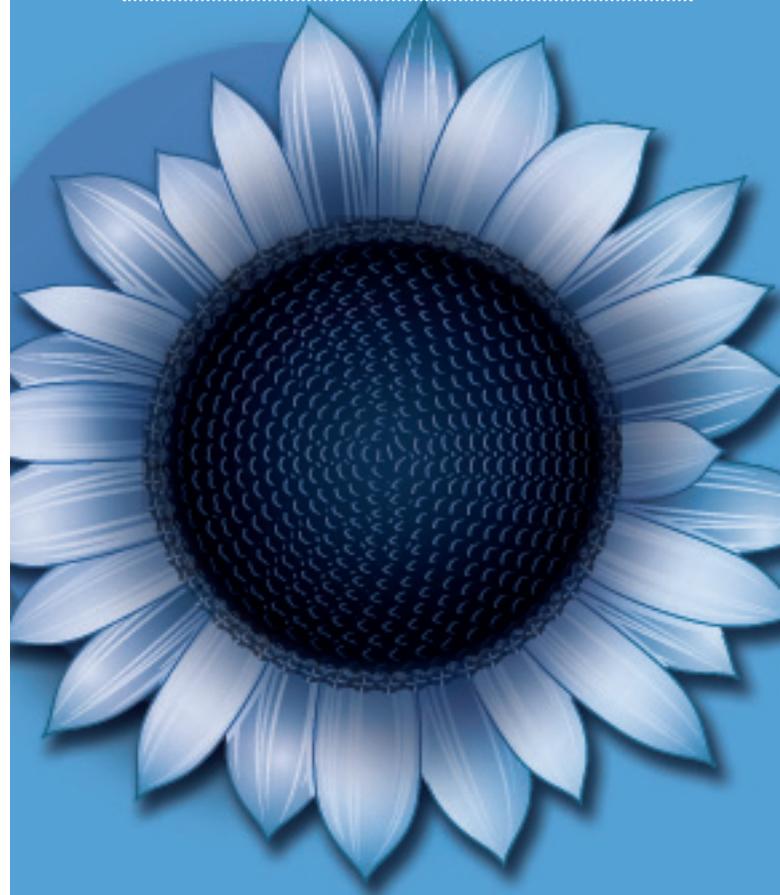


UNC HEALTH REGISTRY



University Cancer Research Fund

**If you have questions about the UNC Health
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The purpose of the Registry is to better understand the causes of diseases like cancer, which affect many North Carolinians. Our goal is to conduct research that will find better ways to treat diseases, help people with affliction live fuller lives and ultimately find ways to prevent illnesses.

Study Protocol IRB 090605

*The sunflower is the symbol of the UNC Health Registry.
Known as the happiest of flowers, the sunflower signifies loyalty and longevity.*





How will your privacy be protected?

The UNC Health Registry is making every effort to keep your information secure. When we enter data about you into our database, we will replace your name with a number. The link between your information and that number will be kept secret. All data will be stored in a password-protected database. Access to the database will be restricted to only a small number of Registry staff. You will not be identified in any report or publication about this research.

If you participate you will be asked to do the following:

- Agree to allow researchers to get information from your medical records
- Answer a survey once a year
- Give a small blood or cheek cell sample, which will be stored in the Registry's Biobank
- Allow any leftover tissues to be stored after a biopsy or surgery
- Agree to allow researchers to contact you in the future to invite you to take part in other research studies

Q&A

Who can participate in this research study?

- Participants that are 18 years of age or older
- Participants that have an appointment at UNC Health Care or UNC Hospitals
- Participants that have a North Carolina address
- Participants that speak English or Spanish



Will it cost anything to be in this research study?

There will be no cost to you to take part in this research study other than your time.

Will you receive anything for being in this research study?

No, you will not receive any reimbursement for taking part in this research study.



How many people will take part in this research study?

You will be one of approximately 10,000 adults across North Carolina to take part in this research study.

What if you have any questions about your rights as a research subject?

You may contact the Institutional Review Board at 919-966-3113 or IRB_subjects@unc.edu.

