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**ACUTE
LYMPHOBLASTIC
LEUKEMIA (ALL)
IN CHILDREN
AND ADULTS**

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**Advances in the Treatment of
Childhood ALL**

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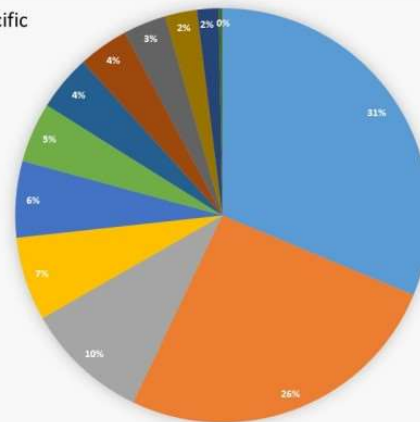
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Leukemia is the Most Common Childhood Cancer

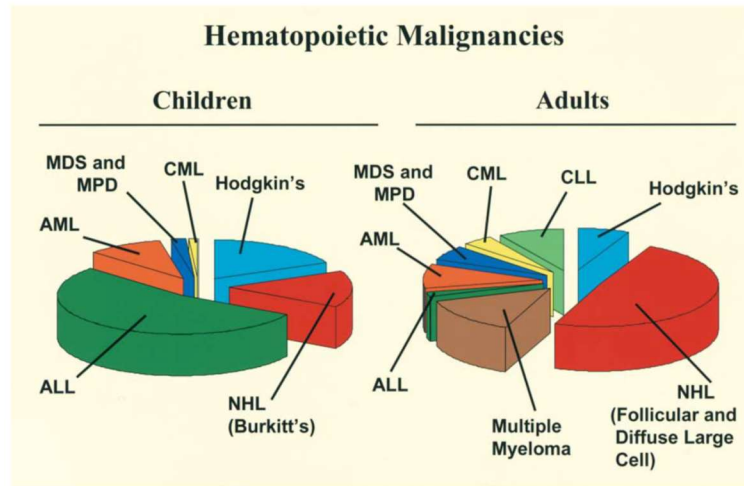
Age-Adjusted and Age-Specific
Cancer Incidence Rates for
Patients Aged 0–14 Years
(SEER 2009–2012)



<https://www.cancer.gov/types/childhood-cancers/hp/unusual-cancers-childhood-pdq>

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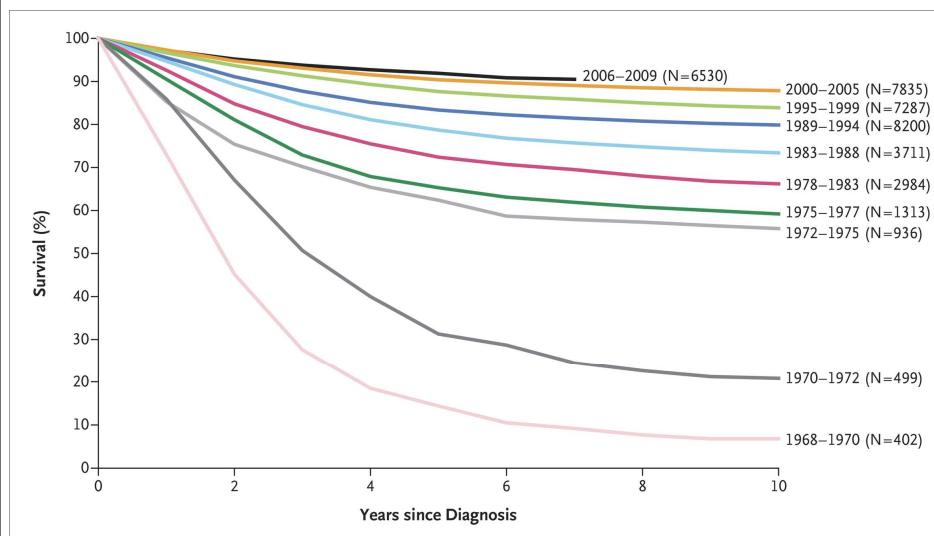
Leukemia Epidemiology: Children vs. Adults



Downing J and Shannon K. *Cancer Cell* 2002; 437-445

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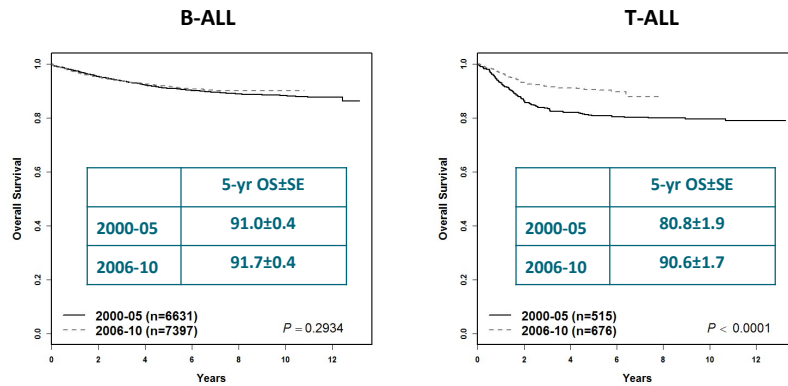
Childhood ALL Outcomes



Hunger SP, Mullighan CG. *N Engl J Med* 2015;373:1541-1552

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Improvements in ALL Survival: 2006-10 vs. 2000-05



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Curative Strategies in Childhood ALL

- Delivery of multiple chemotherapy agents to prevent drug resistance
- Recognition that sanctuary sites need focused treatment (CNS)
- Identification of risk groups at diagnosis to determine intensity of therapy
 - NCI risk group and clinical features
 - Sentinel genetic lesions
 - Early response to therapy (MRD)

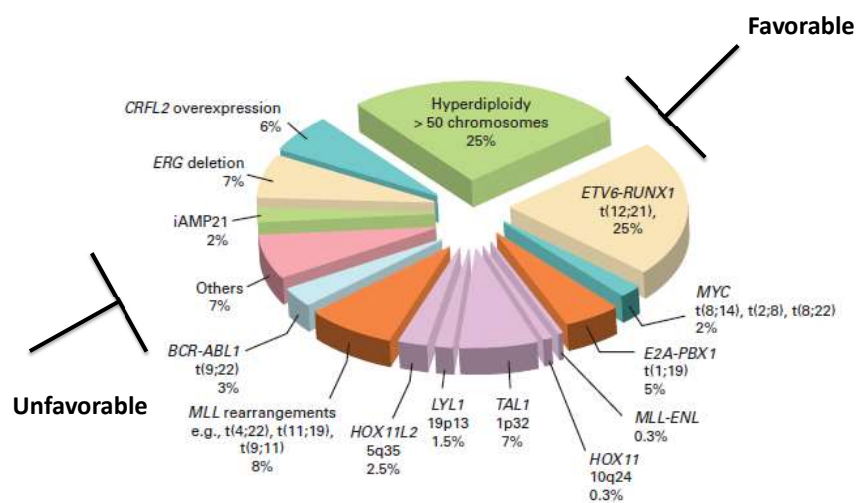
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Key Clinical Prognostic Factors

Age	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • > 1, < 10 years – favorable • ≤ 1 and ≥ 10 years – unfavorable
White Blood Cell Count	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <50,000/μL – favorable • ≥50,000/μL – unfavorable
Immunophenotype	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • B-precursor – favorable • T-cell – requires more intensive therapy
Gender	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Female – favorable • Male – historically required longer treatment
Extramedullary Disease	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Absent – favorable • Present – unfavorable

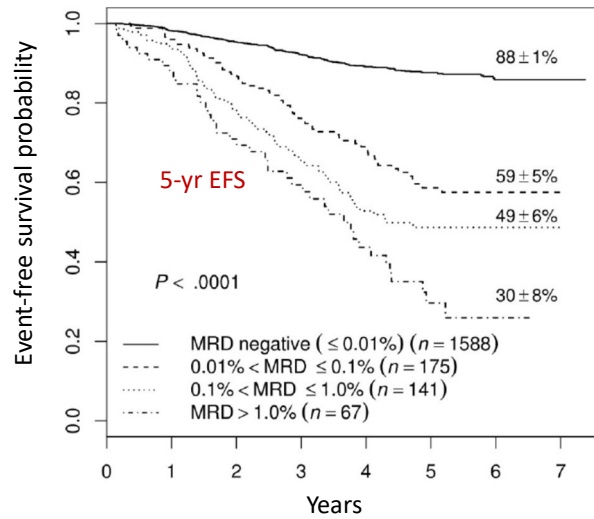
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Genetic Subclassification of Childhood ALL

Pui, Carroll, Meshinchi, Arceci. *J Clin Oncol* 2011; 551-565

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MRD Response is the Most Significant Outcome Predictor

Borowitz et al. *Blood* 2008; 111:5477-5485

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Approach to Genetic Testing and Classification

- Children's Oncology Group classification studies
 - POG 9900 (12/13/00-2/28/05, $n = 3762$)
 - AALL03B1 (12/29/03-9/6/11, $n = 11,206$)
 - AALL08B1 (08/09/10-7/23/18, $n = 17,372$)

