



BISPECIFIC THERAPY: ADVANCING PATIENT CARE THROUGH TARGETED TREATMENT

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LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Describe the underlying science and mechanisms of bispecific therapies
- Identify current and emerging indications for bispecific therapies for hematologic malignancies
- Assess the clinical evidence on the efficacy, safety, and potential side effects of bispecific therapies
- Develop strategies for incorporating bispecific therapies into clinical practice
- Describe the treatment process and mechanisms to improve patient understanding, care, and involvement
- Discuss challenges and potential future advancements in bispecific antibody development



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Bispecific Antibodies in Multiple Myeloma

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- b) They all have weight-based dosing.
- c) They are all administered subcutaneously.
- d) They do not require step-up dosing.
- e) They can only be administered inpatient.



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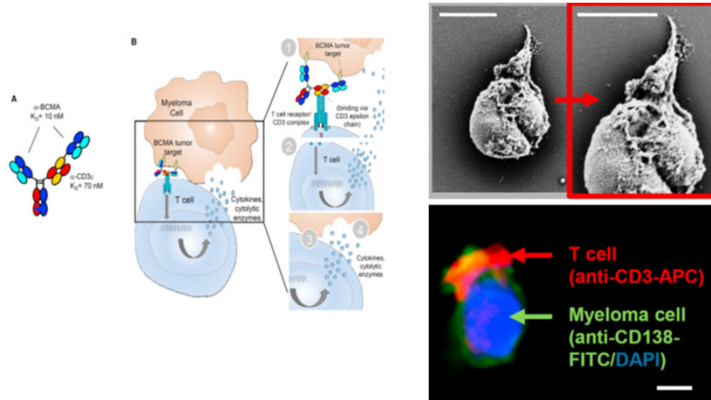
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The Immunologic Synapsis



- Target clustering
- CD45 phosphatase exclusion from the synapsis
- TCR firing including ZAP70 translocation

Seckinger A et al. *Cancer Cell*. 2017;31:396-410.



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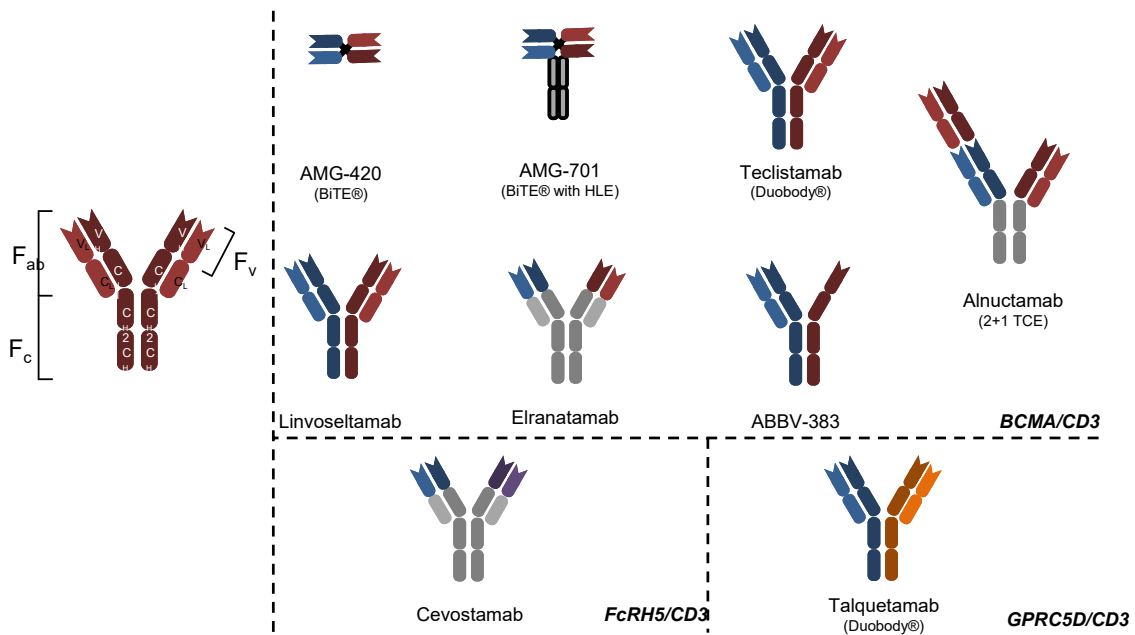


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Acute Immune-related Toxicities: CRS and ICANS

Cytokine Release Syndrome



Signs/symptoms of mass inflammation

- **Fever** – cardinal sign
- **Hypoxia and/or hypotension** – presence and severity guide CRS grading system
- Accompanying symptoms vary



Management

- **Rule out infection**
- **Tocilizumab** – first line; anti-IL6
- **Corticosteroids** – add if refractory
- Critical care interventions at higher grades

ICANS



Neurologic and cognitive signs

- **ICE score decline** – cardinal sign
- **Altered consciousness and seizure** – presence and severity guide ICANS grading system



Management

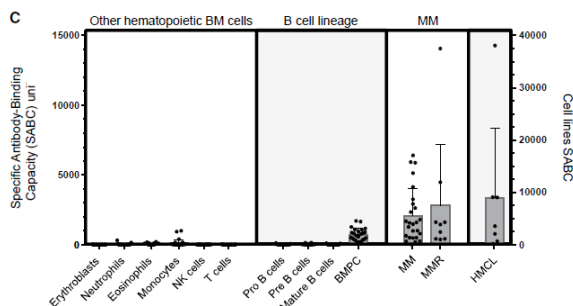
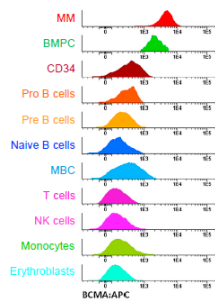
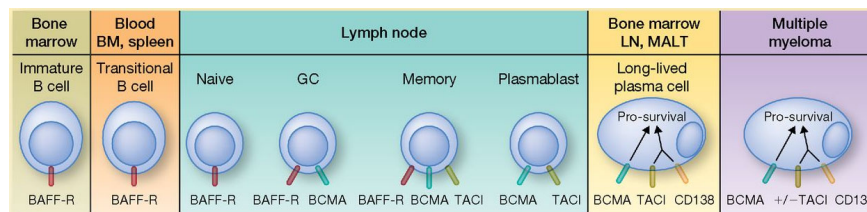
- **Frequent neurological assessment**
- **Corticosteroids** – first line
- Critical care interventions at higher grades

ICE, immune effector cell encephalopathy.
Santomasso BD et al. *J Clin Oncol*. 2021;39:3978-3992.



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B-cell Maturation Antigen (BCMA)



Seckinger A. *Cancer Cell* 31:1, 2017.



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MajesTEC-1: Phase 1/2 Study Of Teclistamab in RRMM



N = 165

at RP2D in phase 1 and 2

Key inclusion criteria:

- ≥ 3 prior lines including PI, IMiD, and anti-CD38 mAb
- No prior BCMA-directed therapy

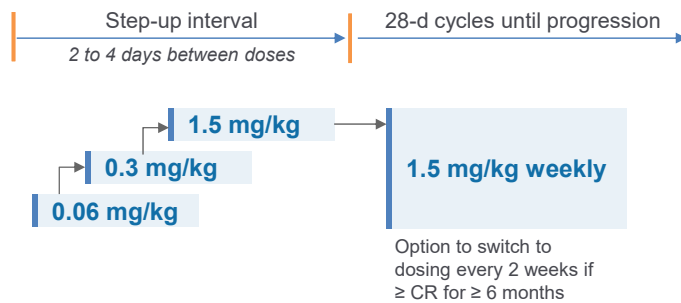
Baseline characteristics

- Median age 64 y
- Median 5 prior lines
- 26% high-risk cytogenetics
- 78% triple-refractory
- 30% penta-refractory



BCMA × CD3

Teclistamab administration IV or SC



Primary endpoint: ORR

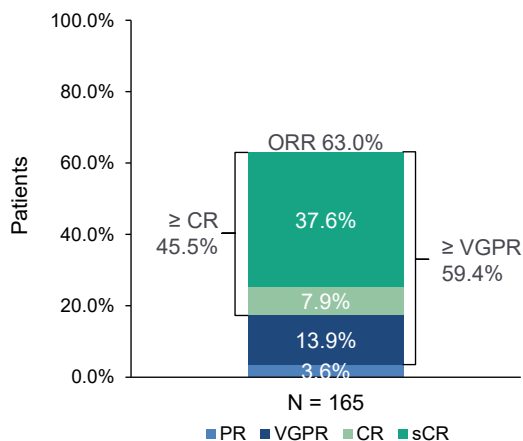
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Response Rates Median follow-up 23 mo



63%

ORR
Primary endpoint



45.5%

≥ CRR



22 months

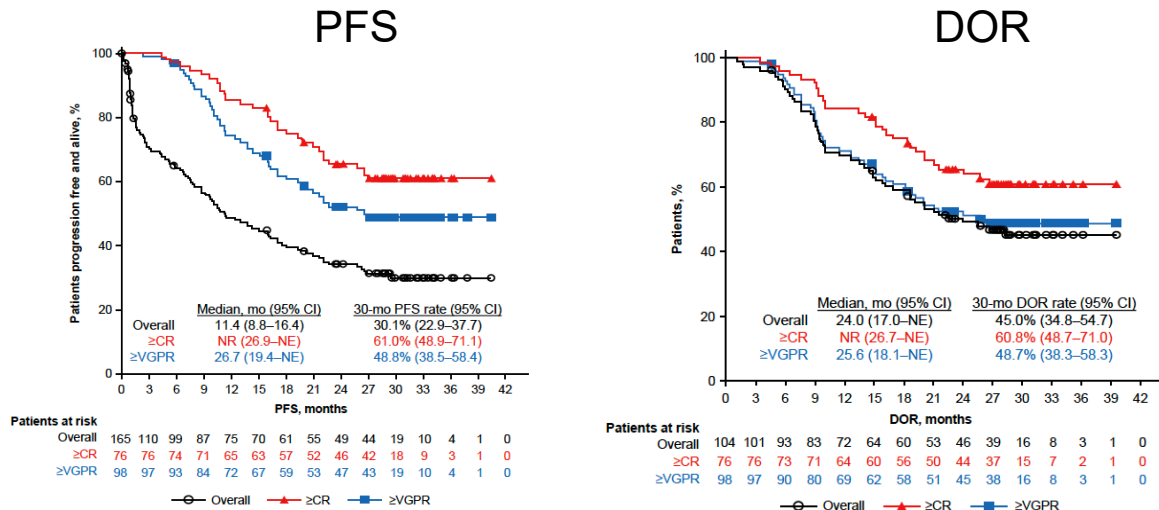
Median DOR

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Popat R et al, *IMS* 2024.



