Diffuse Large B-cell Lymphoma: Treatment and Support

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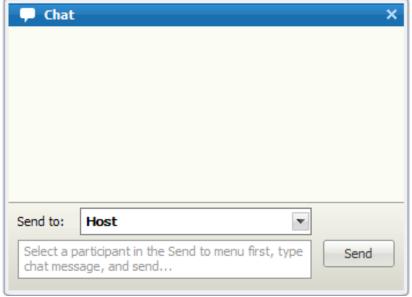


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Learning Objectives

After attending this webinar, participants will be able to:

- 1. Summarize diagnosis criteria for diffuse large B cell lymphoma (DLBCL).
- 2. Identify current and emerging therapies for **DLBCL**.
- 3. Explain the health care professional's role in monitoring for and managing short and long-term psychosocial effects of treatment for DLBCL.
- 4. Review the psychosocial impact of the treatment sequelae for patients.
- 5. Describe resources for support and education for patients.





DIFFUSE LARGE B-CELL LYMPHOMA: TREATMENT AND SUPPORT

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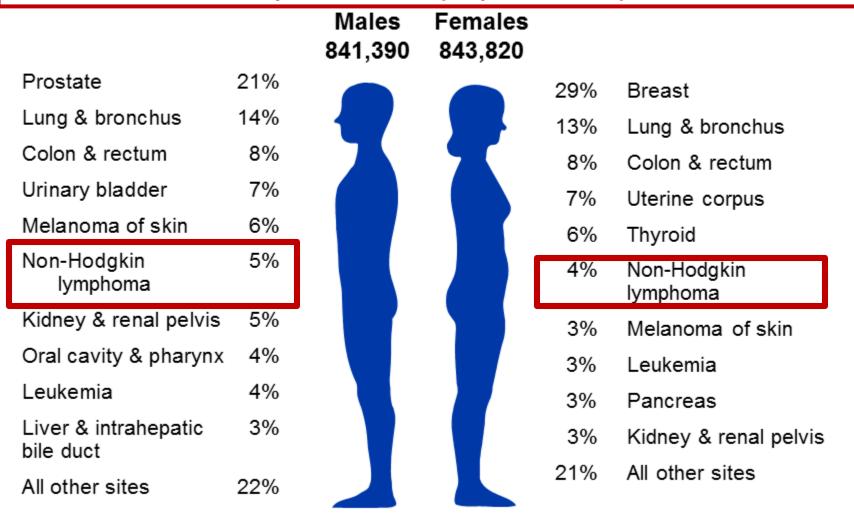






Estimated New Cancer Cases* in the US in 2016

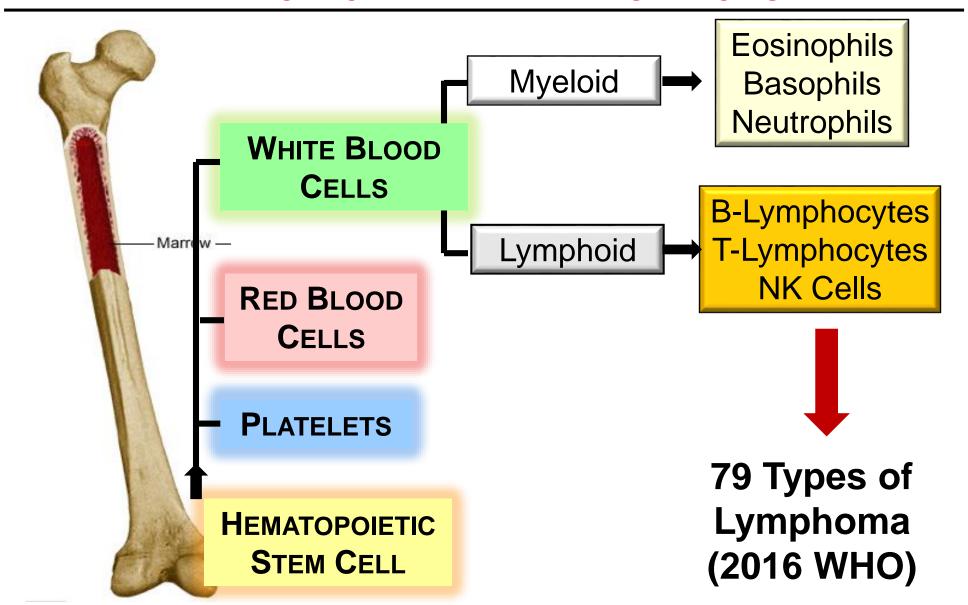
Prostate = 176K / Breast = 244K / Lung = 226K / Colon = 134K / Uter/Blad = 109K Nearly 900,000 cases per year of the Top 5



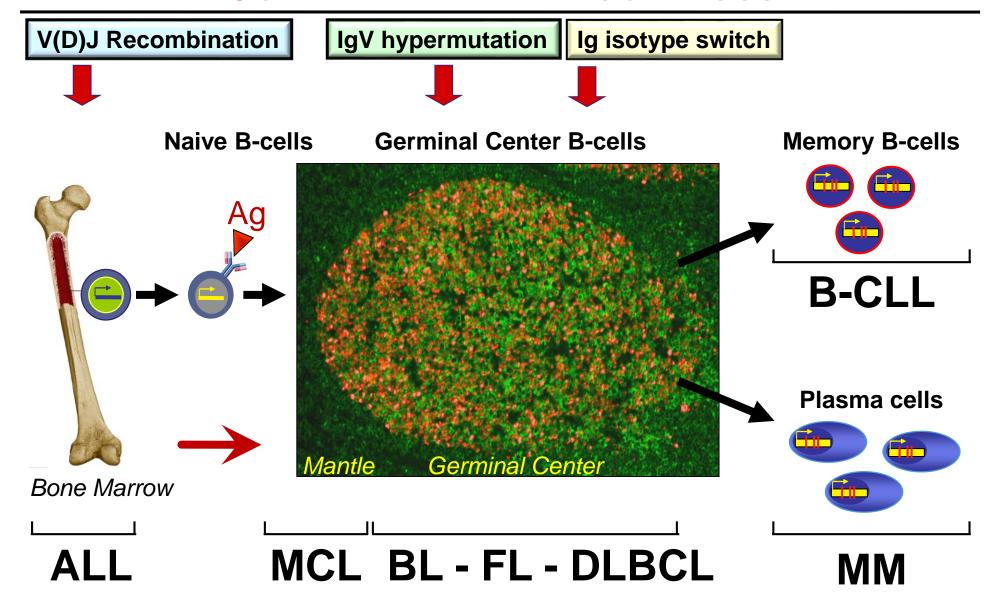
~78,000 cases NHL / year in US

^{*}Excludes basal cell and squamous cell skin cancers and in situ carcinoma except urinary bladder.

