

DOCTORS CAN'T FIND PRIME RUBY CANCER

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DALLAS, Dec. 15 — Doctors said today that they had been unable to find the primary cancer that has hospitalized Jack Ruby, slayer of Lee Harvey Oswald.

Dr. Jay P. Sanford and Dr. Eugene P. Frenkel of the Southwestern Medical College said the cancer probably is situated in Ruby's lungs or in his pancreas, but that no further diagnostic tests are planned.

Dr. Sanford said that doctors did not plan further surgery, either.

Physicians who have treated the 55-year-old Ruby since last Friday will cancel the daily medical briefings they have been giving. Ruby was reported to have "low morale" after reading in newspaper and hearing on radio and television that the cancer will kill him.

"I don't think we are in a position to say that he is not going to live," said Dr. Sanford, a professor of internal medicine.

Two days ago physicians began treating Ruby with anti-cancer drugs, but said it was too early to know if the drugs would help.

"It should be stressed that we are talking about drugs which seek remission of tumor activity," Dr. Frenkel said. "If we prolong remission for many years we may talk about a cure."

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