Risk Classification in Childhood ALL

- NCI Risk Group & Extramedullary Disease Status
- Sentinel Genetic Lesions
 - Trisomies 4, 10, & 17
 - ETV6-RUNX1*
 - BCR-ABL1*
 - KMT2A-R*
 - iAMP21*
 - Chromosomes <44
- Rapidity of Response
 - Morphology day 8/15
 - Day 29 Flow MRD

Low Risk (29%)

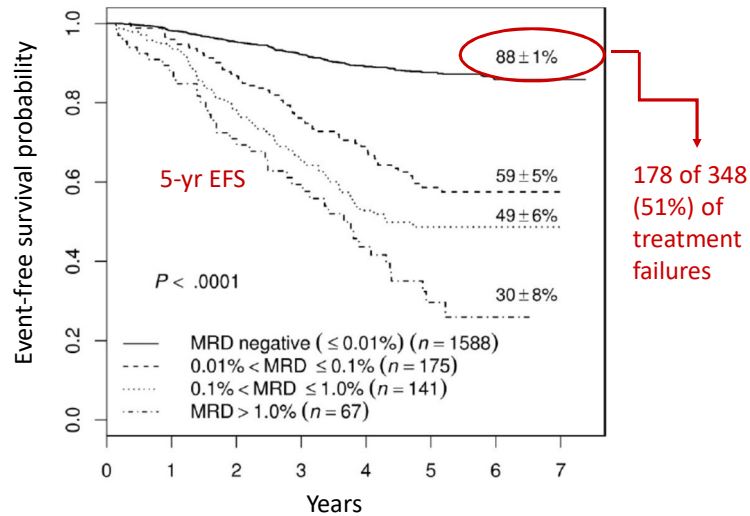
Standard Risk (33%)

High Risk (34%)

Very High Risk (4%)

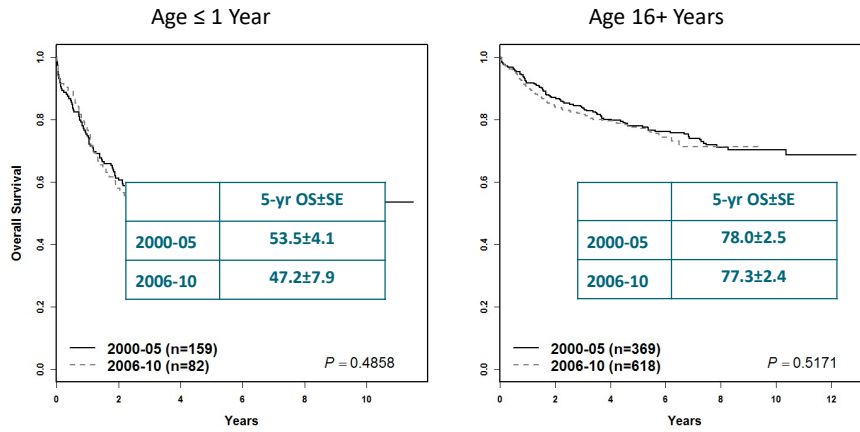
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Many Relapses Occur Unpredictably



Borowitz et al. *Blood* 2008; 111:5477-5485

ALL Outcomes Across the Age Spectrum



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Current Landscape and Future Directions in ALL Therapy

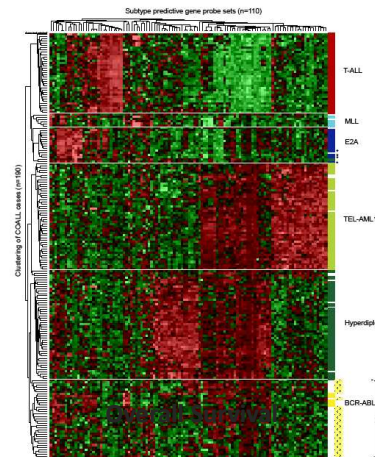
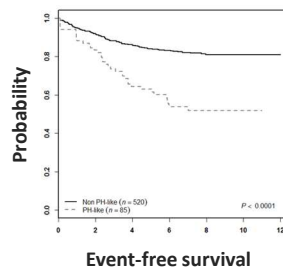
Overarching Goals for ALL Therapy

- **Improve cure rates**-Identify patients who will fail current therapies and alter approaches
 - Specific genomic subsets
 - High minimal residual disease (MRD) burdens
 - Adolescents and young adults (AYAs)
 - Infants
- **Decrease acute and late effects**
- **Optimize medication adherence**

Targeted Therapy for ALL

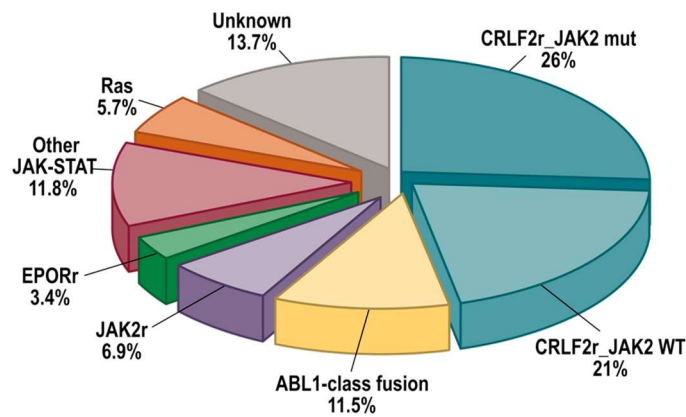
Philadelphia Chromosome-like (Ph-like) ALL

- Ph-like ALL comprises 15-20% of high-risk B-ALL occurring in children and adolescents and 20-40% of B-ALL in adults
 - Driven by genetic alterations that activate kinase signaling
 - High rates of MRD and relapse with conventional chemotherapy



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Genetic Subtypes of Ph-like ALL

Roberts KG et al. *N Engl J Med* 2014;371:1005-1015

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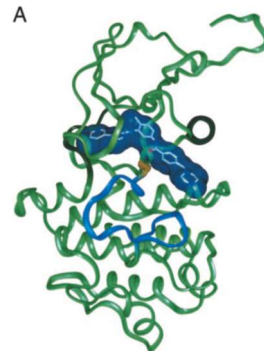
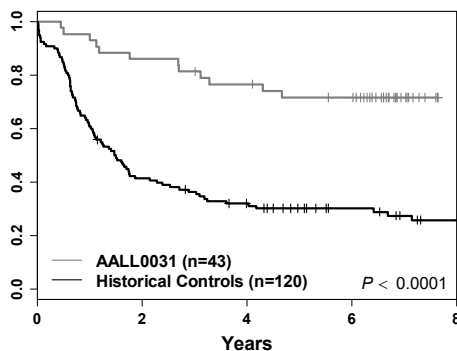
Spectrum of Recurring Genetic Alterations in Ph-like ALL

- ABL-class fusions — ABL-class inhibitors
- *EPOR* or *JAK2* rearranged — JAK inhibitor
- *CRLF2* rearranged — JAK inhibitor
- Other JAK-STAT pathway
- Ras pathway
- Misc or no kinase activation

Roberts KG et al. *N Engl J Med* 2014;371:1005-1015; Graubert TA. *N Engl J Med* 2014;371:1064-1066

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Can We Build on the Success of TKI + Chemotherapy in Ph+ ALL?



COG AALL0031: 7-yr DFS 71.7% vs. 21.4% for historical controls treated without TKIs

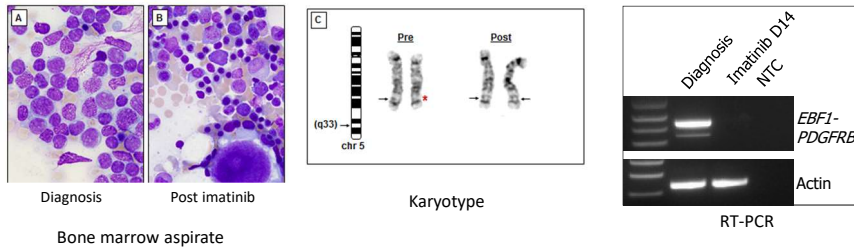
Schultz et al. *J Clin Oncol* 2009: 5175-5181 and *Leukemia* 2014: 1467-1471

Nagar et al. *Cancer Res* 2002: 4236-4243

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Clinical Response of *EBF1-PDGFRB* ALL to Imatinib

- 10 year old boy with refractory B-ALL – 70% blasts at day 29
- Cytogenetics: 5q33 interstitial deletion at *PDGFRB*
- *EBF1-PDGFRB* positive
- Started imatinib with immediate clinical improvement
- 2 weeks: morphologic remission; MRD 0.059%; normal *PDGFRB* FISH
- Remission sustained



Weston and Mullighan et al, *J Clin Oncol.* 2013; 31: e413-6

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Immunotherapy for ALL

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Promising New Immunotherapies for B-ALL

