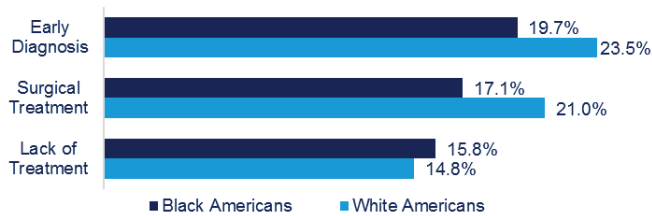




The American Lung Association believes that everyone deserves the opportunity to lead a full and healthy life. Sadly, many systemic issues have contributed to health disparities, including for those facing lung cancer. The “State of Lung Cancer” 2020 found that people of color who are diagnosed with lung cancer face worse outcomes compared to white Americans as they are less likely to be diagnosed early, less likely to receive surgical treatment, and more likely to receive no treatment. About half of the 30 million uninsured Americans are people of color, and research is clear that having health coverage impacts people’s medical care and ultimately their health outcomes. Addressing racial disparities in healthcare coverage will therefore be critical to addressing racial disparities in lung cancer care.

### Black Americans



#### Early Diagnosis

16% worse than white Americans

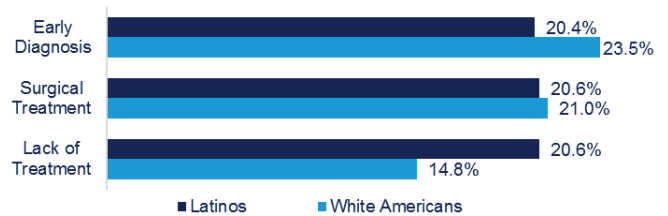
#### Surgical Treatment

19% worse than white Americans

#### Lack of Treatment

7% worse than white Americans

### Latinos



#### Early Diagnosis

3% worse than white Americans

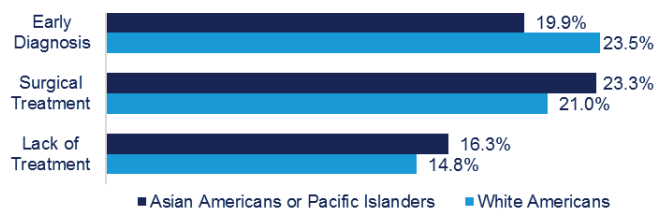
#### Surgical Treatment

2% worse than white Americans

#### Lack of Treatment

39% worse than white Americans

### Asian Americans or Pacific Islanders



#### Early Diagnosis

15% worse than white Americans

#### Surgical Treatment

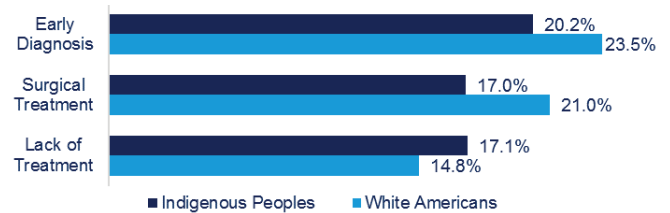
11% better than white Americans

#### Lack of Treatment

10% worse than white Americans

### Indigenous Peoples

(American Indians/Alaska Natives)



#### Early Diagnosis

14% worse than white Americans

#### Surgical Treatment

19% worse than white Americans

#### Lack of Treatment

15% worse than white Americans