

The Michigan Radiation Oncology Quality Consortium (MROQC) is a collaborative group of specialists across the state of Michigan working together on quality improvement projects to impact the radiation treatment experience for patients.

MROQC's goal is to find ways to minimize the side effects that patients may experience from radiation treatment. To do this, we are linking together information about how radiation therapy is delivered with information provided by treating clinicians about patient outcomes, and information from the patient regarding side effects that occur during treatment.

We believe that by doing this, we will be able to identify better ways of matching treatment plans to each patient's unique characteristics to minimize the side effects that will be experienced.

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make a difference



We invite you to take part in this important quality improvement project evaluating the outcomes that patients experience with different types of radiation treatment. The knowledge gained through MROQC will be used to improve the quality of care delivered to cancer patients in the future.

We are asking people like you, who are being treated for cancer at radiation oncology facilities across the state of Michigan, to complete surveys that capture the side-effects you may be experiencing. There are different time points when we will ask you to complete these surveys: before treatment begins, at the end of treatment, and after treatment has ended (during your follow up visits).

Your participation in this quality improvement initiative is entirely voluntary and will not in any way affect the treatment you receive. If you have any questions about MROQC, please feel free to discuss them with your Radiation Oncologist.

We hope you will consider participating in this important quality improvement initiative.

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Improve Care By:

Sharing information about your treatment experience and any side effects to therapy that you may deal with by responding to surveys.

- Prior to treatment
- At the end of treatment
- After treatment ends

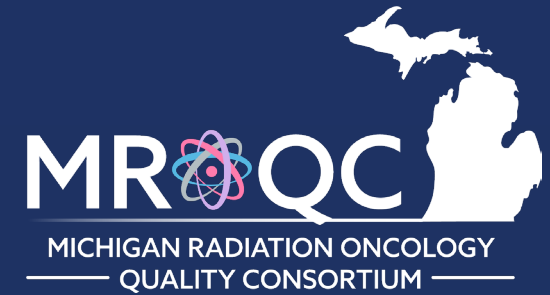
No identifying information such as name or medical record number is ever included. Participation in MROQC is strictly voluntary.



The MROQC Coordinating Center is located in Ann Arbor, Michigan.



Over 20 hospitals and radiation oncology practices across the state of Michigan participate in MROQC.



Improve the quality
of radiation therapy
Please share your experience

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