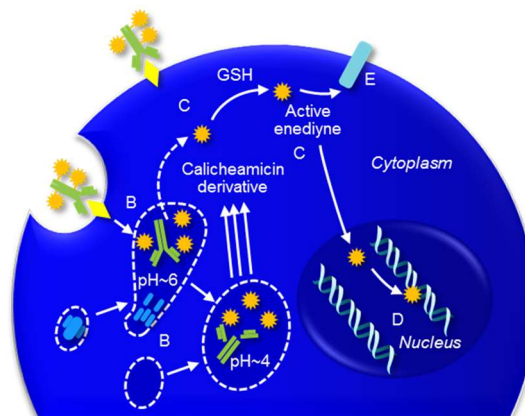
Immune Therapy	Mechanism of Action	Patient Population Studied	Outcome
Inotuzumab	CD22-directed humanized moAB conjugated to calicheamicin	Adults with CD22+ R/R B-ALL	80.7% CR/Cri
Blinatumomab	Bispecific T cell receptor engager (BiTE) that redirects CD3+ T cells to CD19+ blasts	Adults with R/R Ph- B-ALL Children with R/R B-ALL	39% CR 39% CR
CAR T cells	T cells transduced ex-vivo with chimeric anti-CD19 receptor	Children with CD19+ R/R B-ALL	83% CR/Cri

Kantarjian et al. *N Engl J Med.* 2016;375:740-753, Maury S et al. *N Engl J Med.* 2016;375:1044-1053, Topp M et al. *EHA.* 2016;149, von Stackelberg A et al. *Blood.* 2016;128:222, Grupp SA et al. *Blood.* 2016;128:221

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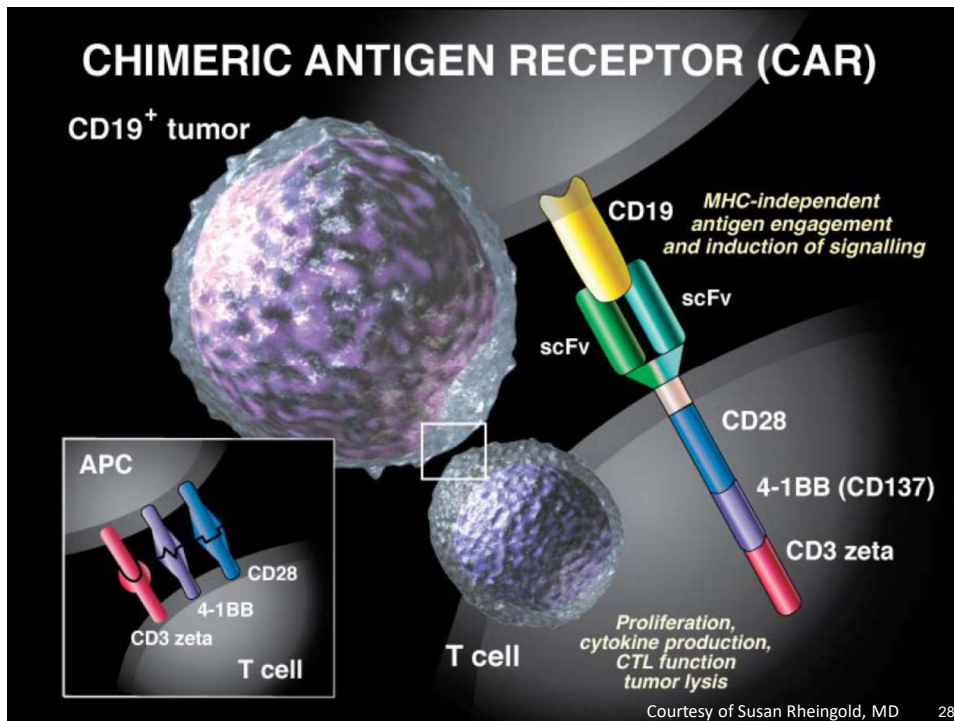
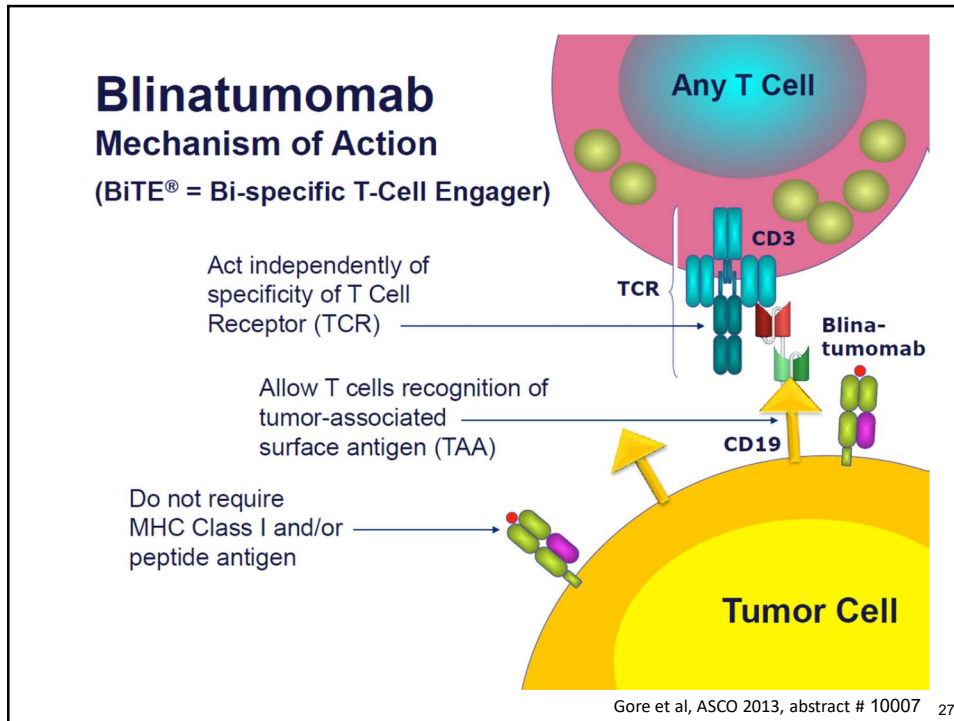
Inotuzumab Ozogamicin (IO)

- CD22 is expressed in >90% of pediatric pre-B ALLs
- Humanized IgG4 anti-CD22 antibody conjugated to calicheamicin, a potent cytotoxic antitumor antibiotic
- Rapid internalization upon binding

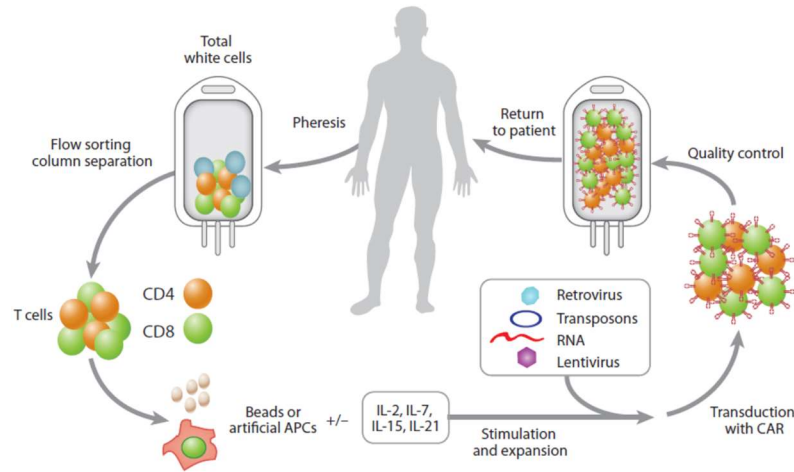


Shah et al. *Pediatr Blood Cancer* 2015; 62: 964-969
Dijoseph JF, et al. *Leukemia* 2007; 21:2240-2245

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Chimeric Antigen Receptor Therapy



Barrett D et al. *Annu. Rev. Med.* 2014;65:333-47

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Introduction of Molecularly or Immunologically Targeted Therapy in B-ALL

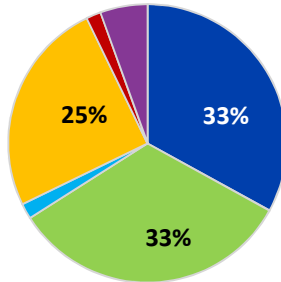
Risk Group	Projected 5-yr DFS	Therapeutic Question
SR-Favorable	>95%	Standard therapy with 2 year duration
HR-Favorable	>94%	
SR-Avg & High	~89%	Blinatumomab
High Risk	~80%	Inotuzumab
Very High Risk	<50%	CAR T-cell therapy
Ph+, Ph-like	60-85%	Molecularly targeted therapy

B-ALL Frontline Trials 2019

VHR: AALL1721
CTL-019 in CR1 - 1.7%

HR: AALL1732
Randomized to inotuzumab

HR-Fav: AALL1732
No randomized intervention - 1.8%



Precision Medicine - 5.5%
AALL1631: Ph+
AALL1131: ABL class
AALL1521: JAK/STAT

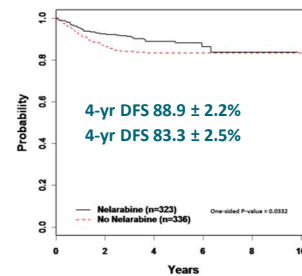
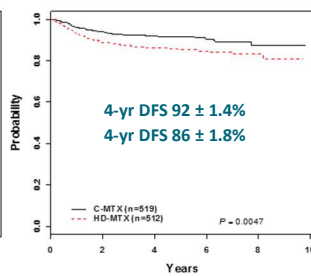
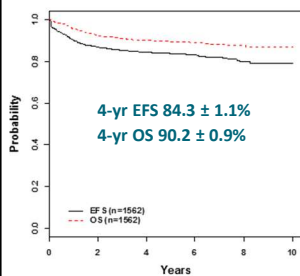
SR-Fav: AALL1731
No randomized intervention

