

Endometrial (Uterine) Cancer

Endometrial (*uterine*) cancer is diagnosed in almost 39,300 women/year in the U.S. Although cancer death rates have been declining since the 1930's due primarily to earlier diagnosis, endometrial cancer still accounts for approximately 6,600 cancer deaths each year. It occurs most frequently in women between the ages of 50 and 70. Women generally present with vaginal bleeding, and the evaluation usually involves a dilatation and curettage (D & C). The D & C obtains tissue for examination from the uterine cavity. If cancer is diagnosed, a hysterectomy is required to determine the degree of invasion. Endometrial cancer is classified by stages (*which is the extent or invasion of the tumor*). Treatment includes a total hysterectomy; more advanced disease also receives radiation. Hormonal therapy and/or chemotherapy are generally used only for metastatic disease.

If your client has a history of Endometrial (Uterine) Cancer, please answer the following:

1. Please list date of diagnosis:

2. What stage was the cancer?

Stage 0 (in-situ) _____

Stage I _____

Stage II _____

Stage III _____

Stage IV _____

3. How was the cancer treated? (check all that apply):

Total hysterectomy _____

Radiation therapy _____

Chemotherapy _____

Hormonal therapy _____

4. Please list date treatment was completed:

5. Is your client on any medications?

If yes, please give details

6. Has there been any evidence of recurrence?

If yes, please give details

7. Has your client smoked cigarettes or other form of tobacco in the last 5 years?

If yes, please give details

8. Does your client have any other major health problems (ex: heart disease, etc.)?

If yes, please give details
