Pottstown Hospital Outpatient Therapy

Connect to the outpatient therapy and rehabilitation services needed to stay active and engaged. Whether a sports injury, concussion or speech dysfunction, patients now have access to three convenient locations in Boyertown and Pottstown. Our physical therapy and rehabilitation team is ready to care for orthopedic, neurologic, and other conditions.

Cancer Related Therapy — Cancer Related Fatigue (CRF) is a common side effect. Our physical therapists work with cancer patients to help improve strength, reduce pain and swelling as well as booster confidence to continue their fight against cancer. 99% of patients who had cancer treatment suffer from CRF, and 49% of patients may continue to have CRF even after treatment has ended. Individuals who may experience fatigue, trouble walking, numbness or tingling, fatigue making it difficult to do your daily activities, difficulty with speech or swallowing would benefit from our cancer rehab programs.

Concussion — Concussions can affect anyone involved in an accident where they hit their head, or a child or teenager being injured playing on the playground or during sports. Signs of a concussion include difficulty with concentration, balance, dizziness, or headaches. Our physical and speech therapists can evaluate and treat the many symptoms related to concussion. They will assess the symptoms and design an individualized treatment program specific to the condition.

LSVT BIG® and LSVT LOUD® — Specialized therapy by Physical and Speech Therapists certified in LSVT BIG and LSVT LOUD can help patients living with Parkinson's Disease to improve their movement, balance, speech, swallowing and overall function.

Lymphedema — Lymphedema is caused by a blockage in the lymphatic system often caused by lymph node removal or damage due to cancer treatment. The main symptom is swelling that





may be accompanied by pain or discomfort making it hard to dress, walk, swallow or get comfortable. Our certified lymphedema therapists are specially trained to create a personalized treatment plan, which may include manual techniques, skin care, specific activities and assisting patients obtain appropriate supplies to help manage the swelling.

Adult Speech (Language, Swallowing, Cognitive Rehab) — For people having trouble with speech or swallowing as a result of an illness, medical condition or injury, we can help. We offer a range of speech therapy services for adults for a variety of conditions including VitalStim electrical stimulation for dysphagia

Sports Performance — Injured athletes require a unique approach to get them back playing the sport they love. A sports physical therapist will assess the athlete's functionality and mobility and develop a treatment plan targeting the area of weakness while focusing on the specific needs of the sport. **Vestibular** — For those experiencing problems with balance or dizziness, our specialty-trained physical therapists will design a dedicated and personalized exercise-based program to help restore normalcy.

Pottstown Hospital Outpatient Therapy Locations:

Physical, Occupational, and Speech Therapy 81 Robinson Street, Pottstown, PA 19464 610-970-1600

Physical Therapy 23 N. Walnut Street, Boyertown, PA 18512 610-367-8844

Physical and Speech Therapy The Complex 724 N. Adams Street, Pottstown, PA 19464 484-659-1610