SR-Avg&high: AALL1731
Randomized to blinatumomab

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T-cell ALL Outcomes: COG AALL0434



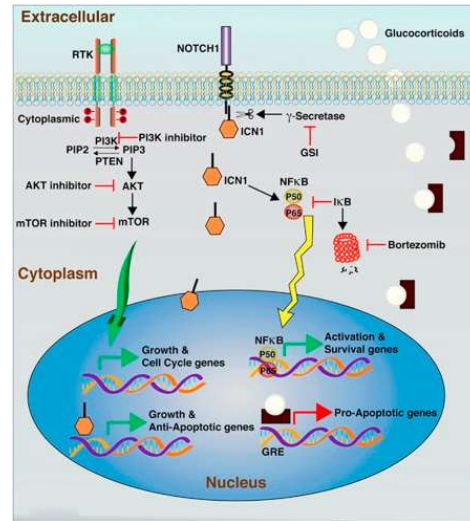
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Winter SS et al. *J Clin Oncol* 2018; 36: 2926-2934 and Dunsmore K et al., ASCO 2018

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Opportunities for Molecularly or Immunologically Targeted Therapy in T-ALL

- Signal transduction pathway inhibitors
 - PI3K/AKT/mTOR
 - JAK/STAT
 - MAPK
- Notch pathway inhibitors (GSIs)
- CDK4/6 inhibitors
- BCL2 family inhibitors
- Epigenetic modulators
- Anti-CD38



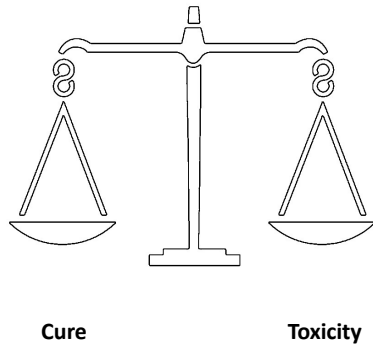
El-Mallawany et al. *Blood Cancer Journal* 2012

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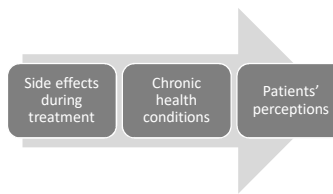
Decreasing Acute and Late Effects and Optimizing Adherence

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Why is it Important Not to Over Treat ALL?



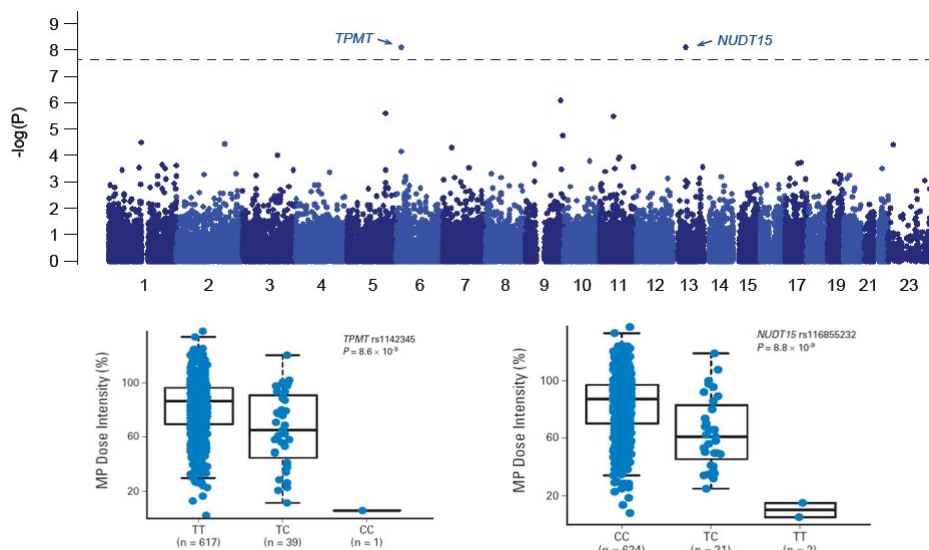
- ~2/3 of childhood ALL survivors have serious chronic health conditions at 30+ years
- Defining quality of survival is essential



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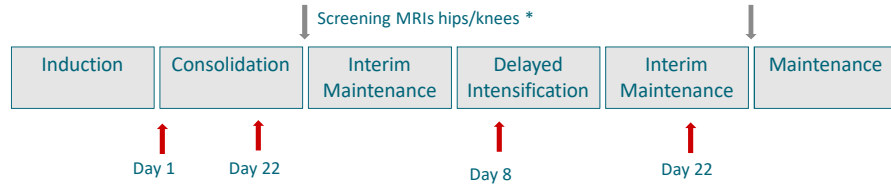
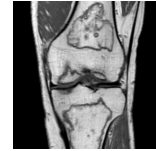
Two Loci Associated with 6MP Tolerance at Genome-wide Significance Level



Yang et al., *J Clin Oncol* 2015, 33:1235

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Natural History of Osteonecrosis

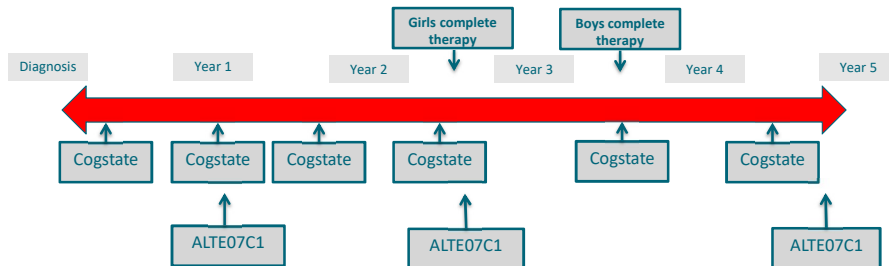


- Biomarkers assays (↑) in subset of 300 patients ≥ 10 years of age at diagnosis to assess the potential role of ASNase and MTX in the development of ON:
- MTX , ASNase and dexamethasone levels, serum albumin (surrogate for ASNase activity) and anti- ASNase antibodies are being measured and will be correlated with the development of ON

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Assessing Neuropsychological Outcomes COG AALL1131 + ALTE07C1

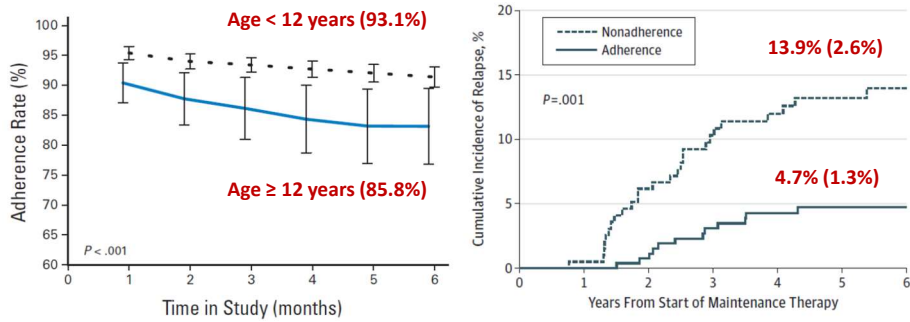


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Low Adherence to Oral 6MP Significantly Increases Relapse Risk



Bhatia et al. *J Clin Oncol* 2012; 30:2094-2102 and *JAMA Oncol*. 2015; 3:287-295

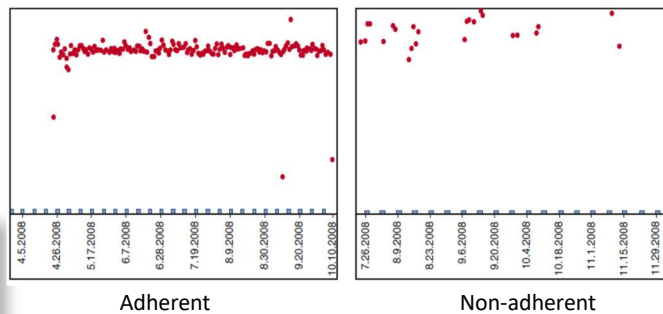
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Assessing Adherence to Oral 6-Mercaptopurine



Special pill bottles with electronic TrackCap to dispense 6MP

Microprocessor chip in cap records date and time of opening of medication bottle

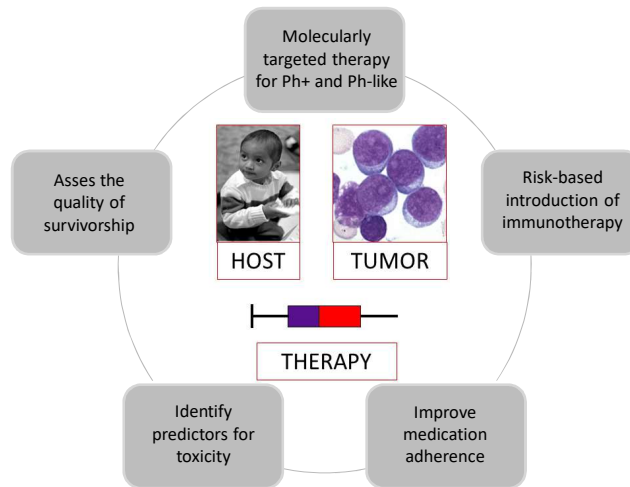


$$\text{Adherence Rate} = \frac{\text{\# of days with MEMS cap openings}}{\text{\# of days 6MP was prescribed}} \times 100$$

