

Respiratory Care

Programs and services for individuals with respiratory or breathing problems.

Article

Peak Season for Respiratory Diseases Is Near: There Is Still Time to Get Vaccinated

On December 14, CDC issued a Health Alert Network (HAN) advisory to healthcare providers and public health officials highlighting the increased respiratory disease activity occurring in the U.S. The HAN noted that low vaccination rates for COVID-19, influenza, and RSV could lead to more severe disease and a strained healthcare system for the rest of the season.

Source

[Centers for Disease Control \(CDC\)](#)

Article

Understanding Lung Problems Among Older People

This National Institute on Aging article provides information on lung problems including chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, pneumonia, lung cancer, and aging with asthma. Information is included on symptoms, causes, tests, treatment and prevention for lung problems.

Source

[National Institute on Aging](#)

Article

Asthma

Asthma is a chronic (long-term) lung disease that inflames and narrows the airways. This makes the airways swollen and very sensitive. They tend to react strongly to

certain substances that are breathed in.

Source

[National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute](#)

Article

COPD: The More You Know, The Better for You and Your Loved Ones

COPD is a serious lung disease that over time makes it hard to breathe. Its official name is Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease, but COPD has other names, like emphysema or chronic bronchitis.

Source

[National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute](#)

Links

MesotheliomaGuide

Source

[MesotheliomaGuide](#)

Links

Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation

Source

[Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation](#)

Links

American Lung Association

Source

[American Lung Association](#)

Showing 1-7 of 7 Results