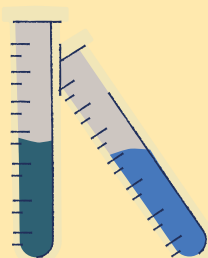


Clinical Trials

at Sidney Kimmel Cancer Center

What are clinical trials?

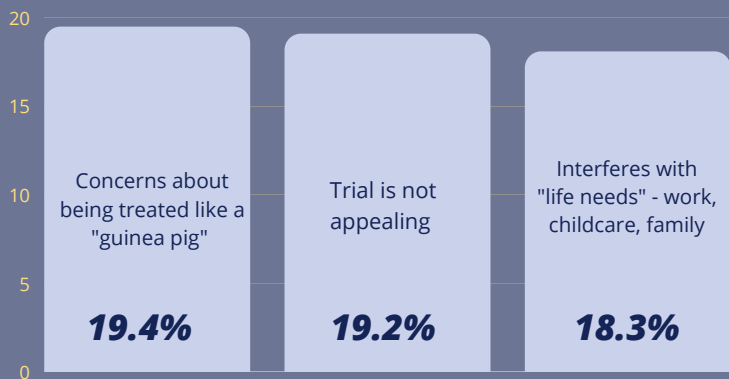


Clinical trials are **research studies** performed in people to evaluate a medical, behavioral, or surgical intervention. They allow researchers to understand if a **new treatment**, like a new drug, is **effective**.

85% of residents in the SKCC Catchment Area have heard of clinical trials.

Of those asked to participate, **65%** said yes.

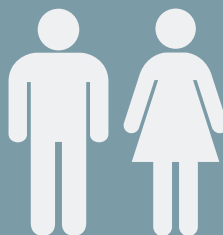
Why don't patients participate?



Individuals with **less than** a high school graduate degree were **most likely** to participate in a trial.



Of those asked, **males are more likely** than females to choose to participate in a trial.



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To learn more or get involved with a cancer clinical trial, please contact:

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