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ALL in Adults: Promising Times for Our Patients

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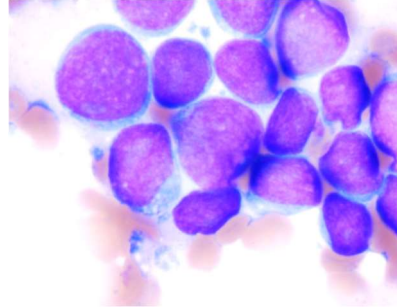
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Objectives

- 1) Highlight treatment challenges and recent progress in treatment of adults with ALL
- 2) Review novel therapies for patients with relapsed ALL, focusing on recently approved agents
- 3) Overview of strategies to introduce new agents into the frontline setting to optimize outcomes

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Intro:

FRAMING THE PROBLEM: SURVIVAL OVER THE PAST DECADES

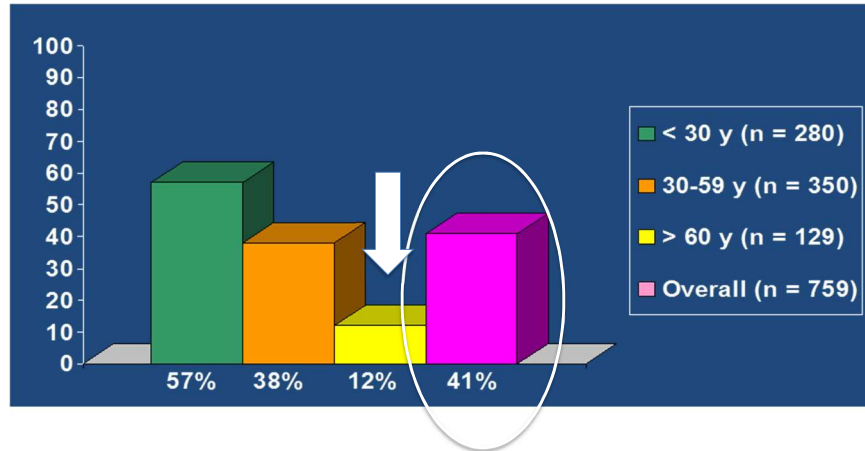
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ALL in Adults: The “Old” State of Affairs (circa 2005)

- Multi-drug regimens “similar” in design to pediatric trials
 - But traditional adult regimens have lower intensity dosing of steroids, vincristine, asparaginase; less CNS prophylaxis compared to pediatric regimens
 - “one size fits all”
- High rates of remission in adults (80-90%)
- Post-remission therapy dictated largely by age/ cytogenetics
 - Limited options for targeted therapy except for Ph+ ALL
 - High risk patients receive allogeneic transplant if donor available
 - Lower relapse rates but....Survival benefit questionable due to transplant related mortality
- Long term survival : 30-40% overall

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Survival of 759 adults with ALL treated on CALGB studies from 1988-2006

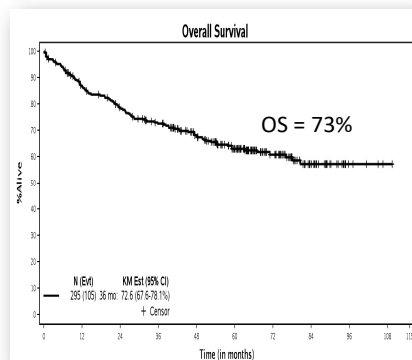


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ALL in Young Adults: Adoption of Pediatric Regimens Has Become the New Standard

CALGB 10403

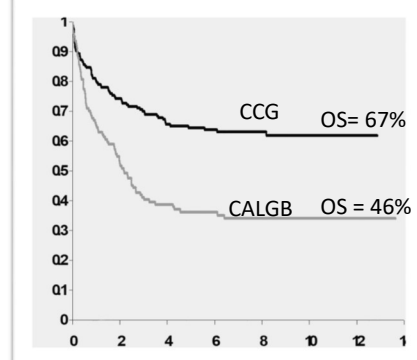
- 2019, Ages 16-39



Blood, 2019: 133, 1548-1559

Historical CALGB vs CCG

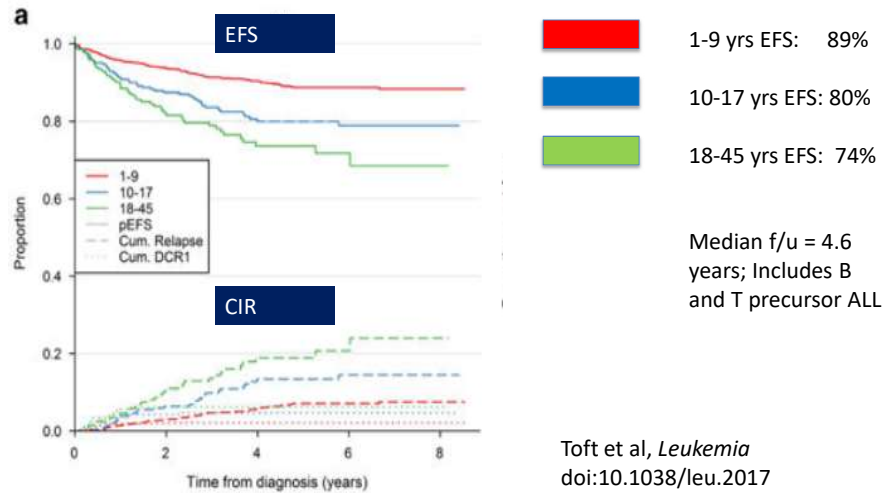
- 2000, Ages 16-21



Blood, 2008: 112, 1646-54

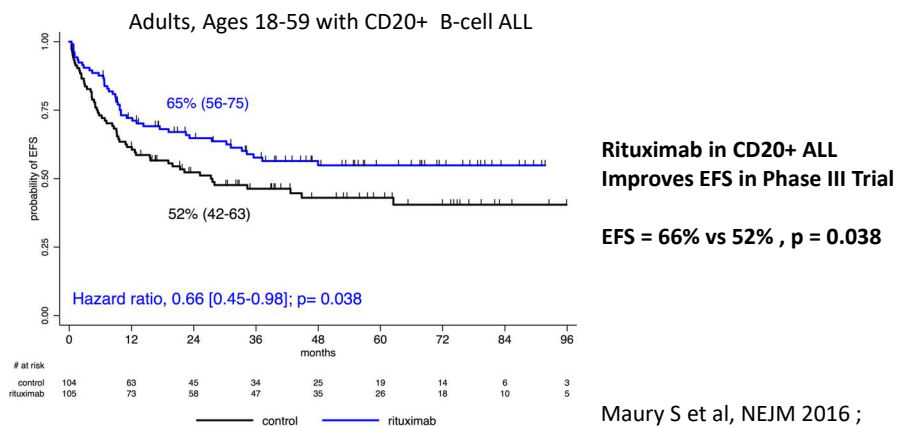
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Risk-adapted approach for patients 1-45 yrs: A single protocol for all in NOPHO ALL2008

