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Liver Transplantation

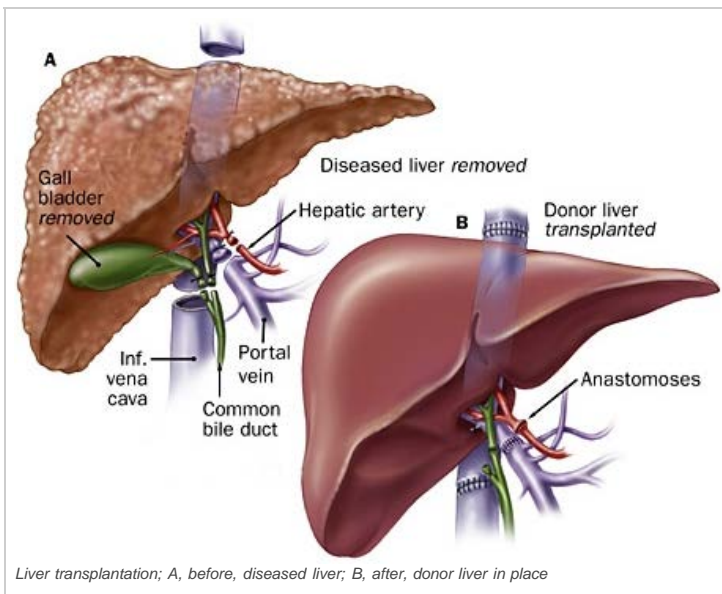
In some patients with [liver cancer \(hepatocellular carcinoma\)](#) and cirrhosis, the treatment of choice may be liver transplantation.

Whether a patient is a candidate for resection or transplantation depends on a number of factors including the health of your liver, as well as the extent of your liver cancer. In general, only patients with early liver cancer (small tumors and/or few masses) are candidates for liver transplantation.

Patients who are not candidates for [surgery](#) or transplantation should be considered for other forms of treatment including [liver tumor ablation](#) (radio frequency ablation, microwave ablation or ethanol ablation), [intra-arterial therapies](#) and [chemotherapy](#).

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