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MajesTEC-1: Phase 1/2 Study Of Teclistamab in RRMM

- Most common AEs included cytopenias, infections, and CRS^[1]
- CRS median onset 2 days; median duration 2 days
- 9 ICANS events in 5 patients, all grade 1/2 and resolved without dose reduction or discontinuation

Hematologic AEs, ^[2] N (%)	Any Grade	Grade ≥ 3
Neutropenia	118 (71.5)	108 (65.5)
Anemia	90 (54.5)	62 (37.6)
Thrombocytopenia	70 (42.4)	37 (22.4)
Lymphopenia	60 (36.4)	57 (34.5)
Leukopenia	33 (20.0)	15 (9.1)

Nonhematologic AEs, ^[2] N (%)	Any Grade	Grade ≥ 3
Infection	132 (80.0)	91 (55.2)
COVID-19	48 (29.1)	35 (21.2)
CRS	119 (72.1)	1 (0.6)
Diarrhea	56 (33.9)	6 (3.9)
Pyrexia	52 (31.5)	1 (0.6)
Fatigue	48 (21.9)	4 (2.4)
Nausea	45 (27.3)	1 (0.6)
Cough	44 (26.7)	0
Injection site erythema	43 (26.1)	0
Arthralgia	42 (25.5)	1 (0.6)
Headache	40 (24.2)	1 (0.6)
Constipation	36 (21.8)	0
Hypogammaglobulinemia	34 (20.6)	3 (1.8)

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MagnetisMM-3: Phase 2 Study of Elranatamab in RRMM



N = 123



BCMA × CD3

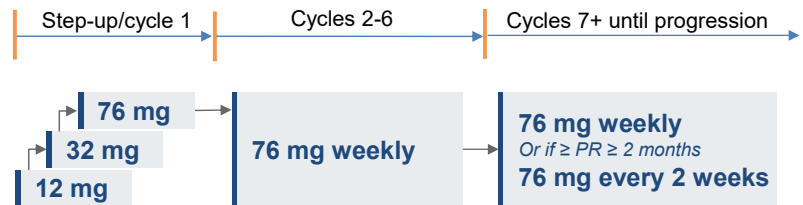
Elranatamab administration by SC injection

Key inclusion criteria

- Triple-class refractory
- No prior BCMA-directed therapy

Baseline characteristics

- Median age 68 y
- Median 5 prior lines
- 25% high-risk cytogenetics
- 42% penta-refractory



Primary endpoint: ORR

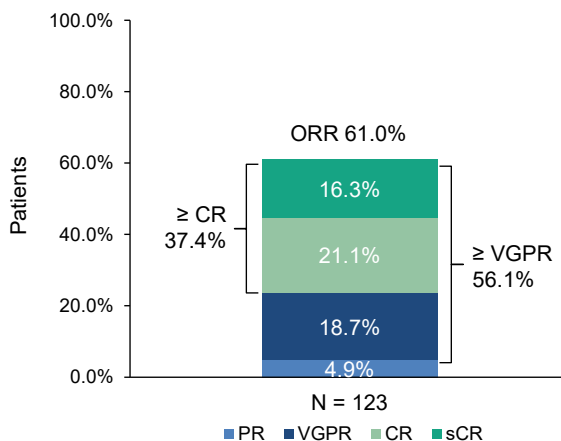


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MagnetisMM-3: Phase 2 Study of Elranatamab in RRMM

Response Rates Median follow-up 33.9 mo



61%

ORR
Primary endpoint



37%

≥ CRR



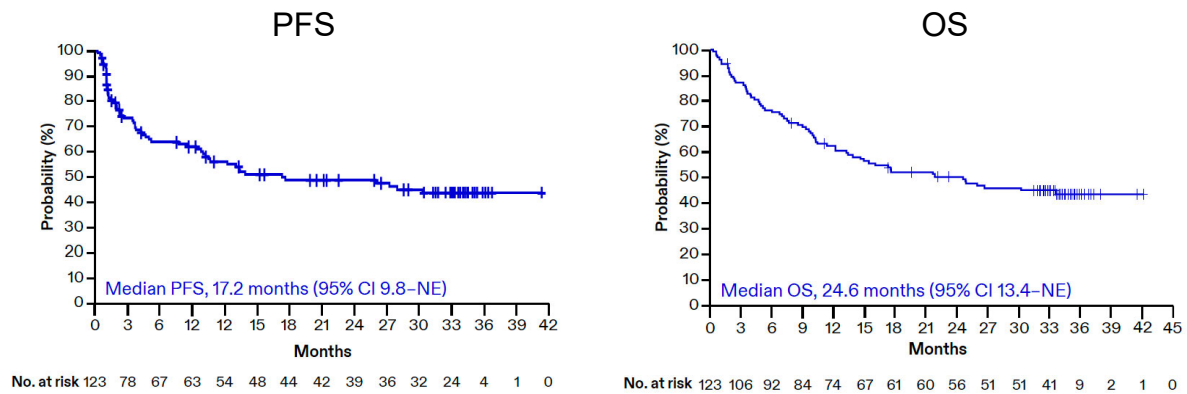
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Lesokhin AM et al. *Nat Med.* 2023;29:2259-2267.
Prince HM et al. *ASH* 2024.

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MagnetisMM-3: Phase 2 Study of Elranatamab in RRMM

- Most common AEs included infections, CRS, and cytopenias
- CRS median onset 2 days, median duration 2 days
- ICANS occurred in 3.4% of patients, all grade 1/2

	N = 123	
Hematologic AEs, N (%)	Any Grade	Grade ≥ 3
Anemia	60 (48.8)	46 (37.4)
Neutropenia	60 (48.8)	60 (48.8)
Thrombocytopenia	38 (30.9)	29 (23.6)
Lymphopenia	33 (26.8)	31 (25.2)

	N = 123	
Nonhematologic AEs, N (%)	Any Grade	Grade ≥ 3
Infection	82 (66.9)	49 (39.8)
COVID-19	36 (29.3)	19 (15.4)
CRS	71 (57.7)	0
Diarrhea	52 (42.3)	2 (1.6)
Fatigue	45 (36.6)	4 (3.3)
Decreased appetite	41 (33.3)	1 (0.8)
Pyrexia	37 (30.1)	5 (4.1)
Injection site reaction	33 (26.8)	0
Nausea	33 (26.8)	0
Hypokalemia	32 (26.0)	13 (10.6)
Cough	31 (25.2)	0
Headache	29 (23.6)	0

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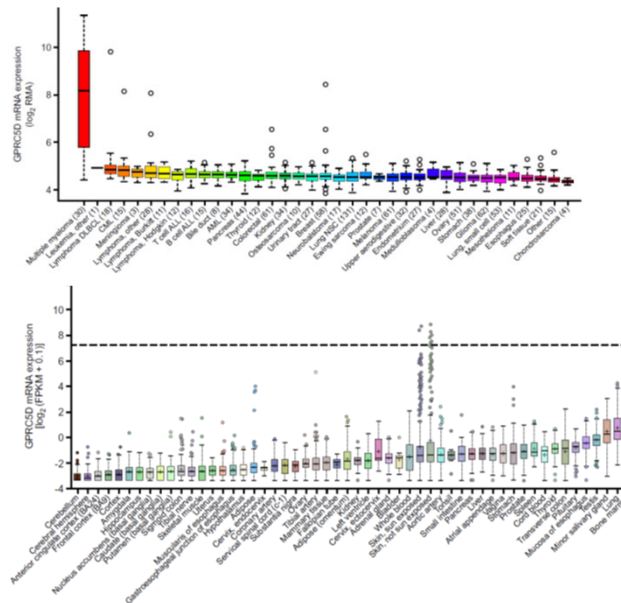
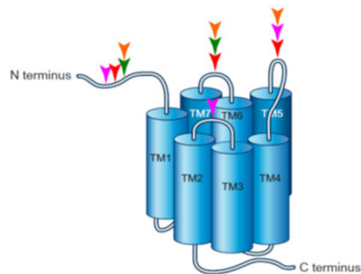
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GPRC5D



Smith E.L. *Transl. Med* 11:7746, 2019.