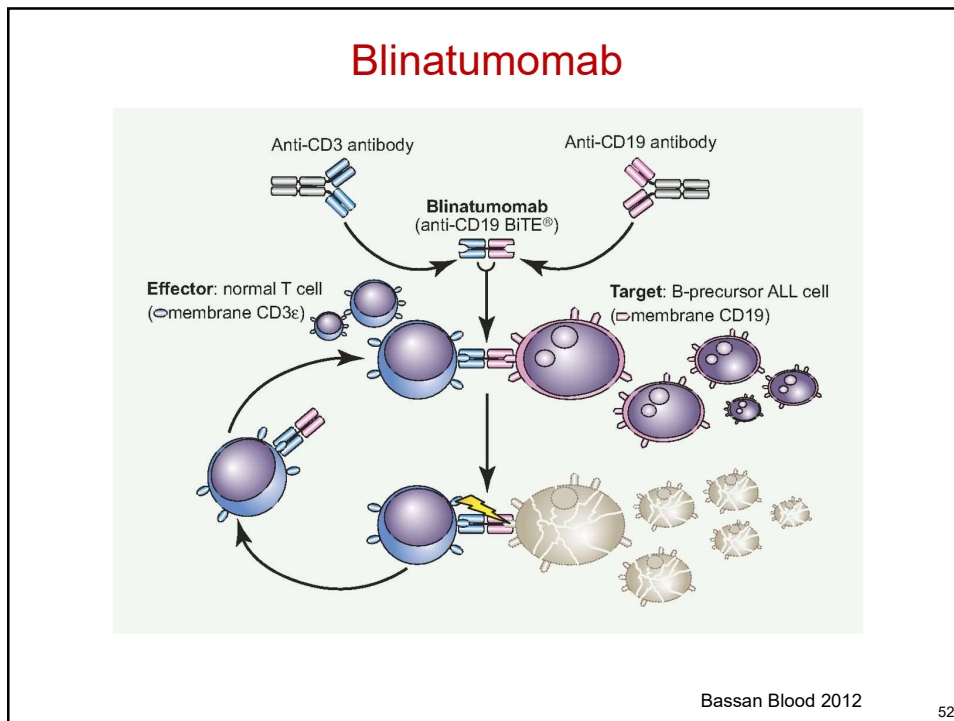
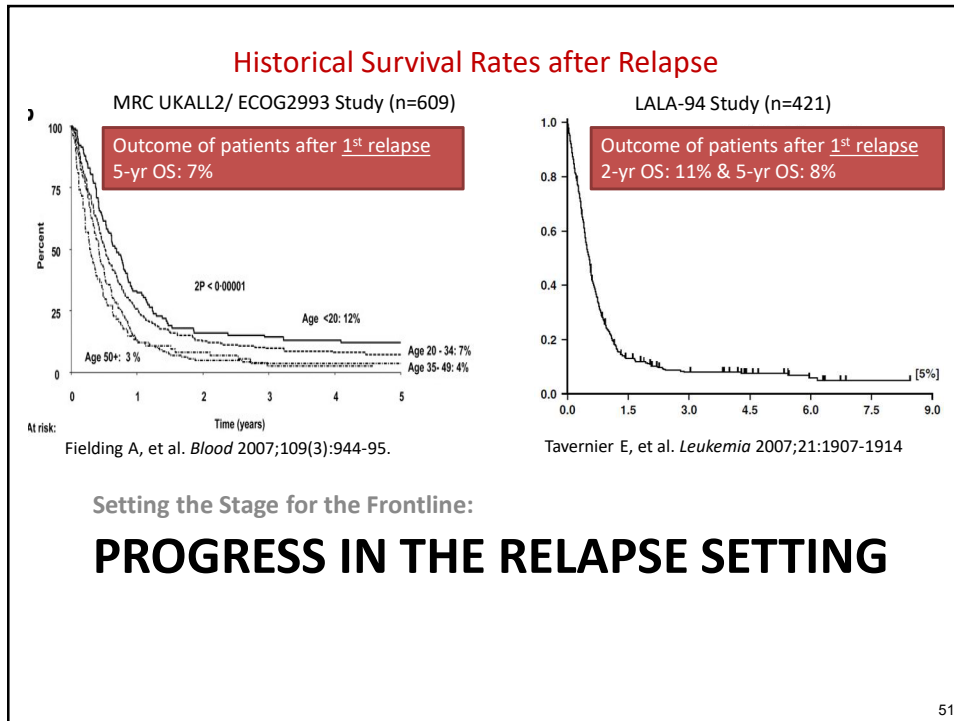


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Progress: Addition of Rituximab Improves Outcomes



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Blinatumomab: Relapsed/Refractory ALL

- 189 pts Rx with blina x 4 wks Q 6 wks

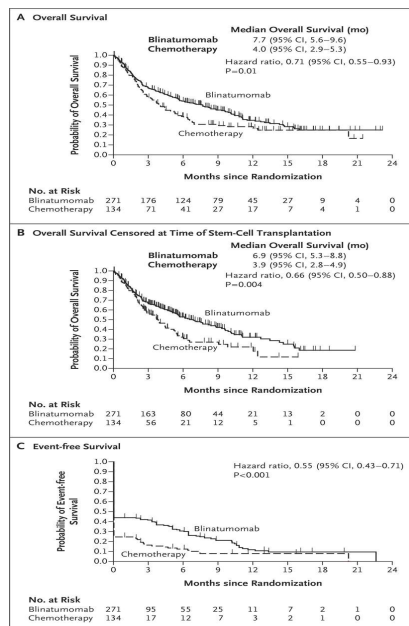
Response	No. (%)
-CR	63(33)
-CRh	18(10)
-CR+CRh	81(43)
-No marrow blasts	17(9)

- Median OS 5.9 mo; Median RFS 6.1 mo
- Toxicities: CNS
- 64/81 (79%) responders achieved CR or CRh in cycle one

Top. Lancet Oncology 2015; 1:57

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Blinatumomab Phase III (Tower): Higher CR, EFS and OS



Randomized 2:1 Phase III Trial of 405 patients; multinational trial

Patients with primary refractory, relapsed disease, including post-transplant relapses

Blina was superior to SOC in primary endpoint of survival:
7.7 mos vs 4.0 months

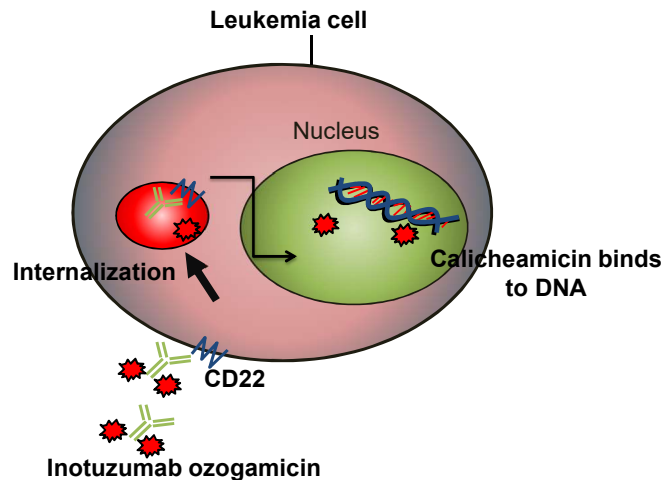
Blina had superior CR rates:
34% vs 16%

Blina had superior EFS:
7.3 mos. vs 4.6 mos.

Kantarjian et al, N Engl J Med. 2017 Mar 2;376(9):836-847

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Inotuzumab Ozogamycin: Antibody Conjugate Targeting CD22 Delivers Calicheamicin Toxin



Leonard, Blood, in press, 2017

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International Phase III: Ino vs Standard of Care

Phase 3 study: 326 patients randomized at 117 sites in 19 countries (INO-VATE ALL; NCT01564784)

• Relapsed/refractory CD22+ ALL

• Due for salvage 1 or 2 therapy

• Ph- or Ph+

1:1 Randomization (N=326)

Stratifications:

- Duration of 1st remission ≥ 12 vs < 12 mo
- Salvage 2 vs 1
- Aged ≥ 55 y vs < 55 y

Inotuzumab ozogamycin (InO)

- Starting dose 1.8 mg/m²/cycle
- 0.8 mg/m² on day 1;
- 0.5 mg/m² on days 8 and 15 of a 21–28 day cycle (≤ 6 cycles)

Standard of Care (SOC)

- FLAG or
- Ara-C plus mitoxantrone or
- HIDAC
- ≤ 4 cycles

- InO dose was reduced to 1.5 mg/m²/cycle once the patient achieved CR/CRi

Ara-C=cytarabine; FLAG=fludarabine/ara-C/granulocyte colony-stimulating factor; HIDAC=high-dose ara-C; Ph=Philadelphia chromosome

Kantarjian HM et al. N Engl J Med 2016;375:740-753

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Inotuzumab superior to standard of care

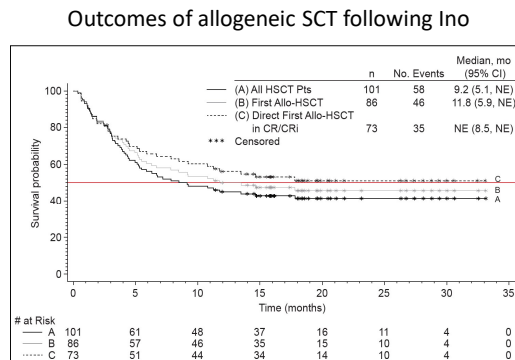
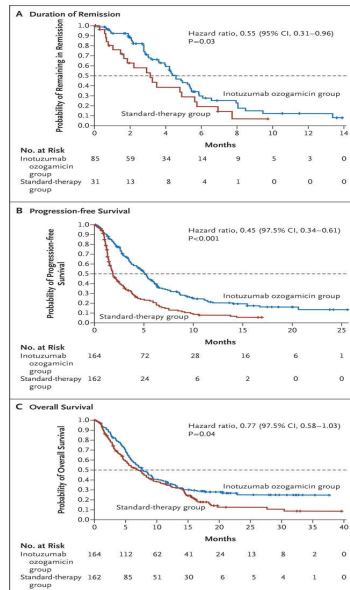
	InO	SOC	1-Sided P Value
N ^a	109	96	
CR/CrI, % (95% CI)	80.7 (72–88)	33.3 (24–44)	<0.0001
CR	35.8 (27–46)	19.8 (12–29)	0.0056
CrI	45.0 (35–55)	13.5 (7–22)	<0.0001
MRD-negativity among responders, n (%) [95% CI]			
CR/CrI	69/88 (78.4) [68–87]	9/32 (28.1) [14–47]	<0.0001
CR	35/39 (89.7) [76–97]	6/19 (31.6) [13–57]	<0.0001
CrI	34/49 (69.4) [55–82]	3/13 (23.1) [5–54]	0.0034

- In both arms, most patients achieved CR/CrI in Cycle 1 (InO, 73%; SOC, 91%)

Kantarjian HM et al. N Engl J Med 2016;375:740-753

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Duration of Remission, Progression-Free and Overall Survival : Favors Inotuzumab



Kantarjian HM et al. N Engl J Med 2016;375:740-753
Kebriaei, Marks, BBMT 2019

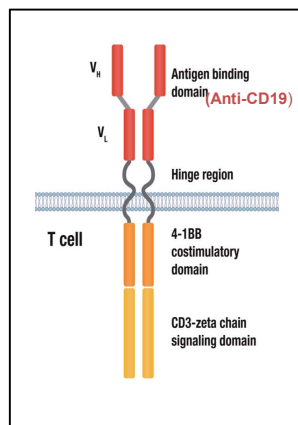
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In Relapse, How do we choose?

