Understanding Metastatic Pancreatic Cancer

What is the pancreas — and what does it do?

The pancreas is a small gland about 6 inches long located in your abdomen.

It produces 2 different types of chemicals:
- *Enzymes* to help digest food
- *Hormones* to help control blood sugar levels

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What does *metastatic* cancer mean — and what does it mean for me?

**Metastatic (met-a-STAT-ic):** describes a stage of cancer in which cancer cells have spread beyond the original site, in this case the pancreas.

How much and where the cancer cells have spread will play a role in determining your prognosis.

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Your Treatment Plan

What are my treatment goals?

Your goals will play a large part in making your treatment decision with your doctor.

List your goals here

To reach my goals, some factors to consider may be: (circle those that apply)

- Impact on my daily life
- Side effects
- Disease complications
- Benefits vs risks
- Effect on future treatment options
- Other ______________________

My treatment plan options:

1st therapy → 2nd therapy

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Where can I get more information about pancreatic cancer?

NavigatePANC.com

Pancreatic Cancer Action Network
www.pancan.org
Contact us at (800) 272-6226 or patientcentral@pancan.org

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