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MonumenTAL-1: Phase 1/2 Study of Talquetamab In RRMM



N = 339



GPRC5D × CD3

Talquetamab administration by SC injection

Treatment dose after 2 to 3 step-up doses; continued until progression

Key inclusion criteria:

- ≥ 3 prior lines, including PI, IMiD, and anti-CD38 mAb

Baseline characteristics

	TCR-Naive	Prior TCR
Median age	67	61
Median prior lines	5	6
High-risk cytogenetics	~30%	41%
Penta-refractory	~26%	41%

n = 143

Naive to T-cell redirection

0.4 mg/kg weekly

n = 154

Naive to T-cell redirection

0.8 mg/kg every 2 weeks

n = 78

Prior CAR T or bispecific

0.4 mg/kg weekly or 0.8 mg/kg every 2 weeks

Primary endpoint: ORR

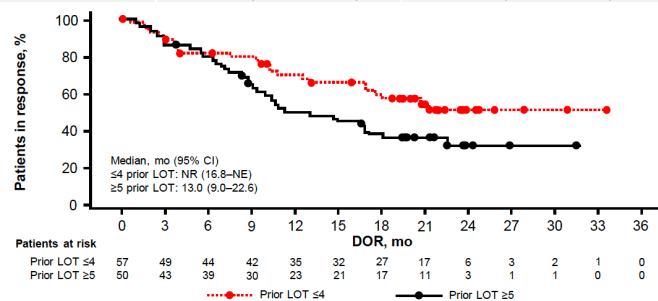
Schinke CD et al. *J Clin Oncol*. 2023;41(16_suppl):8036.
Ye JC et al. *IMS* 2024.



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MonumenTAL-1: Phase 1/2 Study of Talquetamab in RRMM

Outcomes	TCR-Naive QW Dose n = 143	TCR-Naive Q2W Dose n = 154	Prior TCR n = 78
Median follow-up (mo)	29.8	23.4	20.5
ORR (%)	74%	70%	67%
Median PFS (mo)	7.5 (5.7-9.4)	11.2 (8.4-14.6)	7.7 (4.1-14.5)
Median DOR	9.5 mo	17.5 (12.5-NE)	N/A
24-mo OS rate (%)	60.6 (51.7-68.4)	67.1 (58.3-74.4)	57.3 (43.5-68.9)



Ye JC et al. *IMS* 2024.



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MonumenTAL-1: Phase 1/2 Study of Talquetamab in RRMM

- Most common AEs included CRS, infection, dysgeusia, and skin/nail toxicity
- 5 patients discontinued due to skin-related AEs and dysgeusia

On-target,
off-tumor
effects

Most Common AEs, N (%)	TCR-Naive, QW Dose n = 143		TCR-Naive, Q2W Dose n = 145		Prior TCR n = 51	
	Any Grade	Grade ≥ 3	Any Grade	Grade ≥ 3	Any Grade	Grade ≥ 3
Hematologic						
Anemia	66 (44.8)	45 (31.5)	66 (45.5)	40 (27.6)	25 (49.0)	14 (27.5)
Neutropenia	50 (53.0)	44 (30.8)	41 (28.3)	32 (22.1)	28 (54.9)	27 (52.9)
Thrombocytopenia	39 (27.3)	29 (20.3)	43 (29.7)	27 (18.6)	19 (37.3)	15 (29.4)
Nonhematologic						
CRS	113 (79.0)	3 (2.1)	108 (74.5)	1 (0.7)	39 (76.5)	1 (2.0)
Infection	84 (58.7)	28 (19.6)	96 (66.2)	21 (14.5)	37 (72.5)	14 (27.5)
Dysgeusia	103 (72.0)	-	103 (71.0)	-	39 (76.5)	-
Skin related	80 (55.9)	0	106 (73.1)	1 (0.7)	35 (68.6)	0
Nail related	78 (54.5)	0	78 (53.8)	0	32 (62.7)	0
Rash related	57 (39.9)	2 (1.4)	43 (29.7)	8 (5.5)	18 (35.3)	2 (3.9)
Weight decrease	59 (41.3)	3 (2.1)	60 (41.4)	8 (5.5)	15 (29.4)	0

Schinke CD et al. *J Clin Oncol*. 2023;41(16_suppl):8036.



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RedirecTT-1: Teclistamab + Talquetamab in RRMM

Characteristic	RP2R (n=44)	All doses (N=94)
Median age, years (range)	63.0 (41–80)	64.5 (39–81)
Male, n (%)	23 (52.3)	49 (52.1)
Race, n (%)		
White	32 (72.7)	75 (79.8)
Black/African American	0 (0)	1 (1.1)
Asian	12 (27.3)	17 (18.1)
Unknown	0 (0)	1 (1.1)
Extramedullary plasmacytomas ≥ 1 , ^a n (%)	18 (40.9)	34 (36.2)
High-risk cytogenetics, ^b n (%)	8 (42.1)	21 (41.2)
ISS stage, ^c n (%)		
I	19 (46.3)	38 (44.7)
II	14 (34.1)	26 (30.6)
III	8 (19.5)	21 (24.7)
Years since diagnosis, median (range)	5.5 (0.3–12.9)	6.1 (0.3–14.6)

Characteristic	RP2R (n=44)	All doses (N=94)
Median prior LOT, n (range)	4.0 (2–10)	4.0 (1–11)
Exposure status, n (%)		
Belantamab mafodotin	5 (11.4)	18 (19.1)
CAR-T therapy ^d	2 (4.5)	4 (4.3)
Bispecific antibody ^e	2 (4.5)	7 (7.4)
Any BCMA-directed therapy	9 (20.5)	27 (28.7)
Triple-class	44 (100.0)	94 (100.0)
Penta-drug	28 (63.6)	61 (64.9)
Refractory status, n (%)		
Proteasome inhibitor	41 (93.2)	85 (90.4)
Immunomodulatory drug	41 (93.2)	91 (96.8)
Anti-CD38	43 (97.7)	93 (98.9)
Triple-class	37 (84.1)	81 (86.2)
Penta-drug	13 (29.5)	31 (33.0)
To last line of therapy	39 (88.6)	87 (92.6)

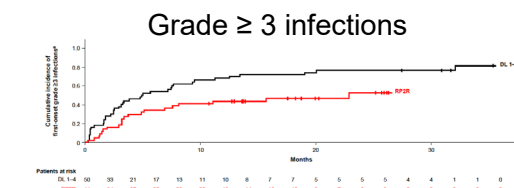
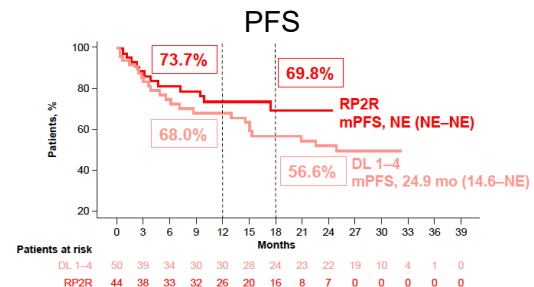
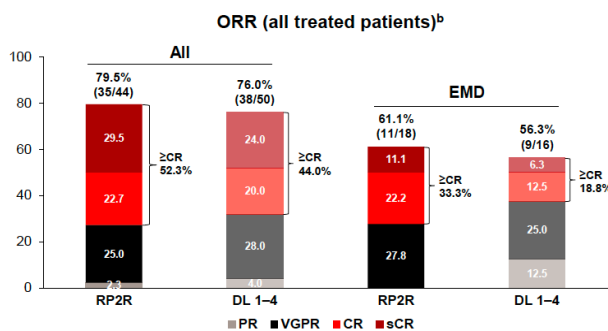
Triple-class exposed population, 36% with extramedullary plasmacytomas

Cohen YC et al. *IMS* 2024.
Cohen YC et al. *N Engl J Med* 2025.



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RedirecTT-1: Teclistamab + Talquetamab in RRMM

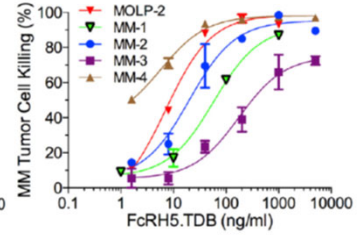
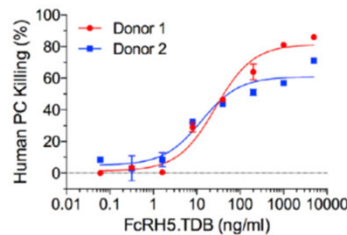
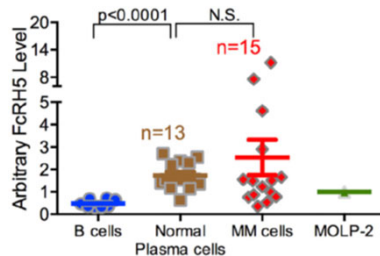


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Cevostamab - FcRH5 × CD3 BsAb



- Fc Receptor Homologue 5
- Gene in Ch 1q
- Expressed in B cells, including PC

Ongoing Phase 1 dose/schedule finding

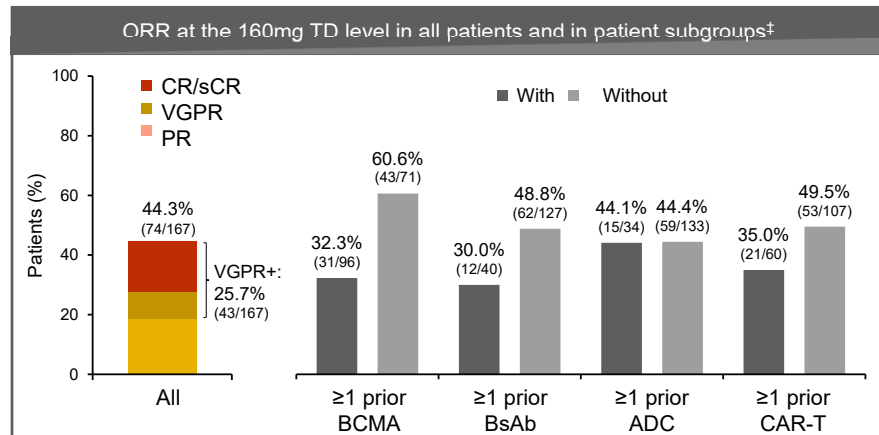
Li J. *Cancer Cell* 31:7746, 2017.