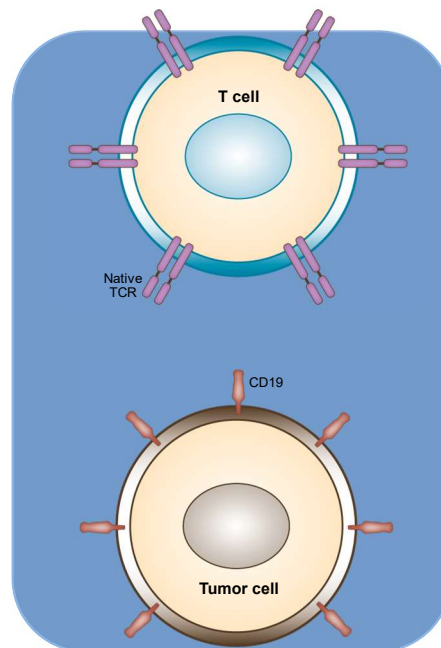
	Blinatumomab	Inotuzumab
Unique treatment related toxicities	<p>Neurologic toxicity: 6% blinatumomab vs none in control group</p> <p>CRS: 5% of blinatumomab vs none in control group</p>	<p>Veno-occlusive disease: 11% inotuzumab vs 1% control (SOC)</p>
Disease status	Lower disease burden, T cell function?	High or Low disease burden
Treatment options	CAR-T? Loss of CD19 with Bina?	CAR-T? CD22 (early studies ongoing)
Administration	Continuous IV infusion X 4 weeks	Short IV infusion weekly X 3
Cost (drug cost only at UChicago)	\$88,984/cycle	\$89,760/cycle

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Anti-CD19 Directed CAR T cells

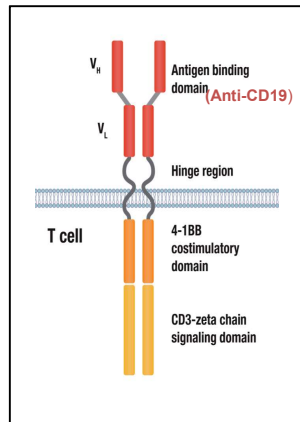


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- Capable of in vivo proliferation and persistence

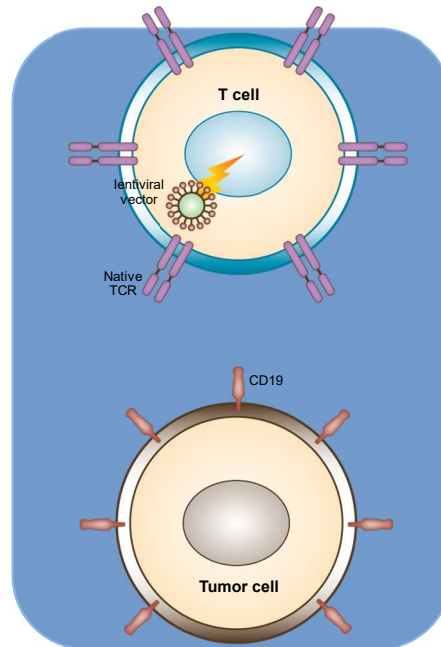


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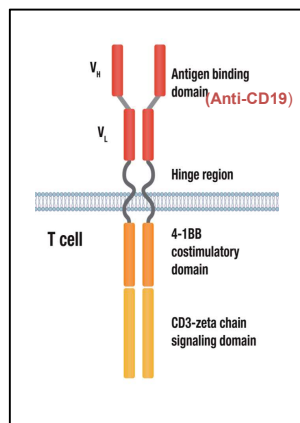


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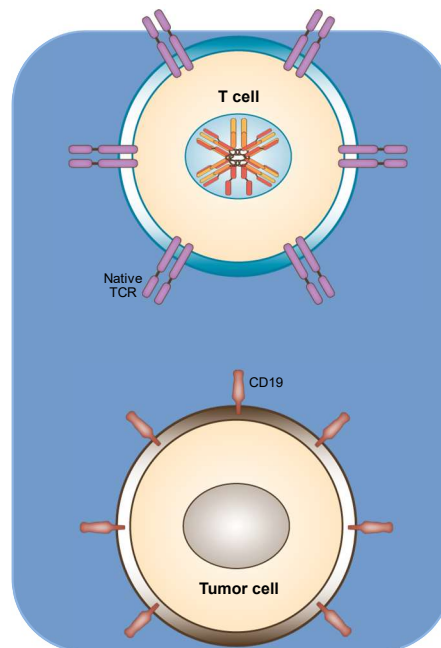


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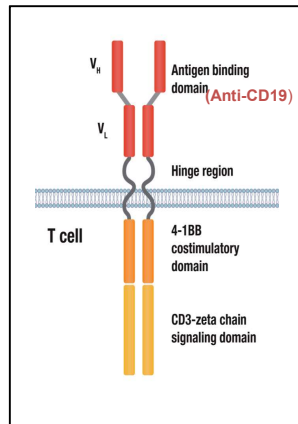


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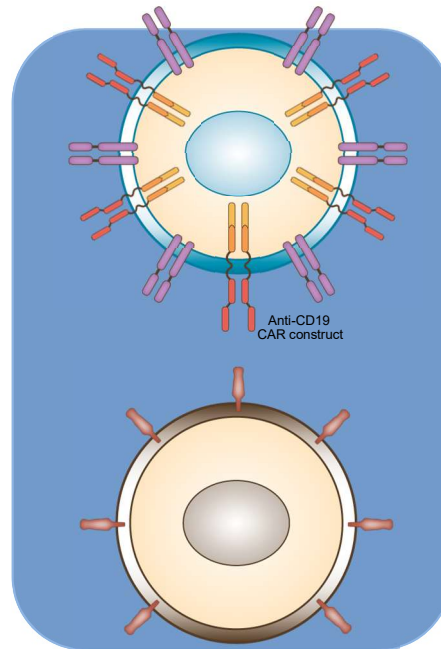


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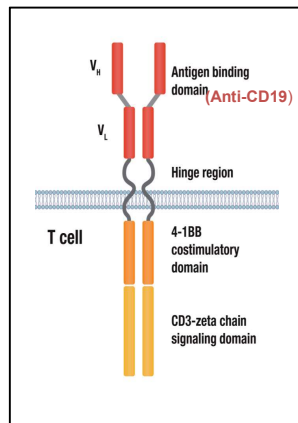


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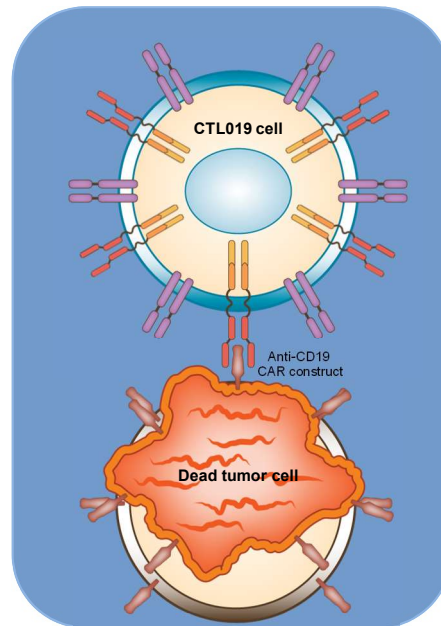


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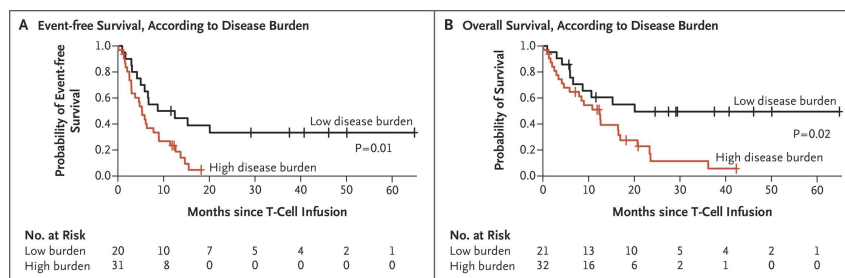
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CD-19 CAR-T cells: High Response Rates, Durability of Response Varies

Ref	T cell Engager	Population	Response	CRS
Maude et al. NEJM 2014	Anti-CD19 CART 4-1BB	N=30 Peds&Adults	CR=90%	100% CRS 27% Severe
Davila et al. SciTrMed 2014	Anti-CD19 CART CD28	N=44 Adults	CR=82%	43% Severe
Lee et al. Lancet 2015	Anti-CD19 CART CD28	N=21 Peds&AYA	CR=67%	76% CRS 28% Severe
Turtle et al. JCI 2016	Anti-CD19 CART 4-1BB	N=30 Adults	CR=93%	83% CRS
Shah et al, ASH, 2017, Abstract 888	Anti-CD19	N=22 Adults	CR/CRI=82%	25% ≥ Grade 3 65% neurotox ≥ Grade 3

