

Prepare for Your Lung cancer Treatment in Germany



Documents and Visa Requirements

- Valid passport or travel document recognized by Germany.
- Check visa requirements and apply via the German consulate website or [Auswärtiges Amt](#) based on your country of origin.
- Medical records detailing your lung cancer diagnosis, treatment history, and current medications.
- Clinics in Germany offer diagnostic services like CT scans, PET-CT, biopsy, and blood tests if additional documentation is required.



Accommodation Options

For surgical interventions, a 4-7 day inpatient stay is included. Chemotherapy typically lasts 2-3 months, with sessions every 2-4 weeks, and is performed on an outpatient basis. Partner hotels may offer discounts, or you may choose self-booking options. While the clinic may not provide free accommodation for outpatient services, average hotel stays per night range from €50 to €200. Accompanying persons can usually stay with the patient or book nearby accommodation.



Transfer Services

- Some clinics may offer free airport transfers; inquire directly with the clinic for availability.
- Popular taxi services such as Free Now and MyTaxi operate in major cities, with fares starting around €3 plus €2 per kilometer.



Interpreter Services

Interpreter services are often available either through the clinic or independent agencies. While some clinics might offer this service for free, others may charge a fee. It's essential to clarify this with your medical coordinator.



Payment Methods

- Payment options typically include cash and credit/debit card transactions.
- The local currency is the Euro (EUR), and it's recommended to have local cash for minor expenses.
- Some facilities may accept payments in dollars or euros, but it's best to confirm this beforehand.



Before Your Lung cancer Treatment

- Follow any pre-treatment instructions provided by your doctor, such as fasting or medication adjustments.
- Arrange for someone to accompany you during the trip for support.
- Prepare a list of questions and concerns to discuss with your treatment team.
- Ensure you have enough of your regular medications for the duration of your stay.
- Pack comfortable clothing and personal items to help you feel at ease during recovery.
- Consider learning basic German phrases or using a translation app for better communication.
- Keep all your medical records and contact information organized and easily accessible.
- Be aware of your insurance coverage and understand what costs you will be responsible for.



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