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Response at the 160mg TD level (n=167)

- **Responses occur early**
 - Median time to first response (PR+): 1.4 months (range: 0.5–4.6)
- **Responses deepen over time**
 - Median time to best response: 2.6 months (range: 0.5–13.4)
- **MRD negativity* achieved in 11/18 patients evaluated†**



Cevostamab provides clinically meaningful activity at the 160mg TD level in a heavily pretreated and highly refractory population, including >50% with prior BCMA

Richter et al, ASH 2024.



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What is TRUE about the toxicity of bispecific T-cell engagers in use in MM?

- a) Bispecific T-cell engagers binding GPRC5D are more toxic than those binding BCMA.
- b) Infection is the most relevant toxicity of BCMA-directed bispecifics.
- c) Only bispecific antibodies binding BCMA have been associated with severe CRS.
- d) Talquetamab is associated with allergy, manifesting predominantly as diffuse rash. After rash, patients can only be rechallenged in the inpatient setting.



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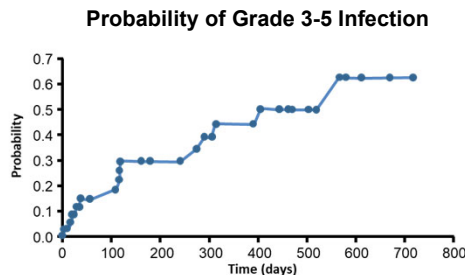
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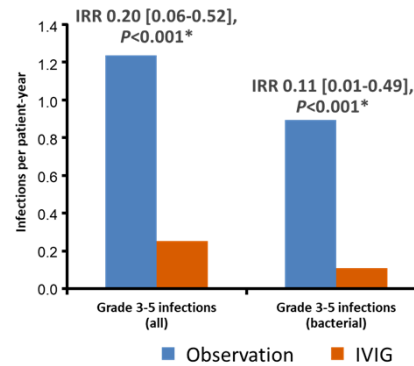
IVIG Use in Patients on BCMA-Targeted BsAbs



Important Clinical Strategies

- Antiviral prophylaxis
- Antibiotic prophylaxis
- IVIG if IgG < 400

Grade 3-5 Infection Rate With or Without IVIG



IRR, infusion-related reaction.
Lacman et al, *Blood Cancer Disc* 4:440, 2023.



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Infection Prevention and Management Strategies

Antimicrobial Prophylaxis

All patients

- HSV and VZV prophylaxis
- PJP prophylaxis
- VZV vaccination
- Influenza vaccination
- SARS-COV-2 vaccination per CDC/local guidelines

Antibacterial/antifungal indications

- Prolonged or G-CSF-resistant neutropenia
- High risk or history of recurrent infection
- History of prolonged high-dose steroid use (antifungal)

Management

Hypogammaglobulinemia

- IVIG therapy monthly for
 - IgG <400 mg/dL
 - ≥ 2 severe recurrent infections by encapsulated bacteria
- Life-threatening infection
- Treatment-resistant bacterial infection

Neutropenia

- G-CSF for grade ≥3 neutropenia
- Avoid G-CSF during periods of CRS risk

Active Infection

- Treat with available therapy depending on infectious agent
- Antibiotic should be targeted when possible

Bispecific Antibody Dosing

Maintain dosing

- During prophylaxis
- During IVIG treatment

Temporarily withhold

- ANC < 0.5 × 10⁹/L or febrile neutropenia
- Active infection, including COVID-19

Discontinue

- HBV reactivation

ANC, absolute neutrophil count; G-CSF, granulocyte colony-stimulating factor; HBV, hepatitis B virus; IVIG, intravenous immunoglobulin; VZV, varicella zoster virus.

Raje N et al. *Blood Cancer J*. 2023;13:116.



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Summary – Bispecific T-cell Engagers

- Available, highly active therapy for advanced MM
- BCMA and GPRC5D options – we are still learning best sequence
- Nuisance of step-up dosing
- Very short term: CRS
- Long term: Infections, on-target-off-tumor toxicities
- Combinations coming up



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Bispecific Antibodies in Lymphoma

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Which of the following is TRUE regarding bispecific antibodies approved for treatment of follicular lymphoma?

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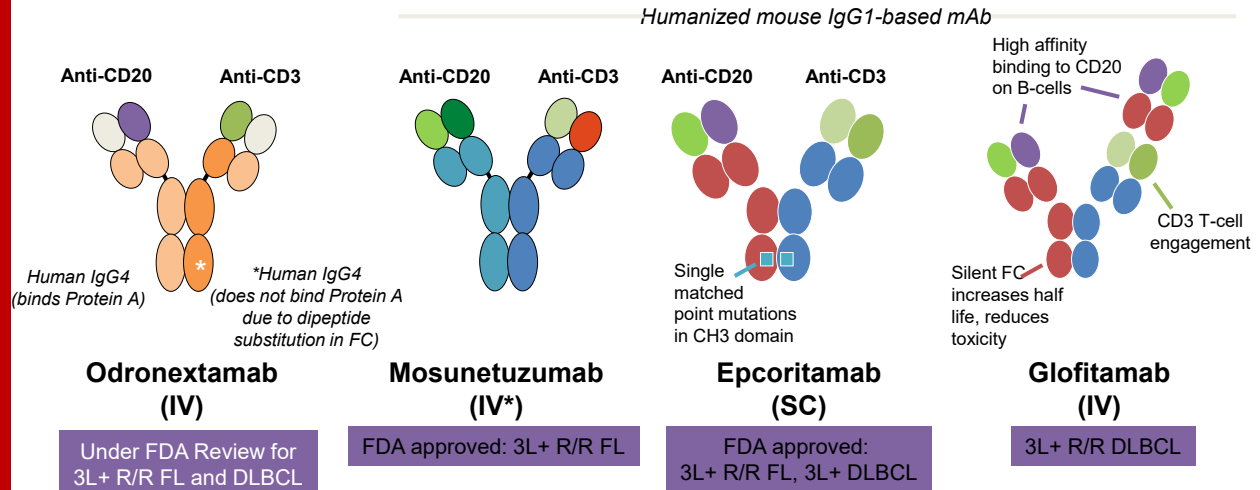
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CD20/CD3 Bispecific Antibodies in B-Cell Lymphomas



Castaneda-Puglianni. *Drugs Context*. 2021;10:2021. Bannerji. *ASH* 2020. Abstr 42. Budde. *ASH* 2018. Abstr 399. Hutchings. *Lancet*. 2021;398:1157. Engelberts. *eBioMedicine*. 2020;52:102625. Hutchings. *JCO*. 2021;39:1959. Mosunetuzumab PI. Epcoritamab PI. Glofitamab PI.



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Phase II Study of Mosunetuzumab Monotherapy in R/R FL

Single-arm, pivotal phase II expansion study^{1,2}

- Primary endpoint met: 60% CR vs 14% historical control ($P < .0001$) at 10-mo follow-up²

Adults with R/R FL (grades 1-3a) after ≥ 2 prior systemic tx including ≥ 1 anti-CD20 mAb and ≥ 1 alkylating agent; ECOG PS ≤ 1 (N = 90)

Cycle 1*: Step-up Dosing^{†‡}

Mosunetuzumab IV
D1: 1 mg > D8: 2 mg > D15: 60 mg

Cycle 2[‡]

Mosunetuzumab IV
D1: 60 mg

Cycles 3-8[‡]

Mosunetuzumab IV
D1: 30 mg

^{*}21-day cycles. [†]Cycle 1 step-up dosing for CRS mitigation. [‡]Premedication before each mosunetuzumab dose in cycles 1 and 2, optional from cycle 3+: IV corticosteroid given 1 hr before, IV antihistamine and oral antipyretic given 30 min before. [§]Retreatment allowed at relapse for those achieving CR.

No mandatory hospitalization for treatment administration.

