

## What is VA's National TeleOncology Program (NTO)?

VA's National TeleOncology Program (NTO) allows Veterans to receive world-class oncology care and services, regardless of where they live. Working shoulder to shoulder with various partners, NTO delivers screenings, diagnostics, and treatment for medical oncology—including rehabilitation and palliative care—to improve access and outcomes for Veterans.

### Why Veterans Choose TeleOncology:

- Connection to high-quality cancer treatment without spending time, money, and energy traveling long distances for care
- Access to consultations from VA's national oncological experts for Veterans with rare cancers
- Family and friends are able to easily attend appointments
- Receive cancer care from a specialist who is an expert in your type of cancer

In 2023  
NTO grew to



**29** specialized oncologists  
who are also associated with National Cancer  
Institute-Designated Cancer Centers

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*I enjoy providing care through TeleOncology, because I'm helping people who otherwise don't have access to subspecialty cancer care. I know it makes a difference.*

Dr. Daphne Friedman  
VA Staff Physician  
Durham VA Medical Center



As of 2023, there are

**32** TeleOncology sites currently located around the country, with dozens more being stood up



## Get Connected with TeleOncology

If TeleOncology sounds like the right option for you, talk to your provider about how to get connected.

For more information on how VA works shoulder to shoulder with strategic partners to expand access and reduce barriers to cancer care for Veterans across the nation, please visit [cancer.va.gov](https://cancer.va.gov), or contact [cancer@va.gov](mailto:cancer@va.gov).