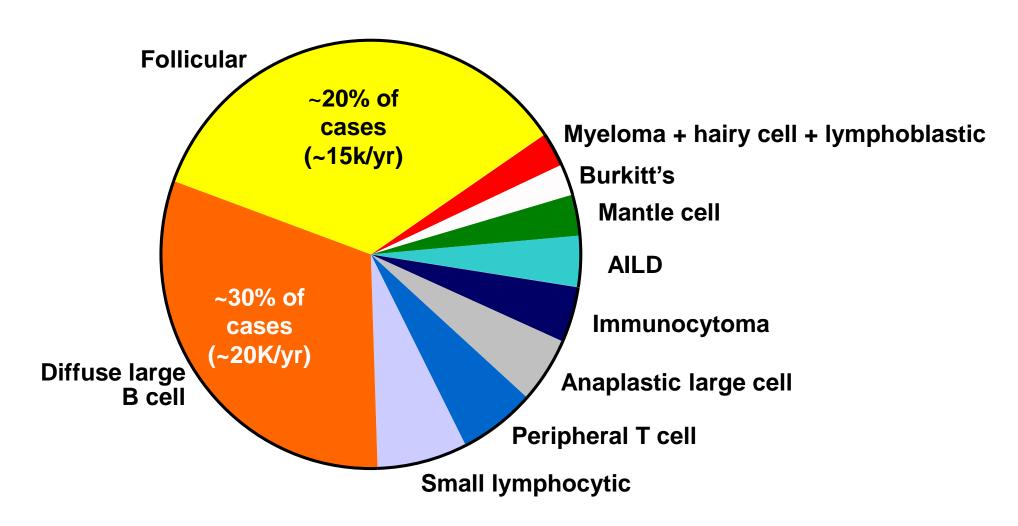
DEFINING THE SPECTRUM OF ORIGINS OF THE LYMPHOPROLIFERATIVE MALIGNANCIES



THE DEVELOPMENT OF LYMPHOID NEOPLASM'S IS COMPLEX AND HETEROGENEOUS



FREQUENCY OF T- AND B- CELL NEOPLASMS IN LYMPH NODE BIOPSIES



ORGANIZING 79 TYPES OF LYMPHOMA

Aggressive Diseases

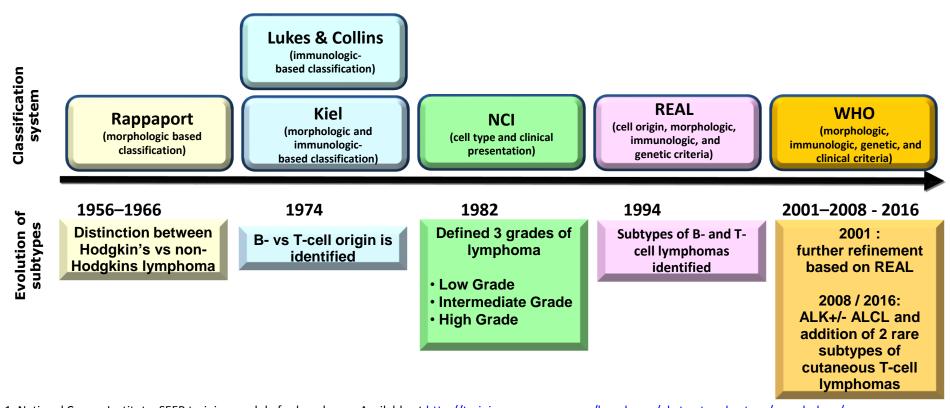
Pros Cons Potentially curable Requires some form of chemotherapy Relapsed disease Side effects of can potentially be chemotherapy cured Fast growing can Responds quick to treatment produce symptoms quickly 4 to 6 months of Relapse can be treatment if cured hard to manage

Indolent Diseases

Pros	Cons
Very slow growing	Not curable – rare exceptions
Watching could be option	May require some form of lifelong therapy
Treatments less and less rely on chemotherapy	Can transform to aggressive disease
Can be relatively asymptomatic even with disease	Treatment side effects

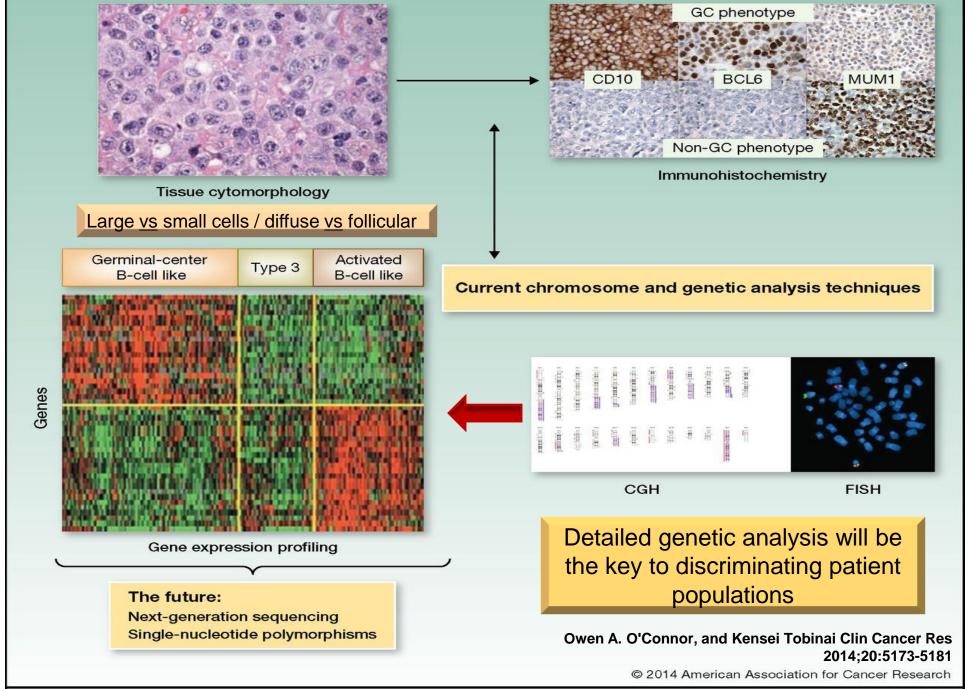
HISTORY OF NHL CLASSIFICATION

- NHL classification schemes have evolved based on growing understanding of cancer cell characteristics¹
- Subclassifications are driving more specific clinical trials and therapeutic approaches²

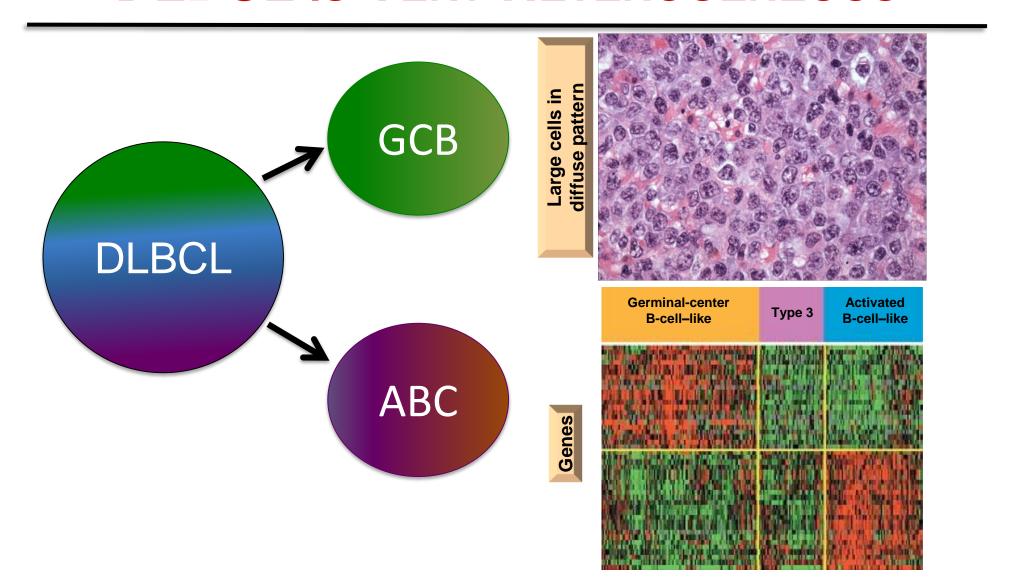


^{1.} National Cancer Institute. SEER training module for lymphoma. Available at http://training.seer.cancer.gov/lymphoma/abstract-code-stage/morphology/.