Discontinue if CR by cycle 8[§]; if PR or SD, continue at 30 mg for 17 cycles (unless PD or unacceptable toxicity)

- Primary endpoint:** CR (best response) rate by IRF, assessed vs 14% historical control CR rate
- Secondary endpoints:** ORR, DoR, PFS, safety, and tolerability

1. Bartlett. *ASH* 2022. Abstr 610. 2. Budde. *Lancet Oncol*. 2022;23:1055. NCT02500407.



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Mosunetuzumab Phase II Study: Baseline Characteristics

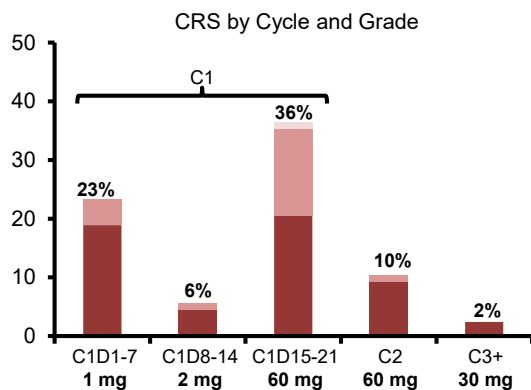
Characteristic	Mosunetuzumab (N = 90)
Median age, yr (range)	60 (53-67)
Male, n (%)	55 (61)
ECOG PS 0/1, n (%)	53/37 (59/41)
Ann Arbor stage, n (%)	
▪ I-II	21 (23)
▪ III-IV	69 (77)
Median prior lines, n (range)	3 (2-4)
Refractory to last prior therapy, %	62 (69)
Refractory to any prior anti-CD20 therapy, %	71 (79)
PD within 24 mo from start of first-line therapy (POD24), %	47 (52)
Double refractory to prior anti-CD20 therapy and alkylator, %	48 (53)
Prior ASCT, %	19 (21)

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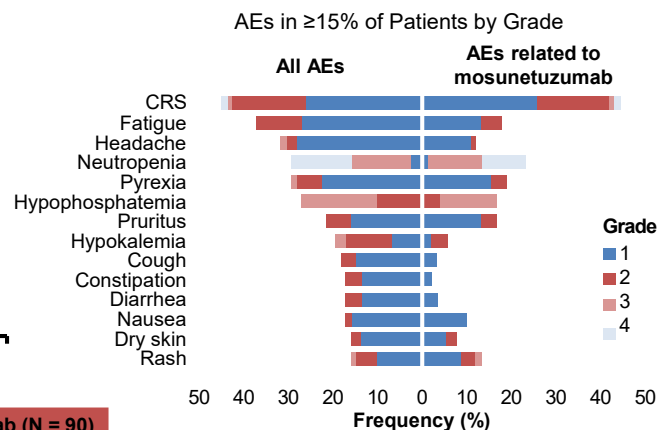
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Mosunetuzumab Phase II Study: Safety



CRS per ASTCT Criteria	Mosunetuzumab (N = 90)
Median duration, days (range)	3 (1-29)
Patients who received tx for CRS (n = 40)	
▪ Corticosteroids only	6 (15%)
▪ Tocilizumab only	3 (8%)
▪ Both	4 (10%)

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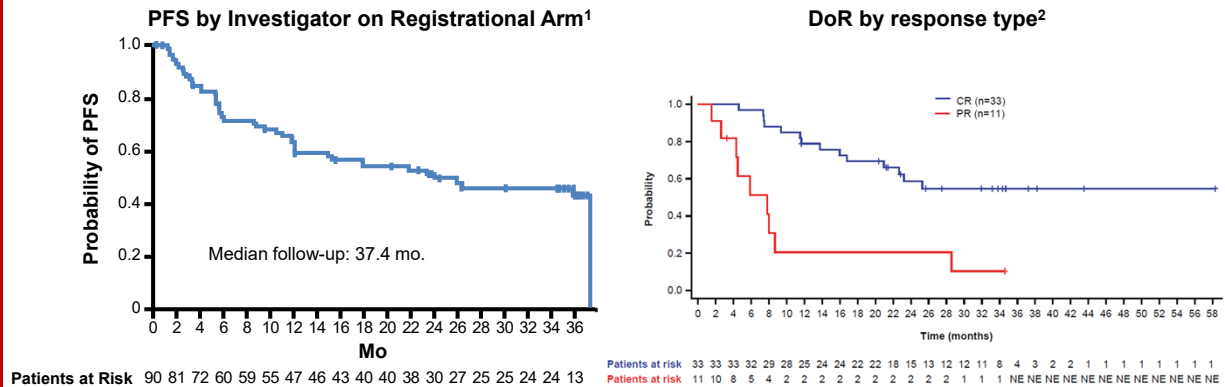


*Fatal AEs: malignant neoplasm progression (n=1) and unexplained (n=1). †D/c: mosunetuzumab related, CRS (n=2); unrelated to mosunetuzumab, EBV viremia (n=1), Hodgkin disease (n=1).



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Mosunetuzumab Phase II Study: Efficacy



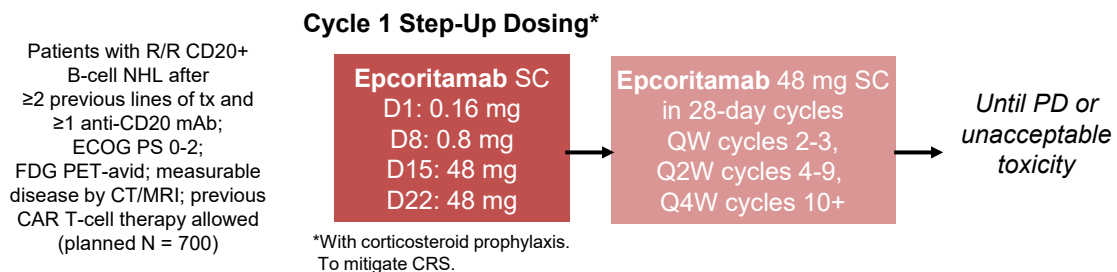
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EPCORE NHL-1: Epcoritamab in R/R B-Cell NHL

Phase I/II open-label, dose escalation/expansion study



Primary endpoint: ORR by IRC

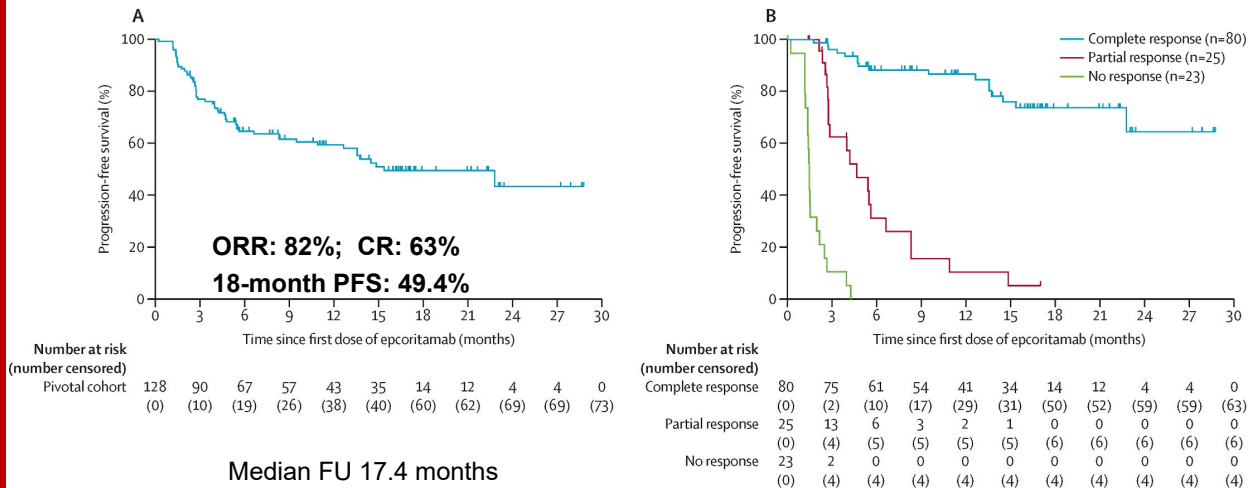
Secondary endpoints: DoR, TTR, PFS, OS, CR rate, safety

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EPCORE NHL-1: Efficacy of Epcoritamab in FL

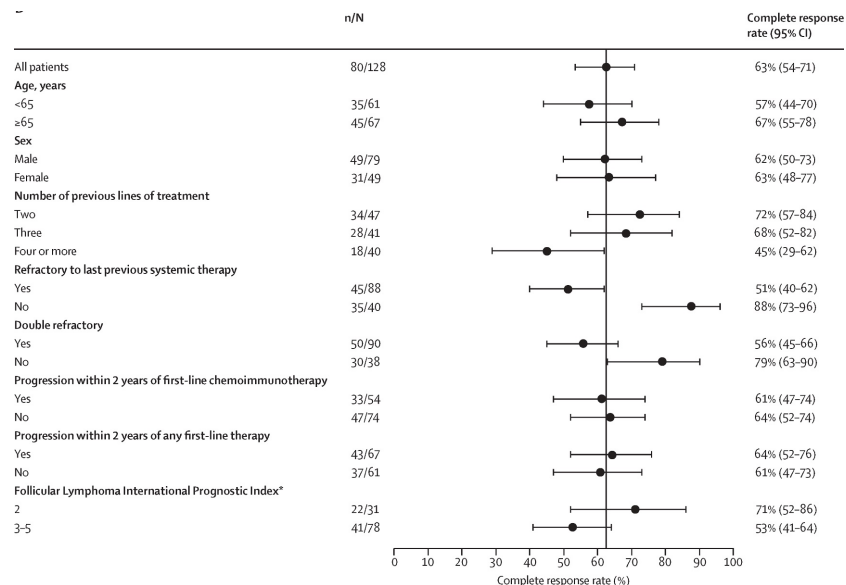


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EPCORE NHL-1: Complete Response in FL

