

# HOW TO DEAL

It's hard to address  
misconceptions about your  
lung cancer diagnosis.

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from others who  
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MISCONCEPTION

“you must be a smoker”

WHAT THEY WOULD SAY



Today, all you need to have to get lung cancer is lungs.”



Gilberto Lopes, MD

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MISCONCEPTION

“you look fine”

WHAT THEY WOULD SAY



**As a care partner, I have mastered pretending. In part to safeguard my mental health but sadly also because the journey of the care partner is widely dismissed.”**



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## MISCONCEPTION

“you look fine”

### WHAT THEY WOULD SAY



Looks can be deceiving. Although I look “normal” on the outside, sometimes it is a struggle to catch my breath, to take a deep breath, and coughing or sneezing causes extreme pain. When I’m hurting physically and emotionally and people can’t see it, their attitude and actions can make the situation worse.”



Tiffany Job

 @tailoredbytiff



MISCONCEPTION

“you don’t need testing”

WHAT THEY WOULD SAY



**Diagnosis  
is not complete  
until we have  
all the tests.”**



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