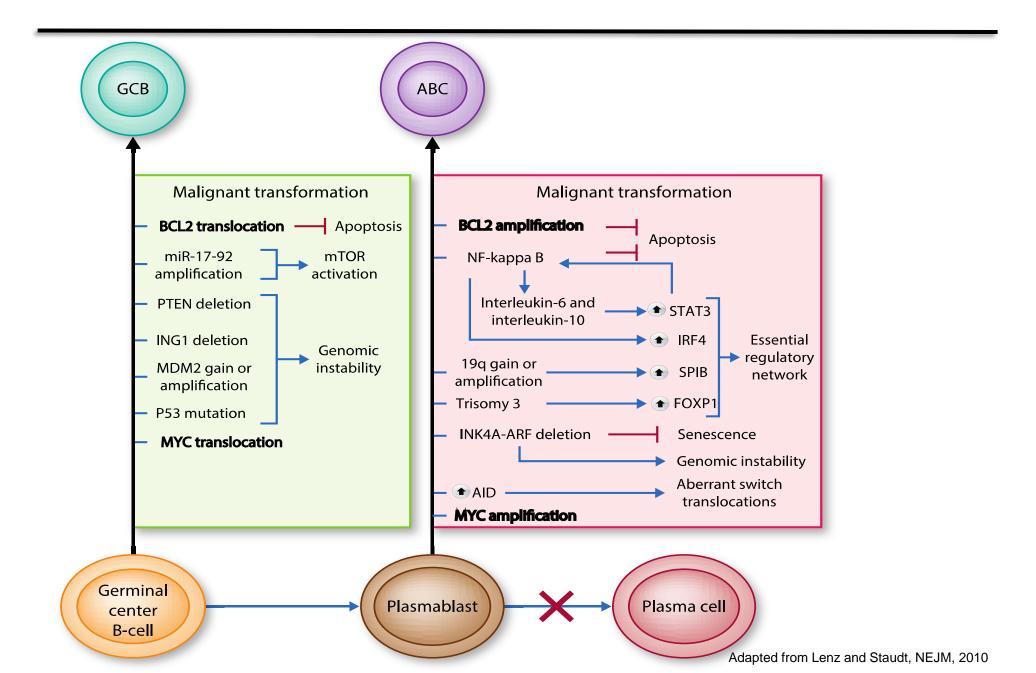
^{2.} Armitage J, et al. J Clin Oncol. 2008;26:4124–4130.