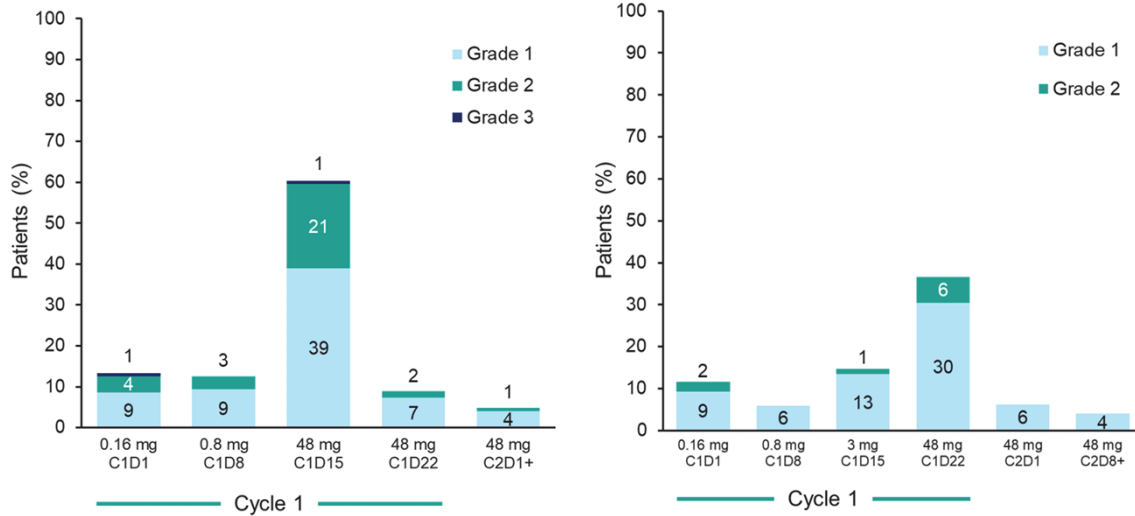


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EPCORE NHL-1: CRs in Pivotal vs Optimization Cohort in FL

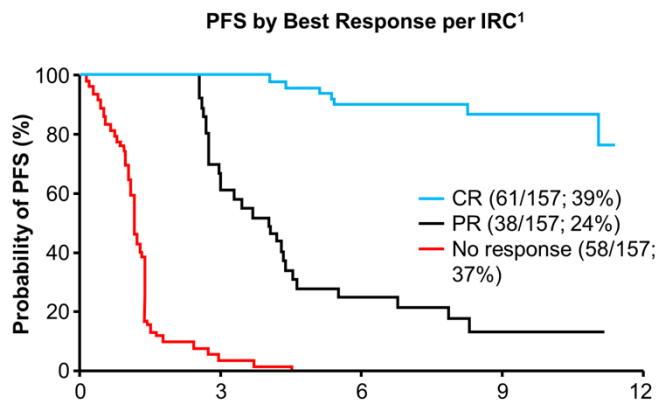


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EPCORE NHL-1: Epcoritamab Efficacy in DLBCL



Best response rates²

- CR: 39.0%
- ORR: 63.0%

Subgroup CR rate²

- After CAR T cell: 34%
- Refractory: 30%

Survival

- Median PFS: 4.4 mo²
- OS: 57% at 12 mo¹
- Median DOR: 12 mo²
- Median DOR of CR: NR²

1. Thieblemont C et al. *EHA* 2022. Abstract LB2364; 2. Thieblemont C et al. *J Clin Oncol*. 2023;41(12):2238-2247.

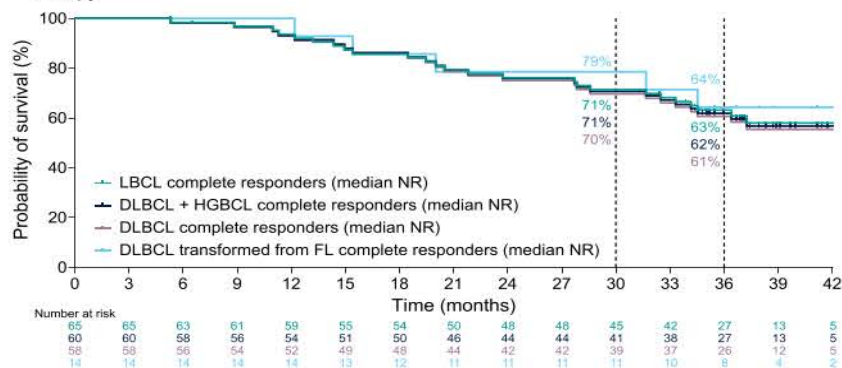


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3-Year Update

Long-Term PFS and OS Benefits With Complete Response

- Median PFS for the overall population (N=157) was 4.2 mo (95% CI, 2.8–5.5)
- Among complete responders (n=65), median PFS was 37.3 mo (95% CI, 26.0–NR)
 - 36-mo PFS estimate was 53%
- **Median OS for the overall population (N=157) was 18.5 mo (95% CI, 11.7–27.7); among complete responders, it was NR**
- At 36 mo, an estimated 75% of complete responders had not initiated a new antilymphoma therapy



Vose J et al. *ASH 2024 Abstract 4480*.

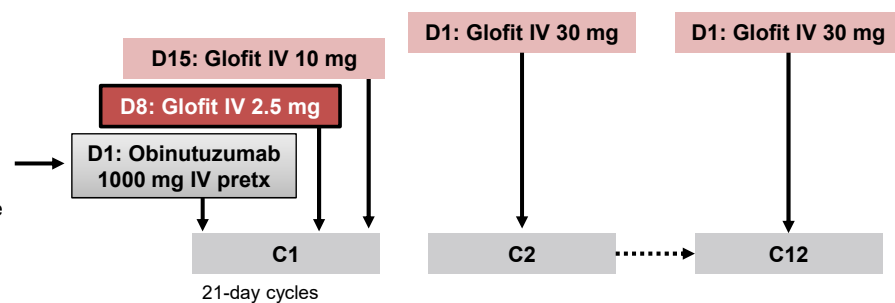


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Phase II Expansion Study: Glofitamab After 2 Prior Lines of Therapy in DLBCL

Single-arm phase II expansion trial

Patients with DLBCL-NOS, HGBCL, transformed FL, or PMBCL; ECOG PS 0-1 and ≥ 2 prior therapies, including anti-CD20 and anthracycline (N = 155)



Primary endpoint: CR rate by IRC

Key secondary endpoints: ORR rate, DoR, DoCR, PFS, and OS

Dickinson MJ et al. *N Engl J Med*. 2022;387(24):2220-2231.



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Phase II Expansion Study of Glofitamab: Baseline Characteristics

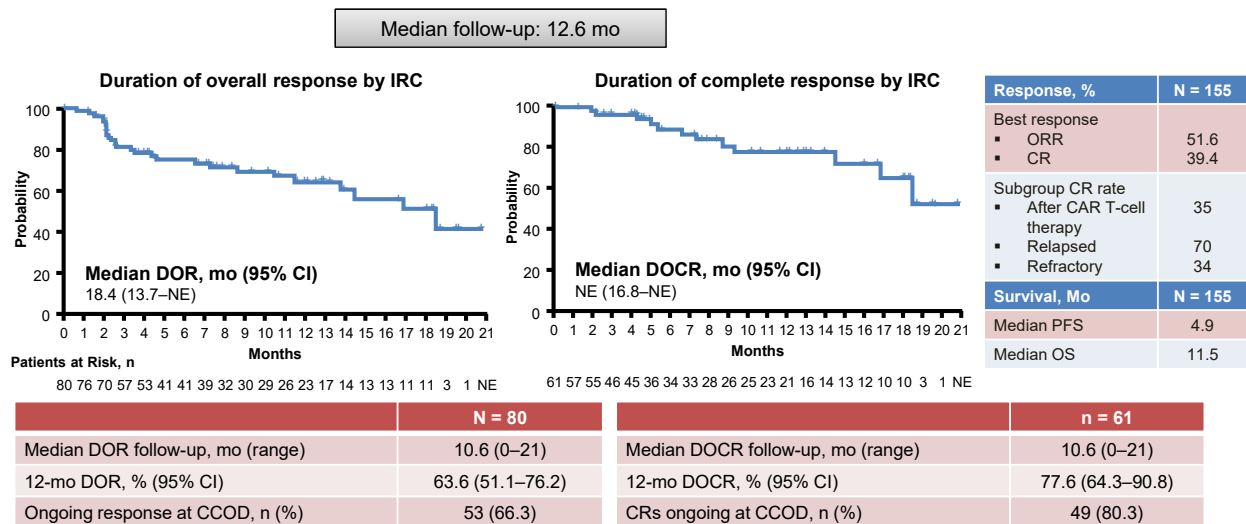
Characteristic	Glofitamab (N = 154)	Characteristic	Glofitamab (N = 154)
Median age, yr (range)	66.0 (21-90)	Prior lines of therapy, median (range)	3 (2-7)
Male, n (%)	100 (64.9)	▪ 2 prior lines, n (%)	62 (40.3)
Ann Arbor stage, n (%)		▪ ≥3 prior lines, n (%)	92 (59.7)
▪ I	10 (6.5)	Prior therapy received, n (%)	
▪ II	25 (16.2)	▪ Anti-CD20 antibody	154 (100)
▪ III	31 (20.1)	▪ Anthracycline	149 (96.8)
▪ IV	85 (55.2)	▪ CAR T-cell therapy	51 (33.1)
NHL subtype, n (%)		▪ ASCT	28 (18.2)
▪ DLBCL	110 (71.4)	Refractory disease, n (%)	
▪ Transformed from FL	27 (17.5)	▪ To any prior therapy	139 (90.3)
▪ HGBCL	11 (7.1)	▪ To last prior therapy	132 (85.7)
▪ PMBCL	6 (3.9)	▪ Primary refractory	90 (58.4)
Bulky disease, n (%)		▪ To prior CAR T-cell therapy	46 (29.9)
▪ >6 cm	64 (41.6)	▪ To any prior anti-CD20 antibody	128 (83.1)
▪ >10 cm	18 (11.7)		

Dickinson MJ et al. *N Engl J Med.* 2022;387(24):2220-2231.



