



Endobronchial Valves for Lung Volume Reduction

▶ WHEN TO REFER A PATIENT

Preliminary Screening

Ideally completed within the last six months:

- Pulmonary Function Tests with plethysmography and diffusion
- 6-minute walk distance
- High resolution non-contrast chest CT
- BMI \leq 35
- Self-reported nonsmoker (*please see reverse side for information on Penn Medicine's Smoking Cessation Program*)
- Medically optimized

Pulmonary Function Test Cutoffs:

- FEV1: >15%, <45%
- TLC: >100%
- RV: >150% (>200% if homogenous disease on imaging evaluation)
- DLCO >20%

6-Minute Walk Distance:

- 100-500 meters

If you have patients with emphysema that meet the criteria, we would be happy to evaluate them for lung volume reduction. If you are unsure if your patient meets the above criteria, our general pulmonologists can conduct the preliminary screening.

LOCATIONS



Perelman Center for Advanced Medicine

Harron Lung Center
3400 Civic Center Boulevard
West Pavilion, 1st Floor
Philadelphia, PA 19104



Penn Medicine University City

Harron Lung Center
3737 Market Street, 10th Floor
Philadelphia, PA 19104



Penn Medicine Washington Square

Harron Lung Center
800 Walnut Street, 9th Floor
Philadelphia, PA 19107

Smoking Cessation Program

Our comprehensive smoking treatment program provides a supportive, encouraging environment and a team of health care professionals who don't rely on fear or shame to motivate you to quit. For more information on the program or to schedule an appointment, call **888.PENN.STOP. (888.736.6786)**.

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