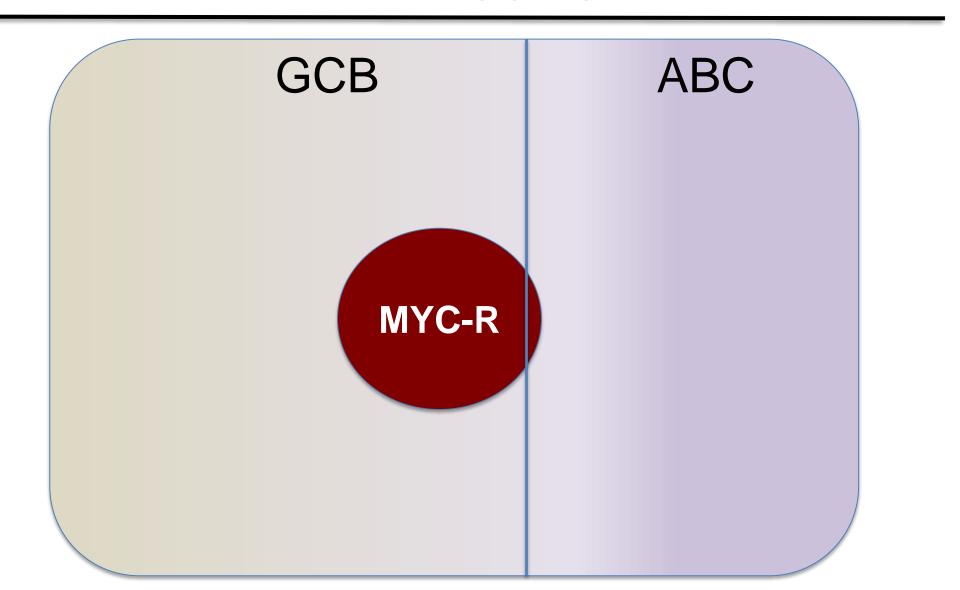
AT A MOLECULAR LEVEL, DLBCL IS VERY HETEROGENEOUS



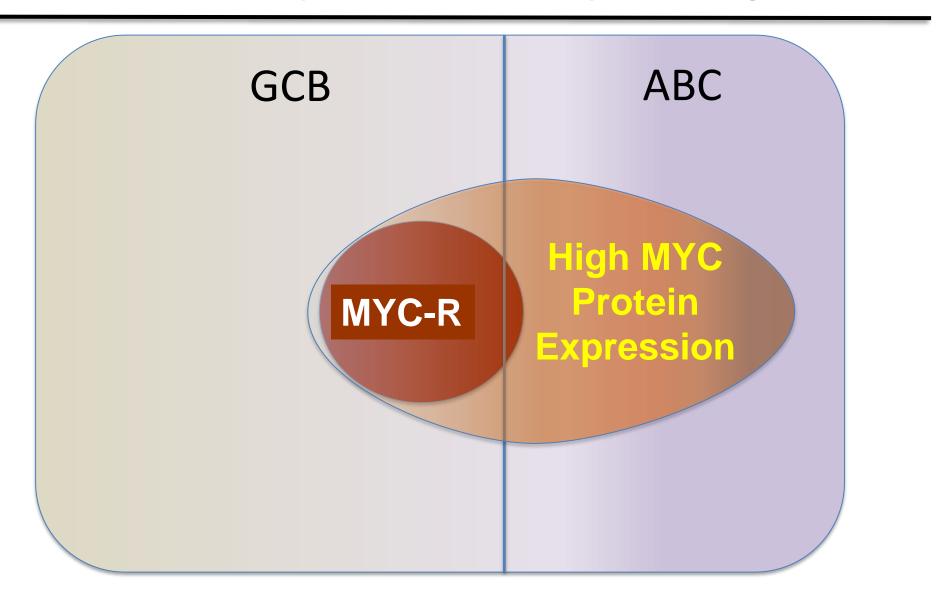
DISTINCT MOLECULAR DERANGEMENTS CLUSTER BY COO



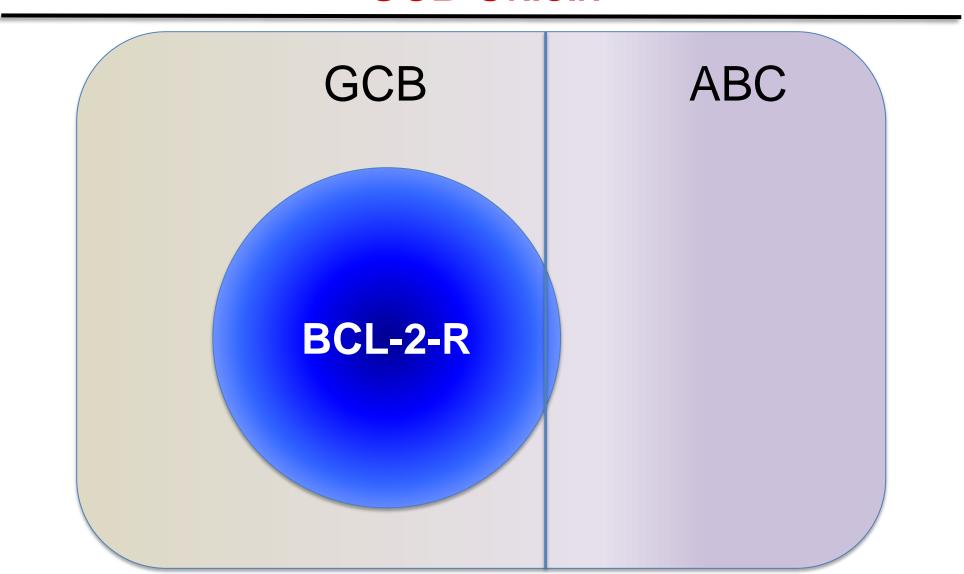
ESSENTIALLY ALL MYC - REARRANGEMENTS RESIDE IN THE GCB SUBTYPE



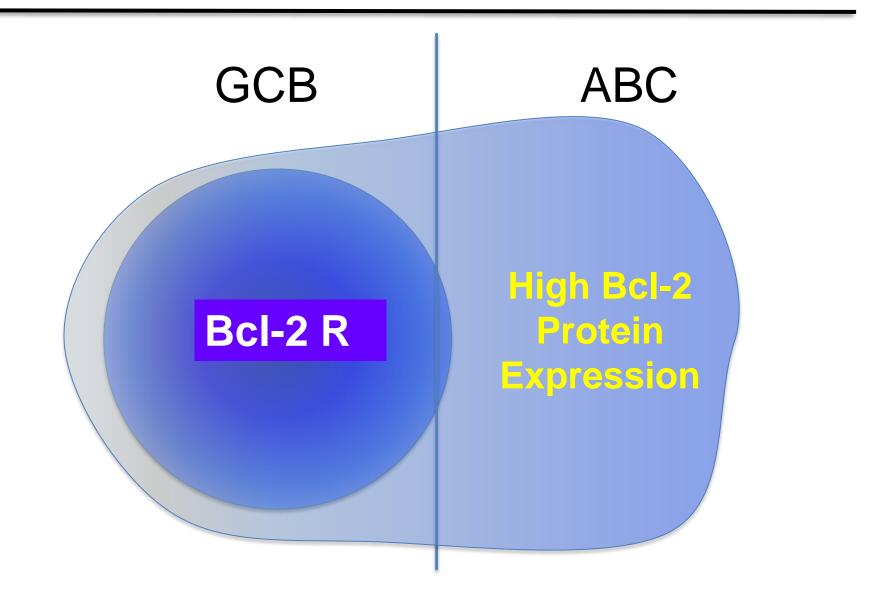
....WHILE MYC HIGH EXPRESSORS WITHOUT REARRANGEMENT TEND TO BE ABC



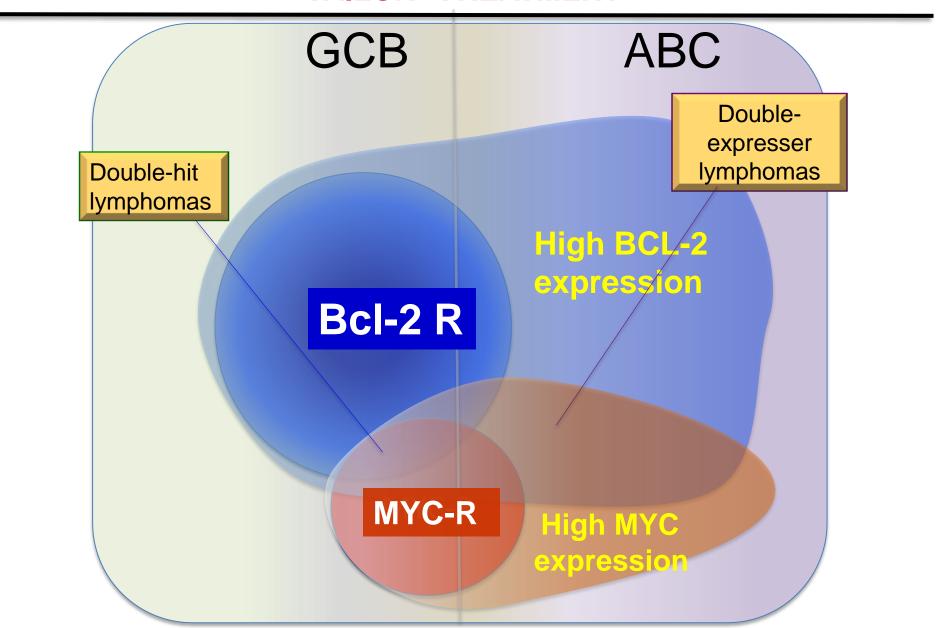
ALMOST ALL BCL-2 REARRANGEMENTS ARE OF GCB ORIGIN



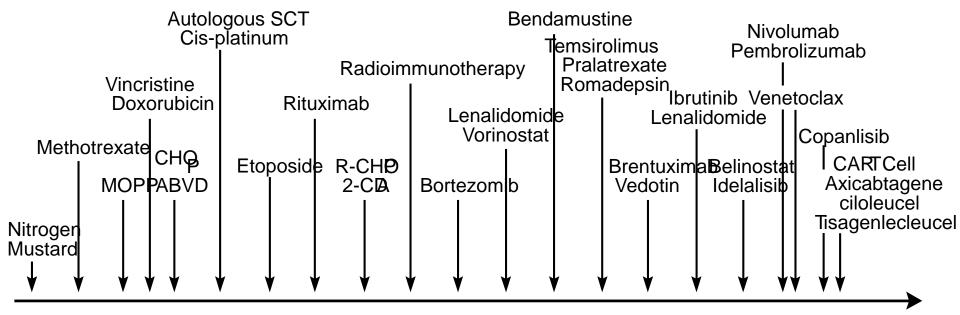
.....WHILE BCL-2 HIGH EXPRESSORS CLUSTER IN ABC



How Does One Risk Stratify These Patients and 'Tailor' Treatment



NEARLY 70 YEARS OF LYMPHOMA TREATMENT



1949 1953 1963 1975 1978 1983 1997 1999 2002 2003 2005 2007 2009 2011 2013 2014 2016 2017

Era of Chemotherapy Era of Targeted Therapy Therapies

Trends in Five-year Relative Cancer Survival Rates (%), 1975-2011

Site	1975-1977	1987-1989	2005-2011
All sites	49	55	69
Breast (female)	75	84	91
Colorectum	50	60	66
Leukemia	34	43	62
Lung & bronchus	12	13	18
Melanoma of the skin	82	88	93
Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	47	51	72
Ovary	36	38	46
Pancreas	3	4	8
Prostate	68	83	99
Urinary bladder	72	79	79

A Misleading Statistic... Essentially all of the improvement in NHL is in B-cell lymphoma

5-year relative survival rates based on patients diagnosed in the SEER 9 areas from 1975-1977, 1987-1989, and 2005-2011, all followed through 2012.

1993 – 50% CHEMOTHERAPY ERA

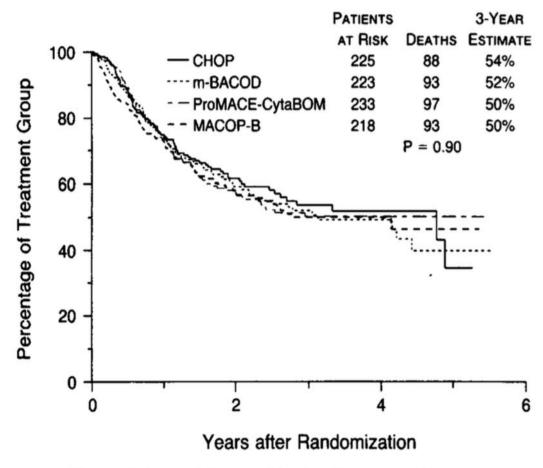


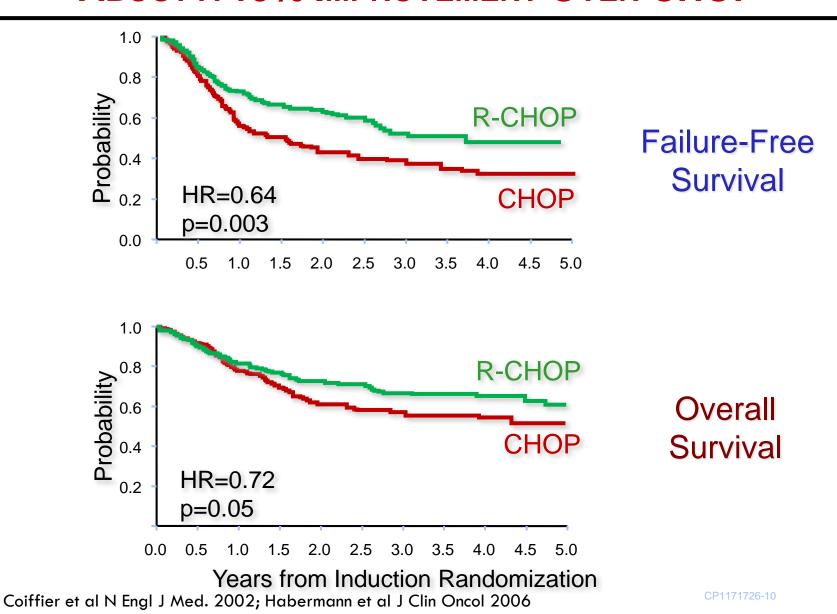
Figure 2. Overall Survival in the Treatment Groups.

The three-year estimate is of overall survival.