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Phase II Expansion Study of Glofitamab: Efficacy

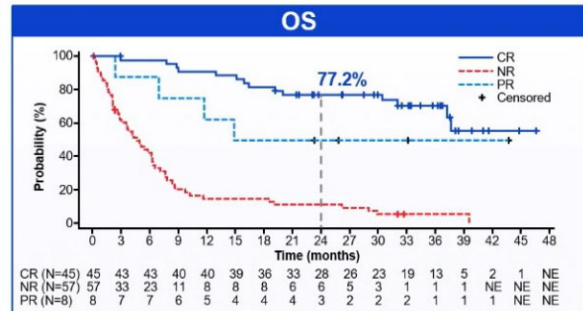
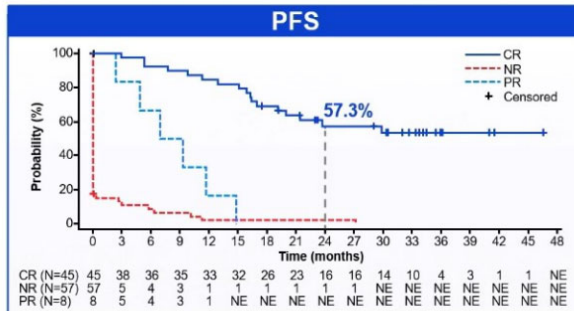


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3-Year Follow Up



Landmark PFS from EOT in patients with CR at EOT*

N=45

Median PFS, months (95% CI)	NE (20.0–NE)
24-month PFS rate, % (95% CI)	57.3 (41.2–73.4)

Landmark OS from EOT in patients with CR at EOT*

N=45

Median OS, months (95% CI)	NE (37.2–NE)
24-month OS rate, % (95% CI)	77.2 (64.8–89.6)

Most patients with a CR at EOT remained progression-free and alive at 24 months after EOT

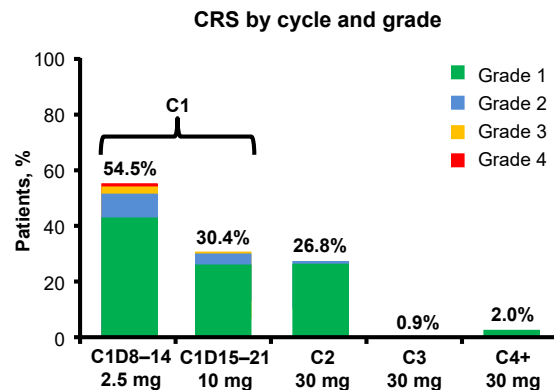
Dickinson M et al. *ASH 2024 Abstract 865*.



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Phase II Expansion Study of Glofitamab: Safety

CRS Parameter	Glofitamab (N = 154)
Any-grade CRS, n (%)	97 (63.0)
▪ Grade 1	73 (47.4)
▪ Grade 2	18 (11.7)
▪ Grade 3	4 (2.6)
▪ Grade 4	2 (1.3)
Median time to CRS onset from C1D8 dose, hr (range)	13.6 (6.2–51.8)
Corticosteroids given, n/N (%)	27/97 (27.8)
Tocilizumab given, n/N (%)	31/97 (32.0)
Any ICANS, n (%)	12 (7.8)
▪ Grade ≥3	4 (2.6)



Dickinson MJ et al. *N Engl J Med*. 2022;387(24):2220-2231.



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ELM-2: Odronextamab Monotherapy in R/R FL

Multicohort, open-label phase II study in R/R B-cell NHL (FL, DLBCL, MCL, MZL, others)

FL cohort: Adults with R/R FL (grades 1-3a) after ≥ 2 prior systemic tx including ≥ 1 anti-CD20 mAb and ≥ 1 alkylating agent; ECOG PS ≤ 1 (N = 131)

Cycle 1:* Step-up Dosing†‡

Odronextamab IV
D1,2: 0.5, 0.5 mg > D8,9:
10,10 mg > D15: 80 mg

Cycle 2-4*

Odronextamab IV
80 mg D1, D8, D15

Cycles 5+:* Maintenance

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*21-day cycles. †Cycle 1 step-up dosing at study initiation was 1/20/80 mg but was modified to further mitigate CRS risk. ‡Each step-up dose delivered as split infusions and is accompanied with premedication to further mitigate CRS risk.

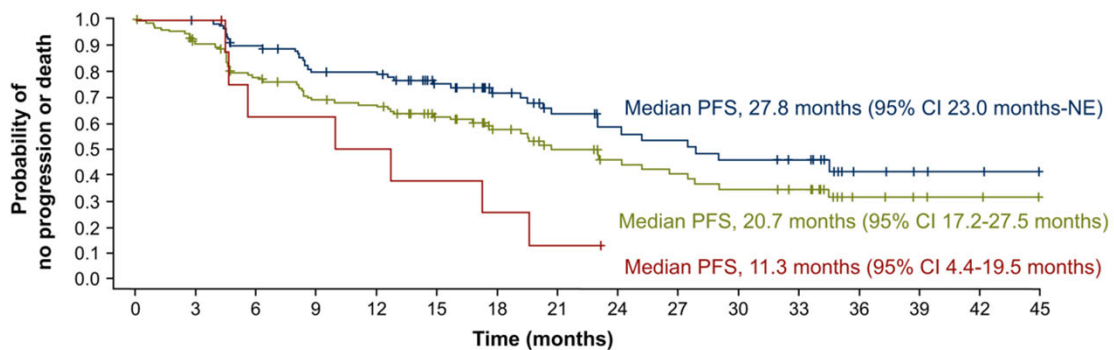
- **Primary endpoint:** ORR by ICR per Lugano criteria
- **Secondary endpoints:** ORR by investigator, CR rate, DoR, PFS, OS, safety/tolerability
- Patients were admitted for inpatient monitoring for 24 h following each infusion up to and including C2D1

Kim. ASH 2022. Abstr 949. NCT03888105.



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ELM-2: Survival by Response Type



Number at risk

	128	109	90	78	74	56	40	29	24	21	18	16	6	4	3	0
All patients	128	109	90	78	74	56	40	29	24	21	18	16	6	4	3	0
Patients with CR	94	93	81	70	68	51	37	27	23	21	18	16	6	4	3	0
Patients with PR	9	9	5	5	4	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

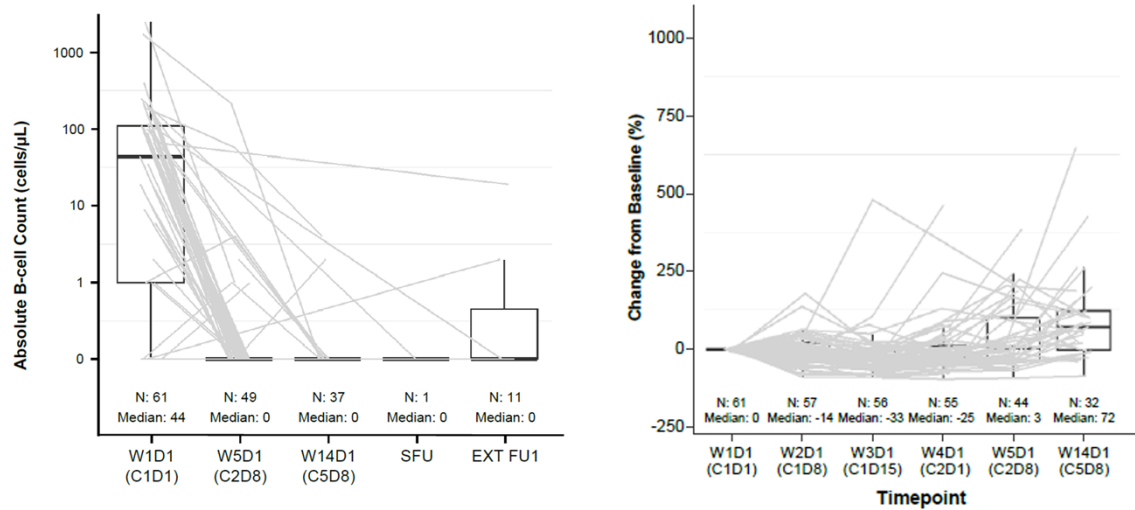
— All patients — Patients with CR — Patients with PR

Kim. Ann Oncol. 2024;35:1039.



