

# Treating Pelvic Malignancies

## *Advanced care with a local address.*

At Kerrville Cancer Center, we provide a state-of-the-art cancer treatment facility backed by compassionate, comprehensive care that's right here in Hill Country. Under the direction of John M. Barnett, MD, radiation oncologist, the Kerrville Cancer Center team offers state-of-the-art treatments for cancer of the prostate, colon, uterus and cervix.

### *Providing collaborative care.*

Dr. Barnett works in partnership with primary-care physicians, urologists, gynecologists, surgeons and medical oncologists to provide the highest level of cancer care. To help you expand your range of cancer treatment options, we provide second-opinion consultations as well as consultations for combined treatments of radiation, chemotherapy and surgery.

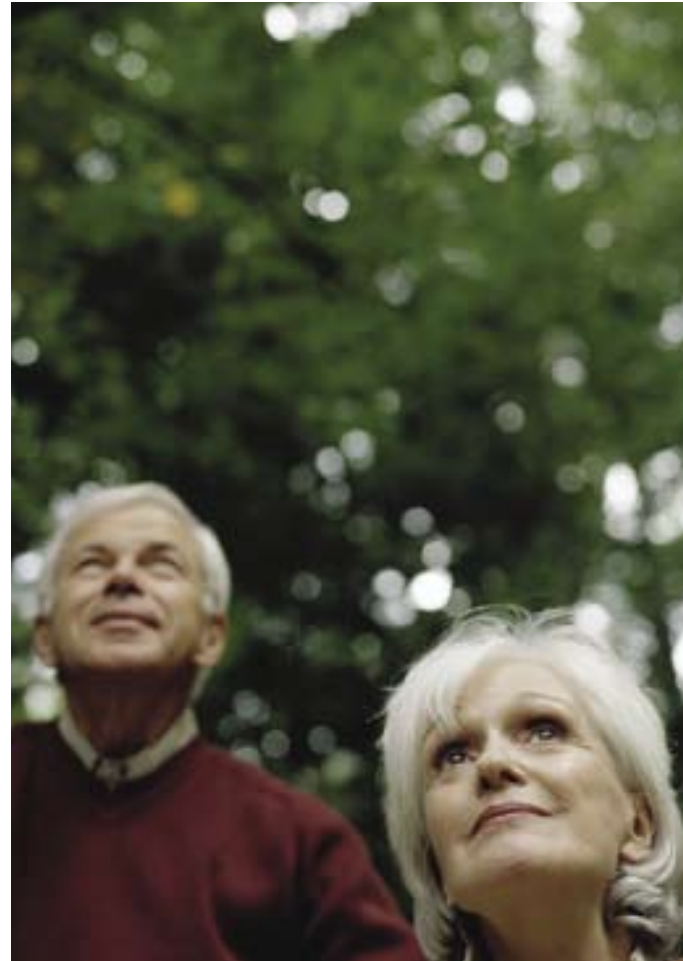
### *Combination of therapies.*

With brachytherapy, radiation is placed directly in the area of the cancer or in the area where unseen cancer is suspected. Radiation therapy is often combined with brachytherapy for treatment of cancers in the pelvic area. Dr. Barnett uses a state-of-the-art linear accelerator, which produces high-energy external radiation beams that penetrate the tissues and deliver the radiation dose deep into the areas where the cancer resides. This modern machine and other state-of-the-art techniques such as 3DCRT and IMRT enable Dr. Barnett to significantly reduce side effects while improving the ability to deliver a maximum radiation dose to cancer-containing areas and minimizing the radiation dose to normal tissue.

### *Excellence in communication.*

As a center of excellence, we pride ourselves on detail, communication and professionalism. Both you and your patients will appreciate our commitment to providing the highest level of cancer care available. For additional information, please call our office.

We welcome your inquiries and referrals: (830) 257-2070.



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