

## MOHS SURGERY AND OUR PATIENTS

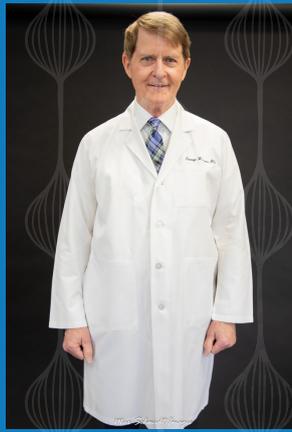
### MEET OUR SURGEONS



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Tri- Cities Skin & Cancer takes great pride in being one of the top rated Dermatology Clinics in the tri-state area for MOHS surgery.

The MOHS Procedure involves **surgically removing skin cancer** in layers, examining each under a microscope until healthy, cancer-free tissue is reached. MOHS has a 99% success rate, the highest of all skin cancer treatments, because each surgeon is specially trained in pathology, cancer, and reconstructive surgery.

**MOHS Micrographic Surgery is the most effective and advanced treatment for skin cancer, and offers the highest potential for cure.**

## ADVANTAGES OF MOHS

The microscopic examination of the removed tissue is what makes MOHS surgery so unique and effective. The pathological interpretations of tissue margins are done on-site by surgeons, trained in reading these slides and correlating microscopic findings with the surgical site.

**Ensuring complete cancer removal during surgery, virtually eliminating the chance of the cancer growing back.**

**Minimizing the amount of healthy tissue lost.**

**Maximizing the functional and cosmetic outcome resulting from surgery.**

**Repairing the site of the cancer the same day the cancer is removed, in most cases.**

**Curing skin cancer when other methods have failed.**

**\*\*Other skin cancer treatment methods blindly estimate the amount of tissue to treat, resulting in the unnecessary removal of healthy skin tissue, as well as tumor re-growth if any cancer is missed.**

# PREVENTION IS POWER

**ONE IN FIVE** Americans will develop skin cancer in their lifetime

## WHO WILL IT BE?

Research shows that non-melanoma skin cancers affect more than 3 million Americans per year. More than 1 million Americans are living with Melanoma, and **ANYONE** can develop it.



## THE 3 MOST COMMON TYPES OF SKIN CANCER



Basal Cell

The **MOST COMMON** form of skin cancer tends to form on sun-exposed skin, like the face, scalp, ears, chest, back, and legs.



Squamous Cell

The **SECOND MOST COMMON** form of skin cancer tends to form on sun-exposed areas, such as the rim of the ear, face, neck, arms, chest, and back.



Melanoma

The **MOST SERIOUS** form of skin cancer can develop in an existing mole or suddenly appear as a new spot on the skin. Most frequently appears on upper back, torso, lower legs, head, and neck.

You can prevent Melanoma and other types of skin cancers by:

Screening yourself and the ones you love on a regular basis

Seeking shade when outside for long periods of time

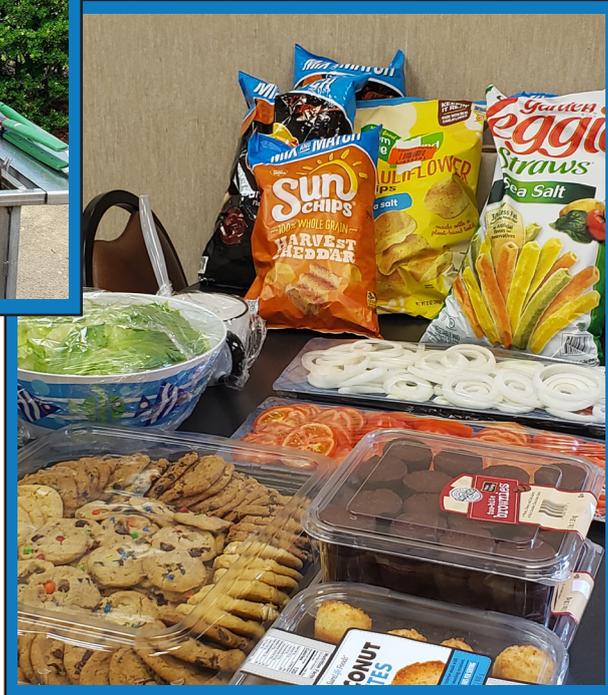
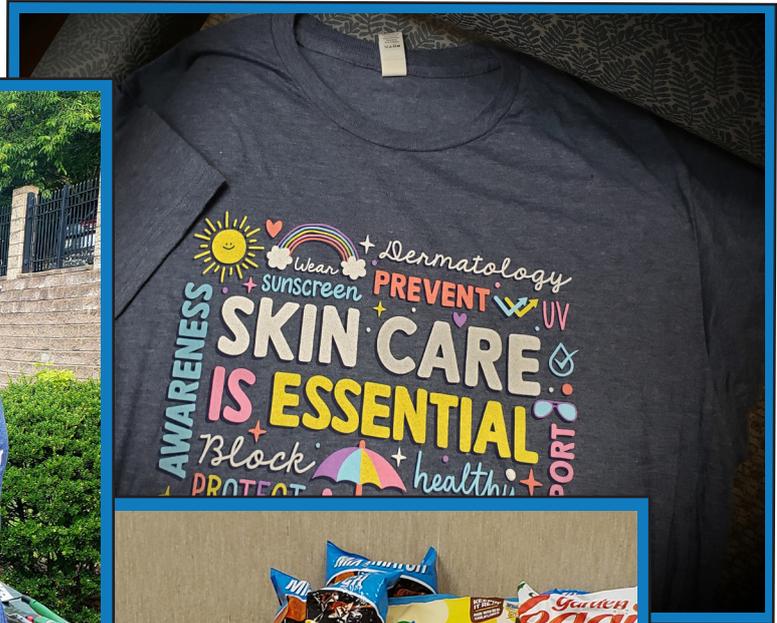
Wearing protective clothing

Wearing sunscreen daily

Getting Vitamin D safely from diet and supplements

Avoiding tanning beds

# OUR TEAM



## EMPLOYEE APPRECIATION MONTH

### Tri-Cities Skin & Cancer hosts Employee Appreciation Month

For at least a decade, TCSC has hosted an annual Employee Appreciation Month. Every summer, our staff enjoys a Supervisor-hosted Employee Breakfast (with the works), TCSC appreciation gifts, prizes, and a cookout.

We are very fortunate to have a high retention rate with our staff, employing some for as many as 20 years. Tri-Cities Skin & Cancer has a professional and compassionate group of employees that we value greatly.

# OUR BUSINESS

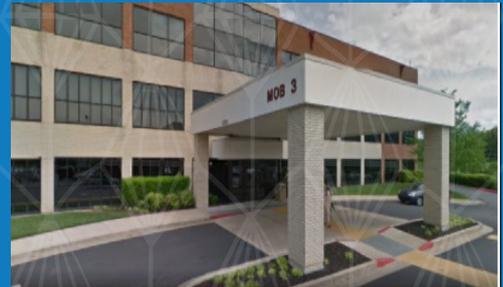
## 2 LOCATIONS

### JOHNSON CITY, TN



1009 N State of Franklin Rd  
Access Road,  
Johnson City, TN 37604  
**(423) 929-7546**

### GREENEVILLE, TN



1404 Tusculum Blvd,  
Greeneville, TN 37745  
MOB#3 /SUITE 1100  
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## OUR BUSINESS IN NUMBERS

85 

WONDERFUL  
PEOPLE WORKING  
AS A TEAM

22 

BEAUTIFUL  
YEARS OF  
ACHIEVEMENTS

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READERS CHOICE  
"BEST DERMATOLOGIST"