


ABOUT ASBESTOS-CAUSED LUNG CANCER

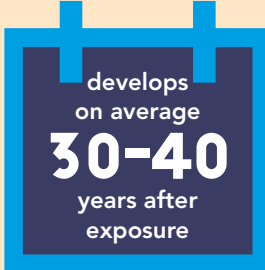
Smoking is not the only cause of lung cancer. Asbestos is a well-established cause of lung cancer.

Asbestos-caused lung cancer is not mesothelioma. It originates in the lung itself and is comprised of different cancer cells than those associated with pleural mesothelioma.



about
158,080
total lung cancer deaths
each year


70
average age of
lung cancer
diagnosis


develops
on average
30-40
years after
exposure

SMOKING AND ASBESTOS EXPOSURE

In general, the greater the exposure to asbestos, the higher the risk of lung cancer. **The risk is also much higher among asbestos-exposed smokers.**

THE RISK OF DEVELOPING LUNG CANCER IS **5X** NON-SMOKING ASBESTOS WORKERS
50X SMOKING ASBESTOS WORKERS

COMMON SYMPTOMS


- Cough that does not go away or gets worse
- Coughing up blood, even a small amount
- Chest pain that is often worse with deep breathing, coughing, or laughing
- Wheezing
- Hoarseness
- Feeling tired or weak
- Weight loss and loss of appetite
- Shortness of breath
- Headache



LEGAL HELP



Lung cancer victims often hesitate to contact a law firm if they smoke or smoked in the past, due to:

- Treating physician comments
- Societal bias
- Mistaken assumption that smoking history prevents compensation

 If you have been diagnosed with lung cancer, call us. O'Brien Law Firm will provide you a full case evaluation at no cost or obligation.

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