



Physician

Specialties:

Hematology

Medical Oncology

Board Certifications:

Hematology

Medical Oncology

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Spoken Languages:

English, Hindi, Telugu

Education

- **Fellowship**

The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX

- **Residency**

University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, Little Rock, AR

- **Medical Doctorate**

JSS Medical College, Mysore, India

Research Interest

Dr. Suneetha Challagundla's special interests include malignant hematological disorders and solid tumors especially breast cancer, gastrointestinal and lung cancers. She has special interest in benign hematological disorders and has participated in several research studies involving use of newer anticoagulants that subsequently led to the approval of the drugs. Dr. Challa also participates in multidisciplinary tumor boards.

Other Information

Dr. Challa has two boys and loves spending all of her spare time with them.

Presentations and Sponsorships

- Presented Fellow's conference of the Year Topics- "Hyper Eosinophilic Syndrome" and "Chronic Myelomonocytic Leukemia" during fellowship.
- Presented Residents' Conference of the Year Topics- "Erythrocytosis and Thrombocytosis" and "Auto Immune Hemolytic Anemia" during residency.
- Received Sponsorship to attend the National Lung Cancer Meeting, conducted in Chicago, June 1st, 2007, chaired by Dr. Joan Schiller.

Accolades & Memberships

Dr. Challagundla is a member of the American Society of Clinical Oncology.

Why did you become a doctor?

I chose Texas Oncology because it is the latest cutting edge medical practice with research opportunities and advanced radiation treatments.