Maximum exposure -SKIN CANCER

Skin cancer is the most common cancer in the U.S.

One in every five Americans will develop skin cancer in their lifetime.

In the U.S., more than 5 million diagnosed in more than 2 million people each year.



One American dies every hour from skin cancer.

TYPES OF SKIN CANCER

- 1. Basal cell carcinoma is the most common type of skin cancer. It most frequently affects people with fair skin.
- 2. Squamous cell carcinoma is the second most common type of skin cancer, and most often affects those with fair skin.
- 3. Melanoma is the deadliest type of skin cancer and often develops as an asymmetric, irregularly bordered, multi-colored, large and evolving dark spot.



A person's risk for melanoma doubles if he or she has had five or more sunburns.



More than 90 percent of melanoma skin cancers are due to **UV** radiation exposure



There were 2,410 new cases of melanoma diagnosed in Texas in 2015.

COMMON SKIN CANCER TREATMENTS:

surgery, radiation, chemotherapy, Mohs surgery

Mohs surgery is the most effective treatment for most types of skin cancer and has the highest cure rate.

There are 1,200 fellowship-trained Mohs surgeons in the U.S.

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