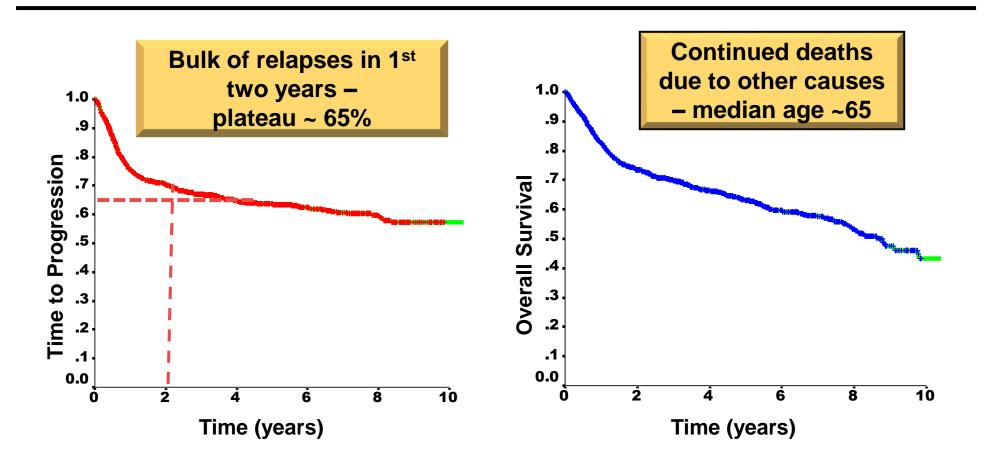
50% Overall Survival

More intense regimens more toxic and no more effective

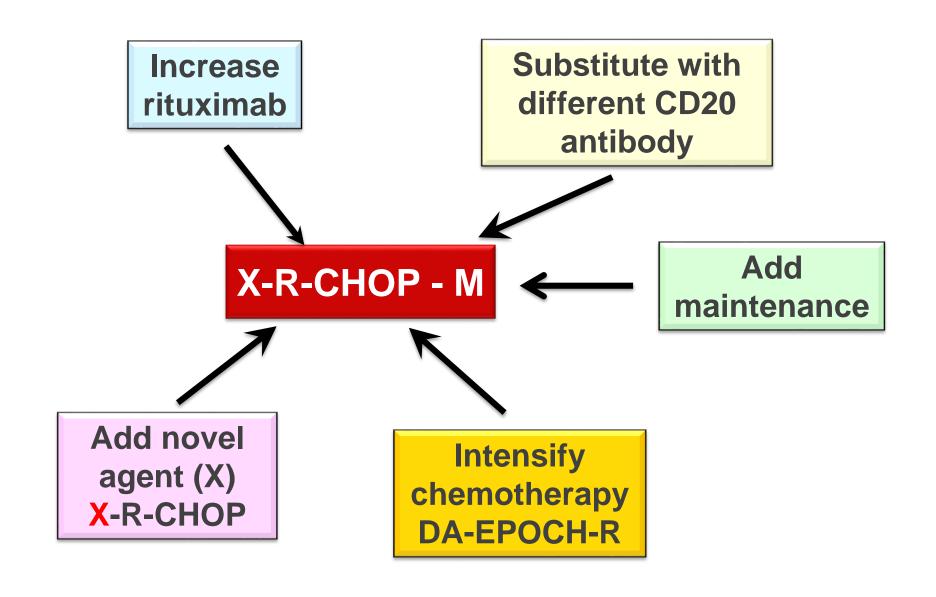
2002 – 2006 THE RITUXIMAB ERA ABOUT A 15% IMPROVEMENT OVER CHOP



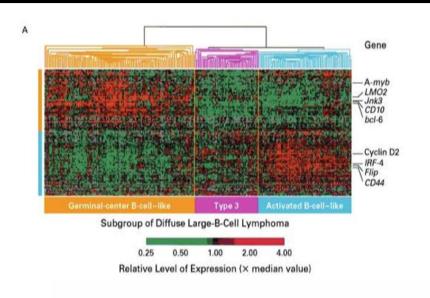
TIME-TO-PROGRESSION AND OVERALL SURVIVAL OF PATIENTS WITH DLBCL FOLLOWING R-CHOP AT BCCA (N=1476)



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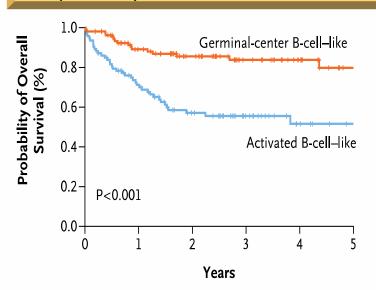


...AND / OR, DEFINE THE PATIENT POPULATION BETTER

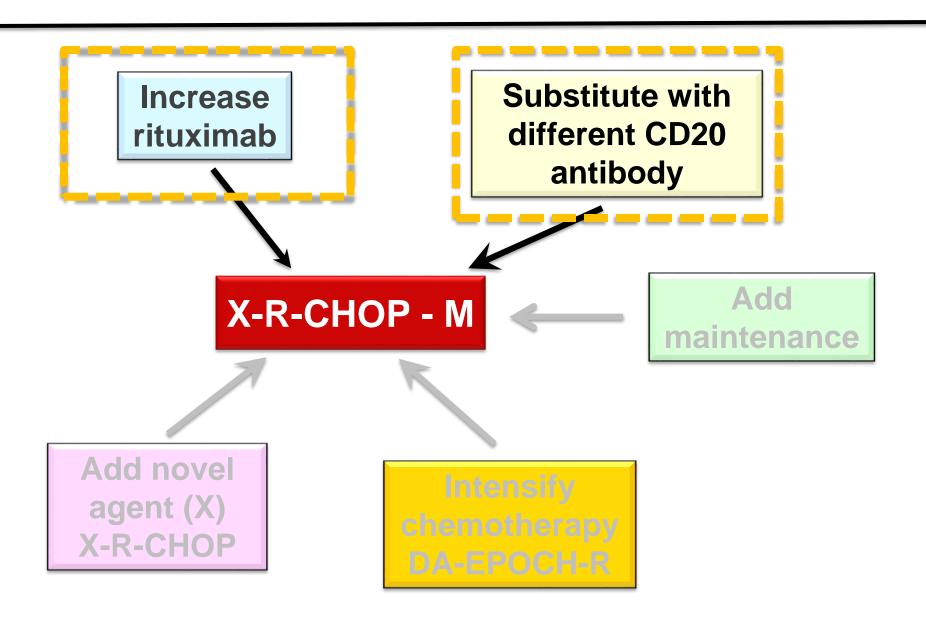


| 1.0 | Germinal-center B-cell-like | O.8 | O.6 | O.4 | Activated B-cell-like | O.2 | P<0.001 | O.0 | O.1 | O.2 | O.3 | O.4 | O.5 |

- Two major molecular subtypes:
- Activated B-cell like (ABC)
 - B-cell receptor driven
- Germinal center B-cell like (GCB)



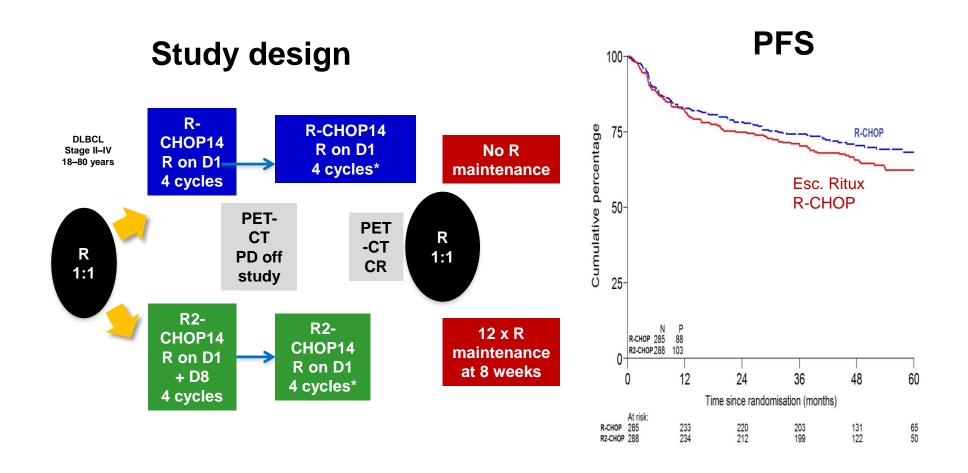
STRATEGIES TO IMPROVE R-CHOP





INTENSIFIED RITUXIMAB IN HOVON STUDY





OR TRY A DIFFERENT (? BETTER ?) ANTI-CD20: RITUXIMAB VS OBINOTUZUMAB

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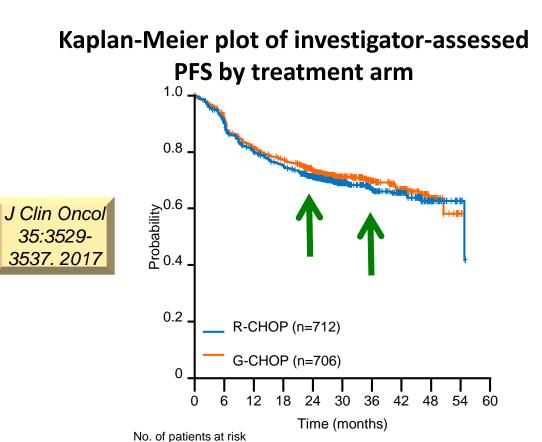
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ORIGINAL REPORT

