

You should absolutely feel confident about starting and engaging in a discussion about stomach cancer biomarker testing with your healthcare team. Here is a sample script to help guide you through the conversation.

- I am interested in learning more about my stomach cancer, and the potential role biomarker testing might play in treatment decisions.
- Is biomarker testing relevant to my type of cancer? Is it possible that I am HER2 positive or that I am MSI-high?
- What are the testing options available to me?
- Are there any risks or benefits associated with biomarker testing in my case?
- If I do have an established (or emerging) biomarker, how might that influence my treatment options?
- What is the stomach cancer biomarker testing process? Where can the tests be conducted, and how long does it take to get results?
- Will my insurance cover the cost of biomarker testing? What should I ask my insurer?
- What should I do next in order to get biomarker testing done?
- What should I ask the lab technician when I go in for my biomarker testing?
- I have some concerns related to...