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Long-term Follow-up MSKCC CAR-T based on Disease Burden at Time of Treatment



Durable responses with low disease burden: <5% blasts

Park et al, NEJM, Feb 1, 2018

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Considerations for CAR-T in the Frontline

- Can very significant toxicities resulting from T-cell activation that occur in majority of patients (CRS, neurologic) be minimized?
 - Likely to be less frequent in setting of MRD
- Sequencing of CAR-T cells: May need to administered as final “consolidative therapy”
 - Concerns about CAR-T loss/depletion if additional immunosuppressive chemotherapy is used
- Durability of CAR-T cells? Resistance mechanisms
- Cost! - estimated at \$475,000 for a single administration

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Blintumomab Inotuzumab



Incorporate into B-cell ALL

Nelarabine



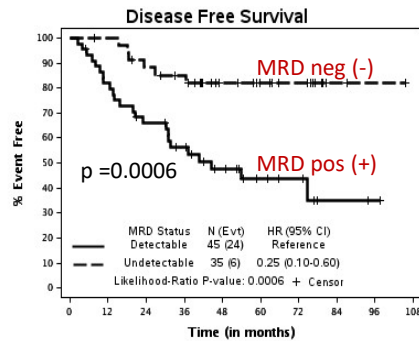
Incorporate into T-cell ALL

Strategies for Improving Outcomes in Adults:

**MOVING NEW AGENTS INTO
FRONTLINE THERAPY**

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Strategy: Incorporate new antibodies into multi-agent platform to eradicate MRD: Will it help?



C 10403

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Testing Blinatumomab in Frontline: 2 studies in the US Intergroup

C1910: Phase III randomized trial testing addition of Blinatumomab to Frontline Therapy for adult ALL ages 30-65:

Will blinatumomab eradicate MRD and improve DFS with/without alloSCT in CR1?

- S1318: A Phase II Study of Blinatumomab and POMP for Patients ≥ 65 Years of Age with Newly Diagnosed Ph- ALL and of Dasatinib (NSC-732517), Prednisone and Blinatumomab for Patients ≥ 65 Years of Age with Newly Diagnosed Ph+ ALL

Can blinatumomab (chemotherapy-free induction) induce high remission rates with low toxicity and improve EFS in older adults?

- Presented at ASH 2018 with exciting preliminary results
- Suggests BiTE induction and low dose chemotherapy “maintenance” may be effective approach

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Inotuzumab in the “Frontline”

- Older adults – MDACC
 - Ino + “mini-hyperCVD” in 48 patients
 - Median age = 68
 - CR rate = 84%
 - With median f/u of 24%, estimated 3 year OS = 54%
 - » Sasaki et al, ASH 2016, Abstract 588
- US intergroup A041501 for AYA (ages 18-39)
 - Frontline phase III trial with/without Ino consolidation
 - Uses C10403 backbone; AYA regimen
 - Goal: Improved 3 year EFS from 55% to 75%

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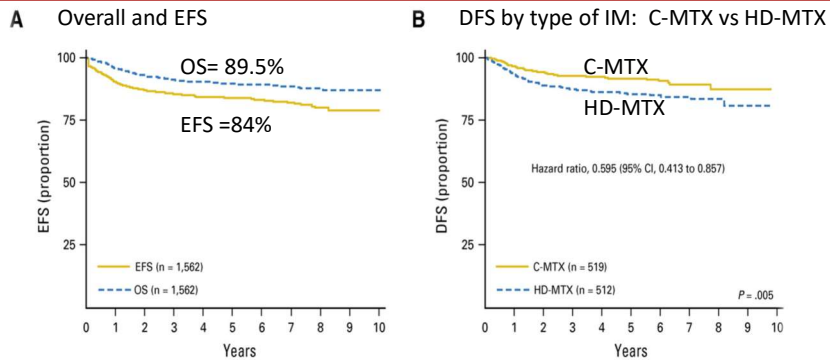
Can We Add Inotuzumab and Improve EFS to 80%? US Intergroup study for AYA: A041501

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DNR <i>Inotuzumab</i>		Cyclo	MTX	DOX	DEX
VCR		VCR	VCR	Cyclo	VCR
Dex		Dex	Peg-ASP	Dex	6MP
Peg-Asp		Peg-Asp	IT-MTX	Peg-Asp	MTX
IT-MTX		Ara-C		Ara-C	IT-MTX
IT-AraC		6MP		6-TG	
		IT-MTX		IT-MTX	

CD20+ Patients will Receive Rituximab with I, C, IM, DI
Maintenance therapy continues for 2 (F) – 3 (M) years

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T-ALL: Capizzi Methotrexate + Nelarabine Improves Survival in COG AALL0434



- Nelarabine incorporated into ABFM; six 5-day courses
- 4yr DFS was 88.9% with nelarabine vs 83% DFS without nelarabine

Winter SS et al, *J Clin Oncol* 2018; 36, 2926
Dunsmore et al, *Proc ASCO*, 2018

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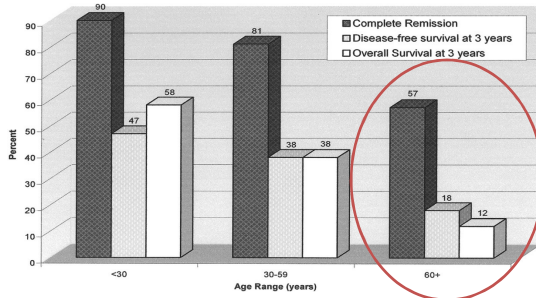
Moving Forward with T-ALL

- Based on COG data, can/should we be incorporating nelarabine into frontline therapy for all AYAs?
 - Dose/schedule – should “adult” schedule be used?
- Other considerations: targeting survival pathways: Venetoclax/Navitoclax
 - Ongoing phase I has promising results in heavily pretreated patients (B and T with overall response rate of 50%)
- Immune targeting: CD 5 CAR-T trial initiated; others coming (gene edited CD7 CAR-T)
 - Daratumomab: Anti-CD38 Nice preclinical data in PDX precursor T and ETP ALL

Bride et al. *Blood* 2018;131:995-999
Hantel et al, *SOHO abstract*, 2018

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Older Adults with ALL: Historical Data: 10-20% 3 yr Survival



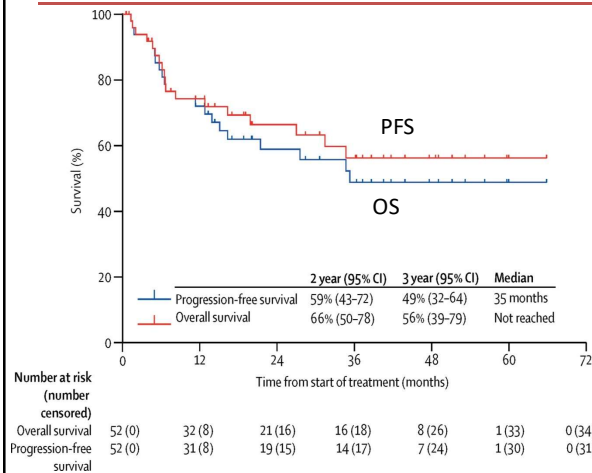
Survival: 759 adults treated on CALGB regimens from 1988-2008
Courtesy, Ben Sanford, Richard Larson

HYPER-CVAD in older adults treated at MDACC: 122 adults \geq 60 years
CR rate of 84%, induction mortality 10%
Death in CR = 34%
Median Survival of 15 months
3 year OS = 20%

O'Brien S et al, Cancer 2008; 113: 2097-101

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Ino with low-intensity chemo for age \geq 60



N= 52
Median age = 68
CR rate = 85%;
Overall response = 98%

MRD negative (assessed by flow):
--76% at time of "CR"
-- 96% overall

Toxicities: prolonged thrombocytopenia, abnormal LFTs, VOD in 6 pts (1 fatal)

PFS at 3 years: 49% (32-64)
OS at 3 yrs: 56% (39-79)

Kantarjian, Lancet Onc, 2018

Ino + mini-CVD (no anthracycline) : Ino given day 3 of first four cycles

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Now enrolling: A041701, A regimen
without traditional chemotherapy for
Adults > 60 years

INOTUZUMAB Ozogamycin induction



BLINATUMOMAB consolidation

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Summary/Conclusions

- Survival Rates for both younger and older adults with ALL are improving
- Incorporation of new agents into frontline treatment is an exciting new approach
- Clinical trial participation is crucial for ongoing progress
- Thanks to all of you, patients, family and friends, for your courage, strength and grace!

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- **Ask a question by phone:**
 - Press star (*) then the number 1 on your keypad.
- **Ask a question by web:**
 - Click “Ask a question”
 - Type your question
 - Click “Submit”

Due to time constraints, we can only take one question per person. Once you have asked your question, the operator will transfer you back into the audience line.

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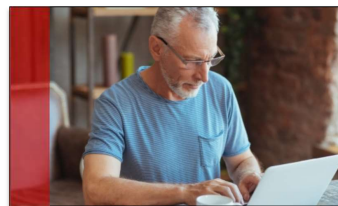


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