Obinutuzumab or Rituximab Plus Cyclophosphamide, Doxorubicin, Vincristine, and Prednisone in Previously Untreated Diffuse Large B-Cell Lymphoma

Umberto Vitolo, Marek Trněný, David Belada, John M. Burke, Angelo Michele Carella, Neil Chua, Pau Abrisqueta, Judit Demeter, Ian Flinn, Xiaonan Hong, Won Seog Kim, Antonio Pinto, Yuan-Kai Shi, Yoichi Tatsumi, Mikkel Z. Oestergaard, Michael Wenger, Günter Fingerle-Rowson, Olivier Catalani, Tina Nielsen, Maurizio Martelli, and Laurie H. Sehn

INVESTIGATOR-ASSESSED PFS

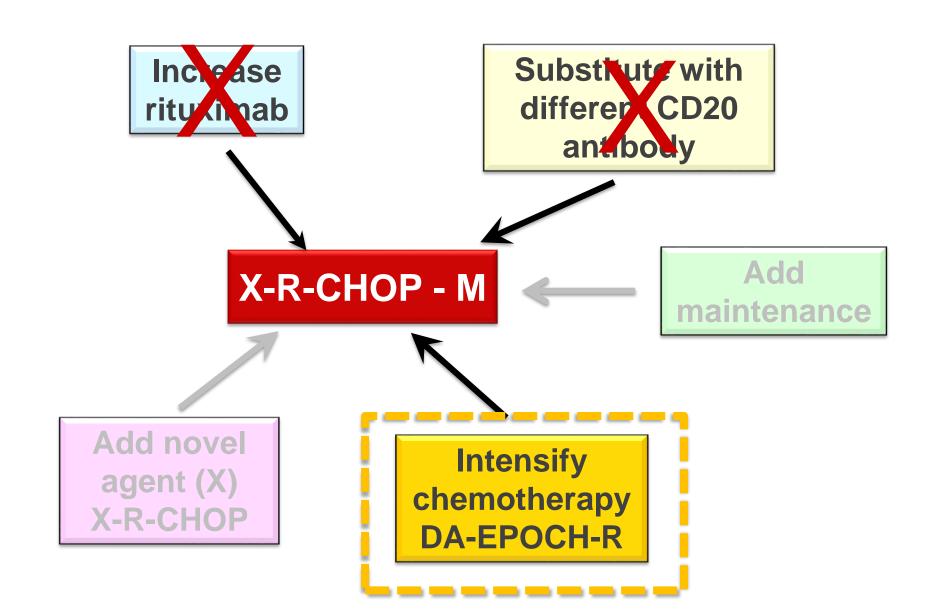


R-CHOP 712 616 527 488 413 227 142 96 41 6 G-CHOP 706 622 540 502 425 240 158 102 39 2

	R- CHOP, n=712	G- CHOP, n=706
Pts with event, n (%)	215 (30.2)	201 (28.5)
1-yr PFS, %	79.8	81.6
2-yr PFS, %	71.3	73.4
3-yr PFS, %	66.9	69.6
HR (95% CI), p-value*	0.92 (0.76, 1.11), p=0.3868	

Median follow-up: 29 months

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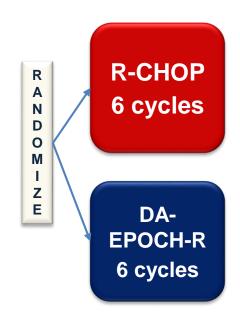


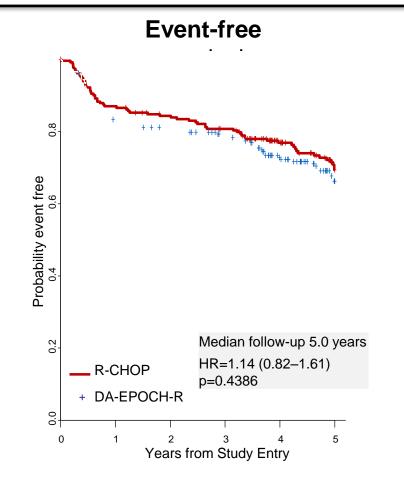
PHASE III STUDY OF R-CHOP VS DA-EPOCH-R IN PATIENTS WITH UNTREATED DLBCL (CALGB/ALLIANCE 50303)

Study schema

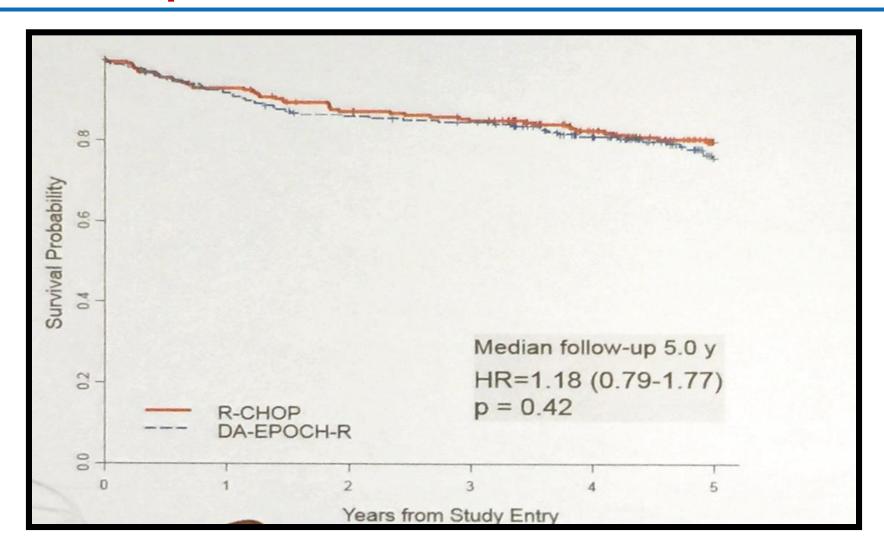
Key eligibility criteria (N=524)

- Age ≥18 years
- Stage II or higher newly diagnosed DLBCL (Stage I PMBCL)
- •ECOG PS 0-2
- Fresh/frozen tumor biopsy (4 cores)



