

# Dr. David Samadi Shares Essential Insights for Men on Navigating Their Prostate Cancer Journey

NYC Urologist and Prostate Cancer Surgeon, Dr. David Samadi, Shares Vital Knowledge to Support Men Facing Prostate Cancer

NEW YORK CITY, NY, UNITED STATES, January 13, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Prostate cancer, the second most common cancer among American men, poses a significant health challenge. It's the most common cancer diagnosed in American men with the exception of skin cancer. In 2025 alone, over 35,000 men are expected to lose their lives to this disease. However, early detection and informed decision-making can transform the trajectory of this diagnosis. Dr. David Samadi, a leading prostate cancer expert and author of



Dr. David Samadi, a world-renowned prostate cancer expert, shares critical insights to empower men facing a prostate cancer diagnosis and highlights the importance of early detection and advanced treatment options.

<u>Prostate Cancer, Now What?</u>, offers critical insights to empower men in their fight against this disease.

"A prostate cancer diagnosis is life-altering, but it doesn't have to be a death sentence," Dr. Samadi reassures. "Knowledge is power. The more men understand about prostate cancer, the better equipped they are to make informed decisions and advocate for their health. There is hope and a potential for a positive outcome."

Dr. Samadi highlights five key insights that every man should know about prostate cancer:

1. Prostate Cancer Can Be Symptom-Free Early On

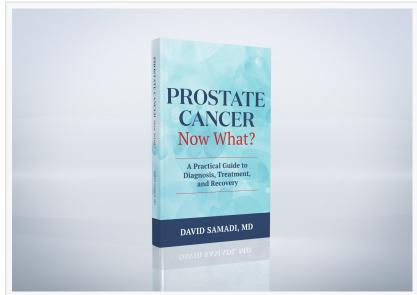
"Prostate cancer is often called the 'silent killer' because it's asymptomatic in its early stages," Dr. Samadi explains. "This underscores the importance of regular screenings, including PSA blood

tests, starting at age 40. Early detection puts men in control, allowing for prompt treatment and significantly improving outcomes. Be vigilant for later-stage symptoms, including a weak urine stream, blood in the urine, tiredness, bone pain, and unexplained weight loss."

#### 2. Family History Plays a Major Role

Men with close relatives (father or brother) who have had prostate cancer face double the risk, and African American men are disproportionately affected.

"Men who understand this risk and are aware if they have a family history of prostate cancer is crucial and should



Dr. David Samadi's latest book, Prostate Cancer: Now What?, is a comprehensive guide providing men with the knowledge and tools they need to navigate diagnosis, treatment, and recovery with confidence—now available on Amazon.

be discussed with their doctor. It's not just about men's health; it's about safeguarding their future. For those at higher risk, screenings by age 40 are essential," emphasized Dr. Samadi.

## 3. Emotional and Physical Impact Is Significant



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Prostate cancer not only affects the individual diagnosed but also has a significant impact on their family. Understanding and addressing these emotional and psychological challenges is an important part of the journey. Beyond its physical toll, prostate cancer challenges emotional well-being. Anxiety, depression, and concerns about intimacy are common.

"Men often feel isolated, but they don't have to go through this alone," says Dr. Samadi. "Open conversations with

healthcare providers and loved ones are key to navigating these challenges."

## 4. Advances in Treatment Have Improved Outcomes

"Treatment options today are more effective and less invasive than ever," Dr. Samadi shares. Dr. Samadi is renowned for his innovative Samadi-Modified Advanced Robotic Technique (SMART) robotic surgery, focusing on preserving sexual function and urinary continence while minimizing

side effects.

"Men should ask detailed questions about side effects of any treatment for their prostate cancer, whether it's surgery, radiation or hormone therapy. Having a conversation about possible side effects' impact on intimacy and urinary control is essential, and then men can work with their healthcare team to find the best path forward."

#### 5. A Full Life Is Possible Post-Diagnosis

With early detection, the five-year survival rate for localized prostate cancer is nearly 100%.

"The prognosis is promising, especially with early intervention," Dr. Samadi says. "Adopting a healthy lifestyle and staying committed to follow-up care can help men survive and thrive."

Dr. Samadi encourages men to prioritize screenings and remain proactive about their health.

"Prostate cancer doesn't define men," he concludes. "With the right approach, men can beat back this disease to take back control and lead fulfilling lives."

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