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ELM-2: B-cell and T-cell Kinetics

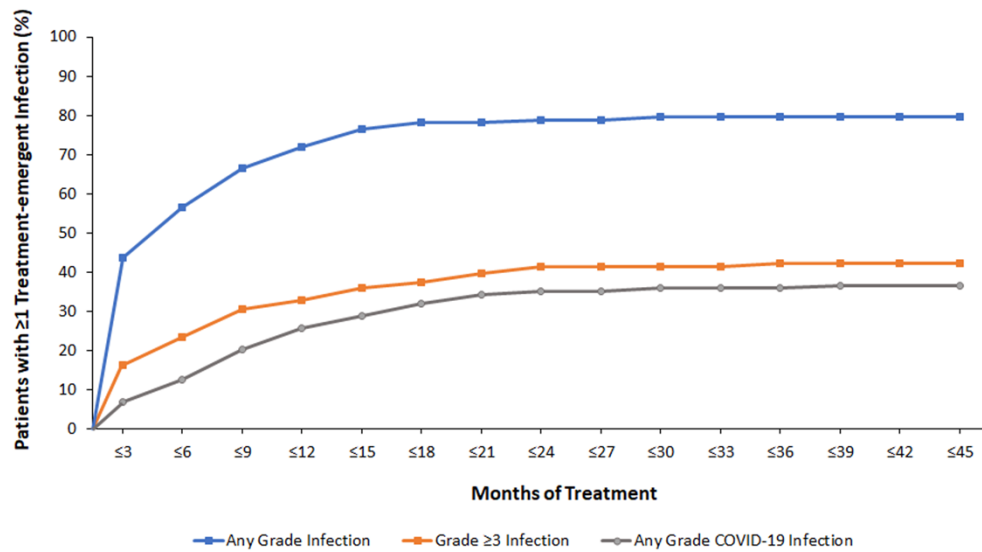


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Odronextamab: Cumulative Infections

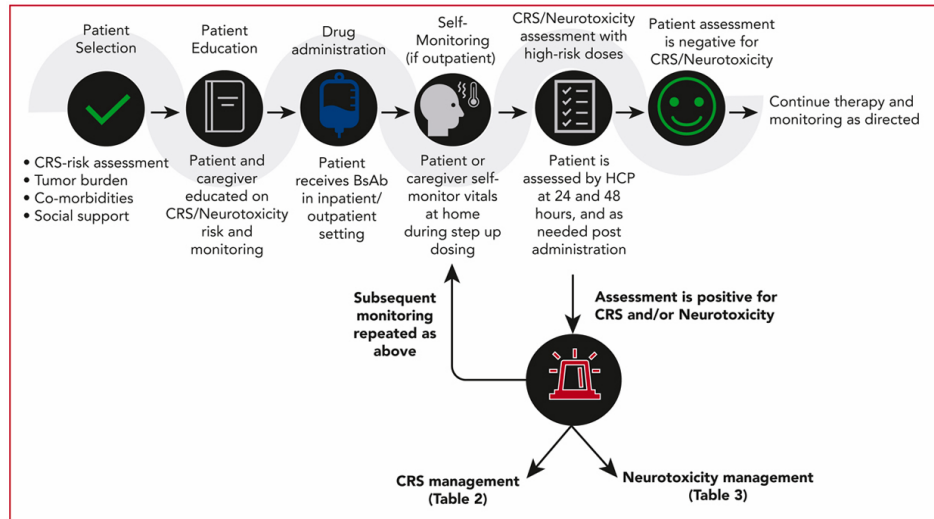


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Consensus Recommendations: Management of AEs Associated With CD3×CD20 Bispecific Antibody Therapy



Crombie et al. *Blood* 2024;143:1565.



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Key Considerations Before Initiating CD3×CD20 Bispecific Abs

Facility

- Ensure insurance authorization for BsAb and supportive care medications (including tocilizumab), if applicable
- Ensure there is a facility with tocilizumab available within close radius of patient's location with a minimum of 2 doses of tocilizumab available for immediate use
- Ensure that clinic staff including registered nurses, pharmacists, and providers are aware of tocilizumab location and how to administer
- Designated location (clinic/infusion center) for patients to be treated outpatient if concerns for grade 1 or, in unique instances, grade 2 CRS
- Institutions should have dedicated pathways for escalating care for patients with grade 2 CRS not responsive to outpatient management or for patients with more severe CRS
- Use electronic medical records, if available, to create standard order sets for CRS management or acute care plans

Personnel

- Provide education to staff involvement in administration, monitoring, and management of toxicities associated with BsAbs
- Appoint a dedicated health care team (eg, oncologist, advanced practice provider, nurse, and pharmacist) to monitor and manage complications. This can be the same team or a rotating team depending on institution capabilities.

Patient resources

- Ensure patients have access to a thermometer. This can be provided by the health care facility or purchased by the patient. Blood pressure cuff and pulse oximeter can also be helpful if available to the patient.
- Encourage patients to have educational sheet completed (Figure 1)
- Prescription for dexamethasone to use as needed for CRS. Patients should be instructed to administer only after discussing with care team.
- Ideally patients should remain near a facility that stocks tocilizumab during the treatment days with highest risk for development of CRS

Crombie et al. *Blood* 2024;143:1565.



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Prevention of Infection

Withhold if grade 4 neutropenia or active infection

Neutropenia: consider liberal use of growth factors

***Pneumocystis jirovecii* pneumonia: prophylaxis strongly recommended**

Herpes virus: prophylaxis strongly recommended

Consider IVIG for IgG <400/chronic infection

CMV has been reported

Check CMV status? Monitor?

Fungal infections have been reported

PML has been reported

Mosunetuzumab PI. Epcoritamab PI.



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Current and Future Landscape

FOLLICULAR LYMPHOMA

Approved in 3rd Line Therapy

CD20 x CD3 Bispecific Antibodies

2 products: Mosunetuzumab and Epcoritamab

Numerous Ongoing Clinical Trials

Combination Therapies in R/R setting

- R2 Combo Reported and Phase III ongoing

Frontline

- Single Agent and Combinations

Alternate Targets

- CD19 BsAB

DIFFUSE LARGE B-CELL LYMPHOMA

Approved in 3rd Line Therapy

CD20 x CD3 Bispecific Antibodies

2 products: Epcoritamab and Glofitamab

2nd Line + Combinations Published

Gem-Ox Chemotherapy

Mosunetuzumab + Polatuzumab

Frontline Studies Ongoing

Randomized Phase 3 Trials

Elderly/Non-Chemo Candidates

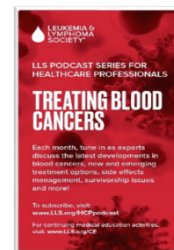
*Not all encompassing



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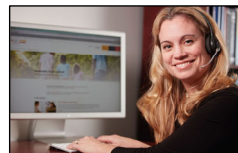
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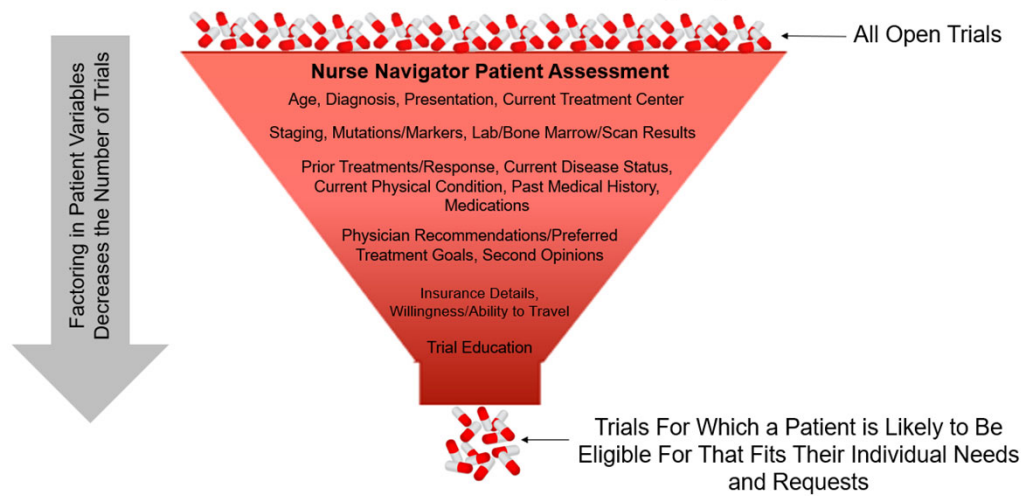
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CTSC PROCESS FOR SUPPORTING PATIENTS



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Individualized Clinical Trial Matching by the CTSC



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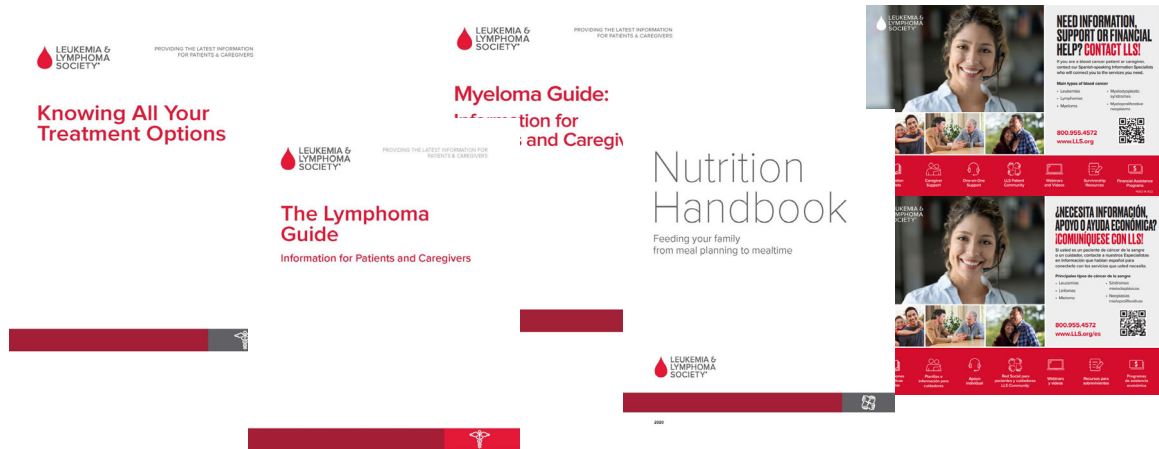
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