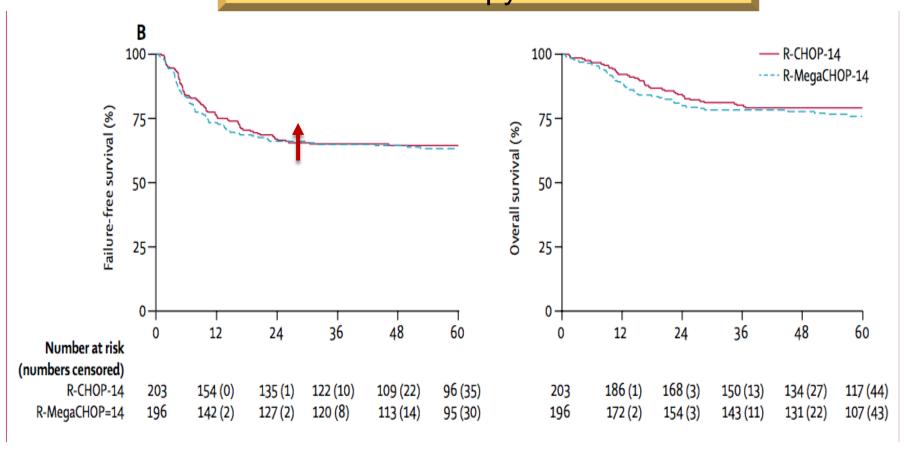


.....And, More Chemotherapy Did Not Improve Overall Survival Either



R-CHOP-14 vs R-MEGACHOP-14

More Chemotherapy Was Not Better

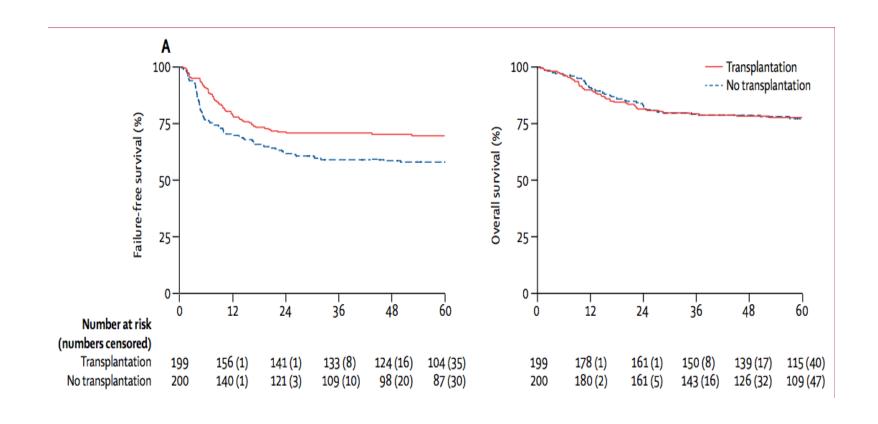


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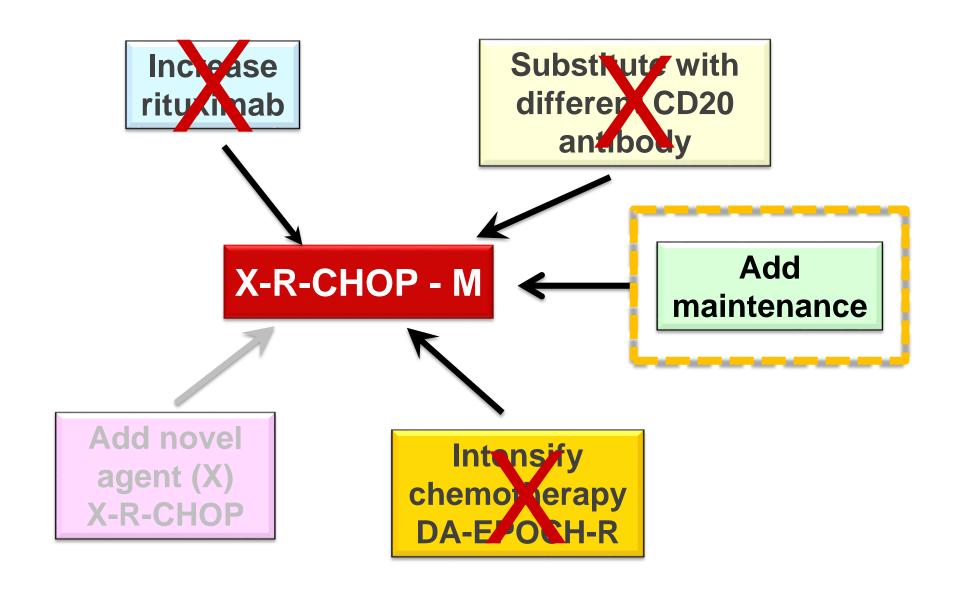
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TRANSPLANT VS NO TRANSPLANT

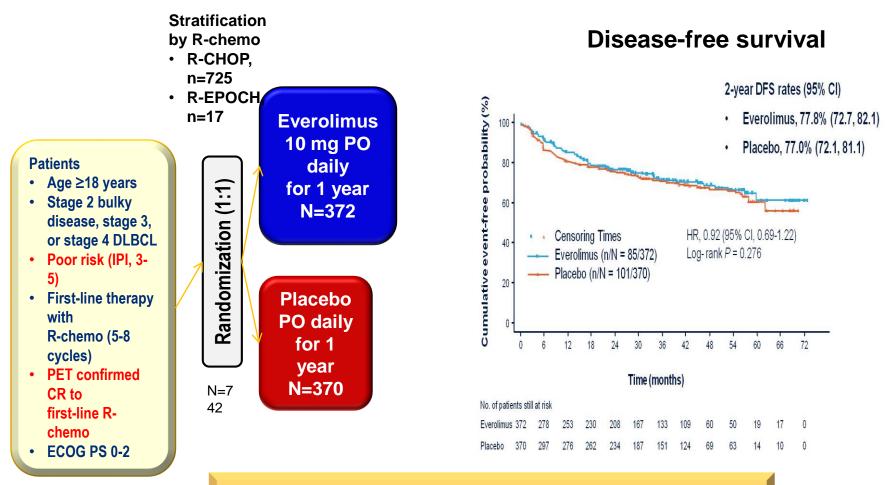
You Can Wait and Get Your Transplant Later



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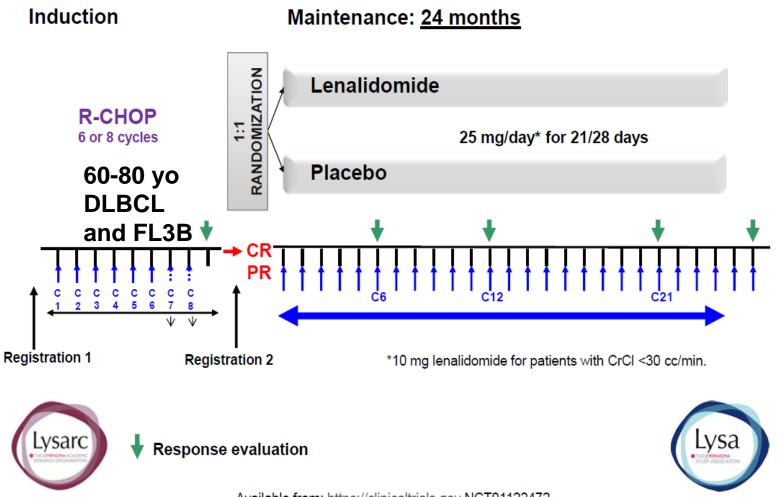


