



## FANS Study:

# The Female Asian American Never-Smokers Study

## Did you know you can get lung cancer even if you have never smoked?

57% of Asian American women diagnosed with lung cancer have **never smoked**.



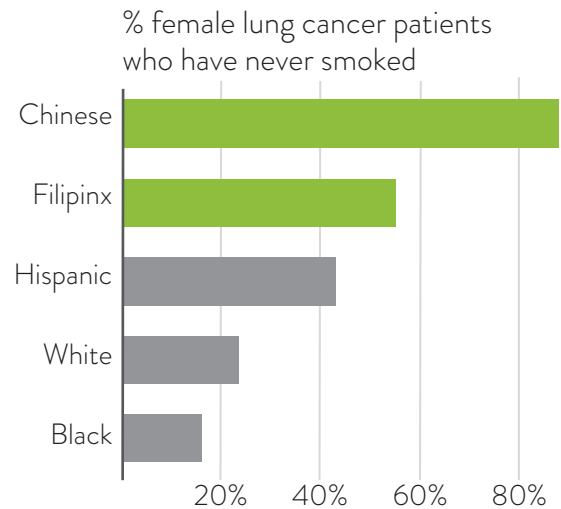
## Why is this happening?

The reasons are still unknown. The **FANS Study** will look at possible causes of lung cancer in Asian American women including secondhand smoke, genetics, and cultural factors.

### Who is at risk?

In the Bay Area, there are many Asian American women with lung cancer. In 2014-2018, there were:

- 800+ Chinese American women with lung cancer
- 300+ Filipina American women with lung cancer
- 200+ Vietnamese American women with lung cancer



## How you can help?

- complete a 45 minutes survey online, by mail or phone
- provide a saliva sample
- allow access to stored tumor tissue (cancer patients only)

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