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We are pleased to announce

Manuel Hidalgo, MD, PhD

has been appointed

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Manuel Hidalgo, MD, PhD, a leading physician-scientist who specializes in pancreatic cancer and drug development, has been named Chief of the Division of Hematology and Medical Oncology at NewYork-Presbyterian/Weill Cornell Medical Center. Dr. Hidalgo, who also serves on the leadership team of the Sandra and Edward Meyer Cancer Center at Weill Cornell Medicine, will expand the cancer programs of NewYork-Presbyterian and Weill Cornell Medicine with the recruitment of new oncologists and hematologists and also broaden access to cancer care and clinical trials for underserved populations.

A respected oncologist and premier investigator, Dr. Hidalgo pursues translational and clinical research in anticancer drug development with a particular emphasis on gastrointestinal cancers. He has developed, tested, and helmed the early clinical development of more than 50 new anticancer agents for pancreatic and other solid tumor cancers. Three of those agents, including nab-paclitaxel, are now approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration for treatment of GI cancers, including pancreatic cancer.

Dr. Hidalgo joins NewYork-Presbyterian from Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center in Boston, where he served as Chief of the Division of Hematology, as well as Clinical Director of the Rosenberg Clinical Cancer Center and Deputy Associate Director for Clinical Sciences at the Dana-Farber/Harvard Cancer Center.

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