

Our Mission

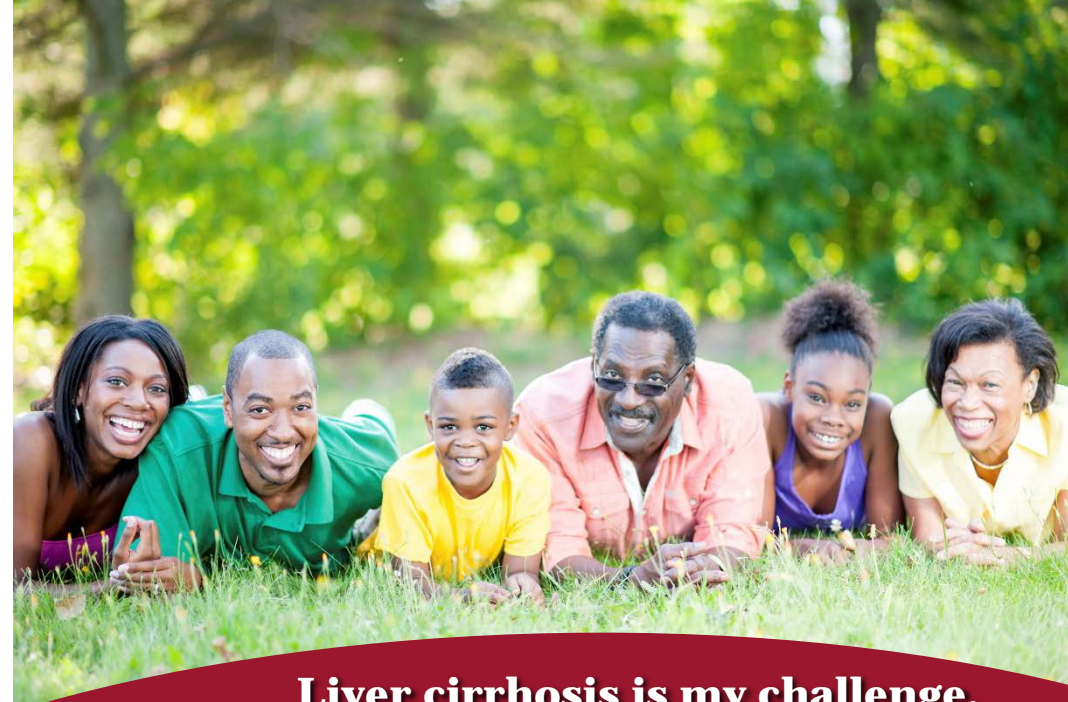
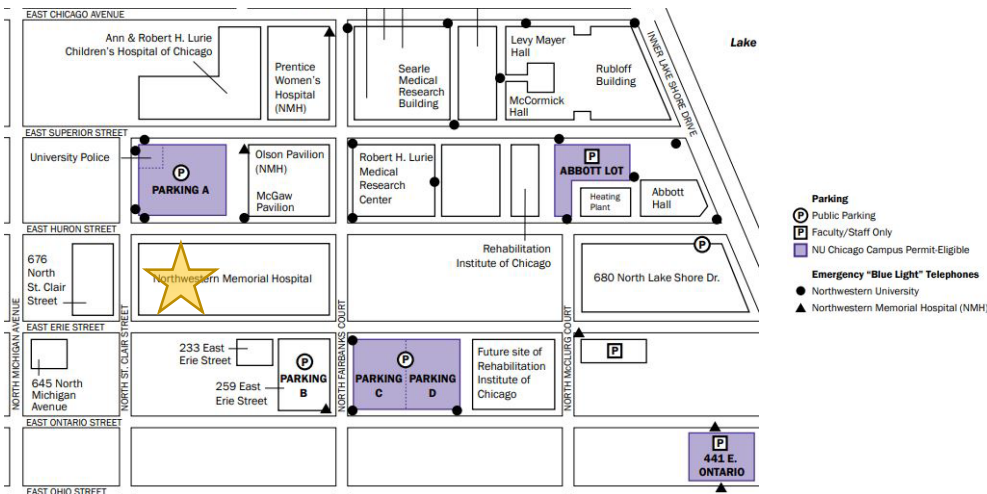
Along with our community of participants, we actively research new drugs and interventions to prevent liver cancer by conducting and enrolling participants in new clinical studies.

Join Today and Contribute to the Medical Advances of Tomorrow!



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**Liver cirrhosis is my challenge.
Family is my motivation.**

Clinical Trial: Statin Therapy to Reduce Disease Progression from Liver Cirrhosis to Cancer



This study is funded by a contract from the National Cancer Institute, National Institutes of Health and U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Trial Overview

Why is this trial being conducted?

Liver cancer rates in the U.S. have been increasing. Out of every 100 patients with liver cancer, only 18 will survive 5 years or more. Patients who have liver cirrhosis have an increased risk for liver cancer. Research has shown that patients who take a drug commonly prescribed to help lower blood cholesterol may have a lower risk of liver cancer. However, more research on this type of drug, known as a statin, is needed. This study is using simvastatin, a statin drug approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

Who can join?

Medical research involves people just like you. This study is looking for volunteers who are 18 years of age or older and have liver cirrhosis.

What can I expect if I choose to participate?

You will receive the standard medical care and tests for your condition. Additional tests and procedures specific to the research will be done during four in-person visits over six months. You will be compensated for your participation in the study.

Joining this study is entirely voluntary.

If you are interested in participating or have additional questions, please talk to your doctor.

Trial Details

What are the advantages of joining?

Clinical trials are at the heart of all medical advances. Participants help scientists better understand the potential of simvastatin to improve liver function in individuals with liver cirrhosis. This knowledge could help prevent liver cancer in the future. Volunteers should not expect direct or personal benefit from taking part in this study.

Are there any costs?

Research visits, exams, procedures and the study drug are provided at no cost to volunteers. The exams, tests and procedures included in normal care for liver cirrhosis will be billed to the patient's insurance, Medicare or the patient.

What are my next steps?