PILLAR-2 STUDY DESIGN: ADJUVANT EVEROLIMUS



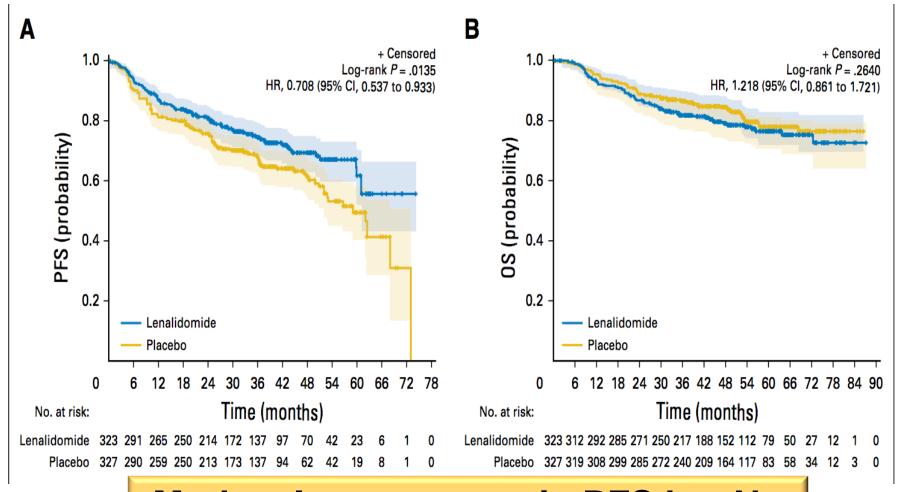
No Benefit to Maintenance Everolimus

REMARC Study Design



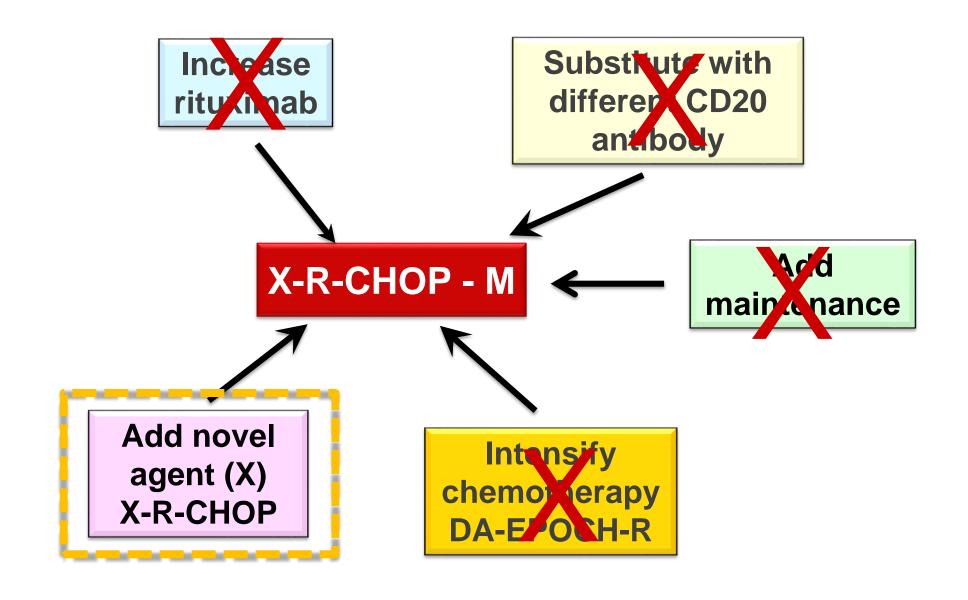
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LENALIDOMIDE MAINTENANCE

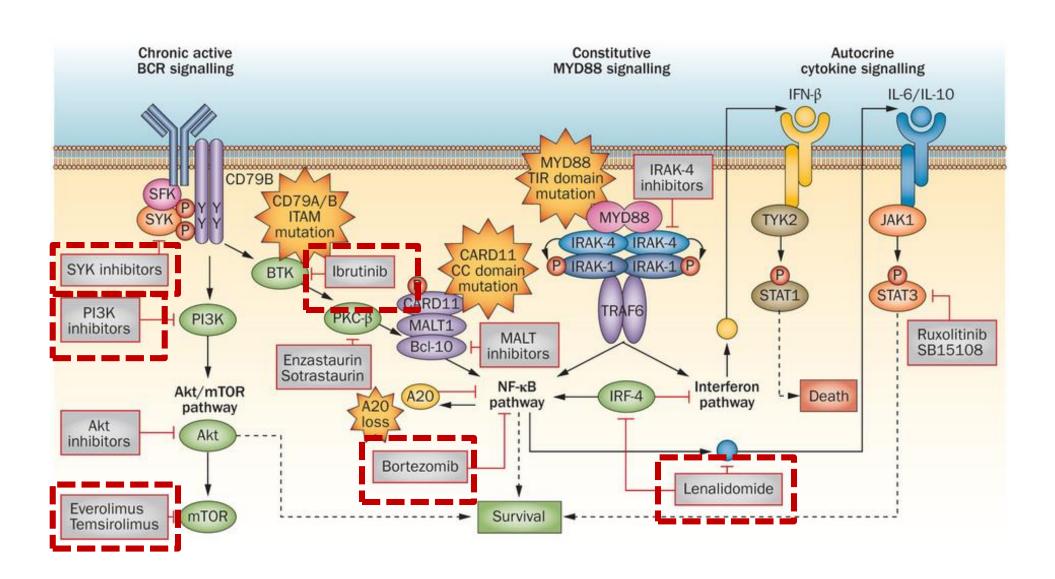


Modest Improvement in PFS but No Difference in Survival

STRATEGIES TO IMPROVE R-CHOP



PATHWAYS WITH THERAPEUTIC POTENTIAL DLBCL



FROM RELAPSED SETTING TO FRONT LINE: X-R-CHOP

Drug	Combination	Phase	Result
Epratuzumab	ER_CHOP	Phase 2	Not promising
Bortezomib	Bor-CHOP	Phase 3's	ALL Negative
Everolimus	EverCHOP	Phase 1	Not Promising and toxic
Ibrutinib	Phoenix	Phase 3	NEGATIVE (July 2018)
Lenalidomide	ROBUST	Phase 3	Last Hope (Early 2019)

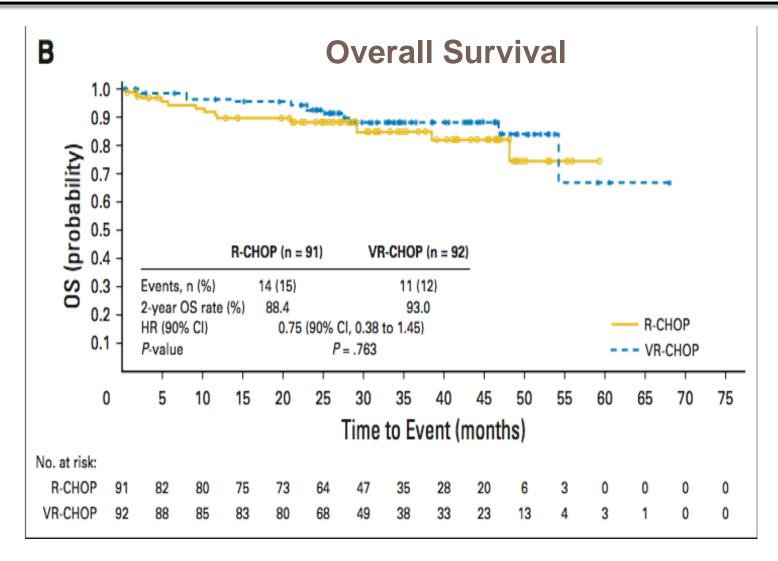
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BORTEZOMIB PLUS R-CHOP – NO IMPROVEMENT IN OS



A Prospective Randomised Trial of Targeted Therapy for Diffuse Large B-Cell Lymphoma (DLBCL) Based upon Real-Time Gene Expression Profiling.

The REMoDL-B Study of the UK NCRI and SAKK Lymphoma Groups







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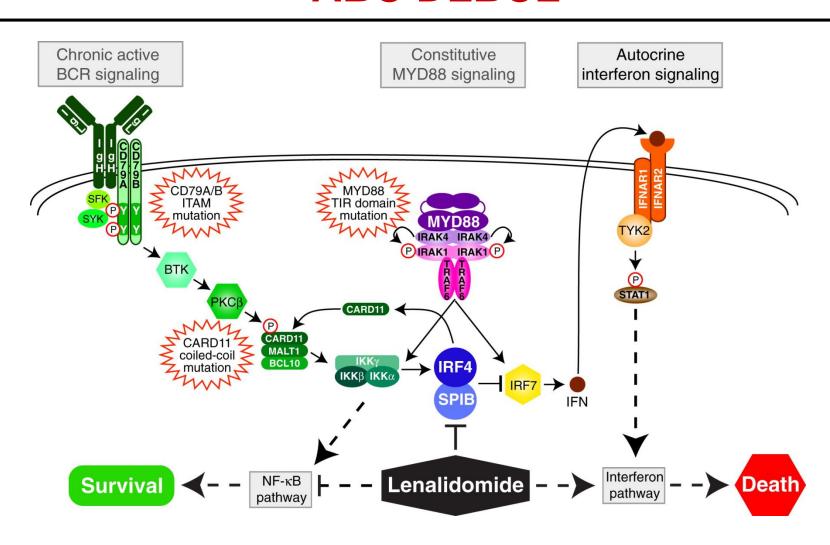








SYNTHETIC LETHALITY OF LENALIDOMIDE IN ABC DLBCL



CELGENE CLINICAL EFFICACY DATA FOR ABC PATIENTS*

- CC-5013-DLC-001 Open label, Phase 2 study of lenalidomide versus single agent control in relapsed/refractory DLBCL patients
- FFPE sample subtyped by IHC (Hans algorithm)
- Fresh frozen biopsy sample subtyped by GEP (Randy Gascoyne;
 Affymetrix U133 Plus 2.0 GeneChip microarrays)

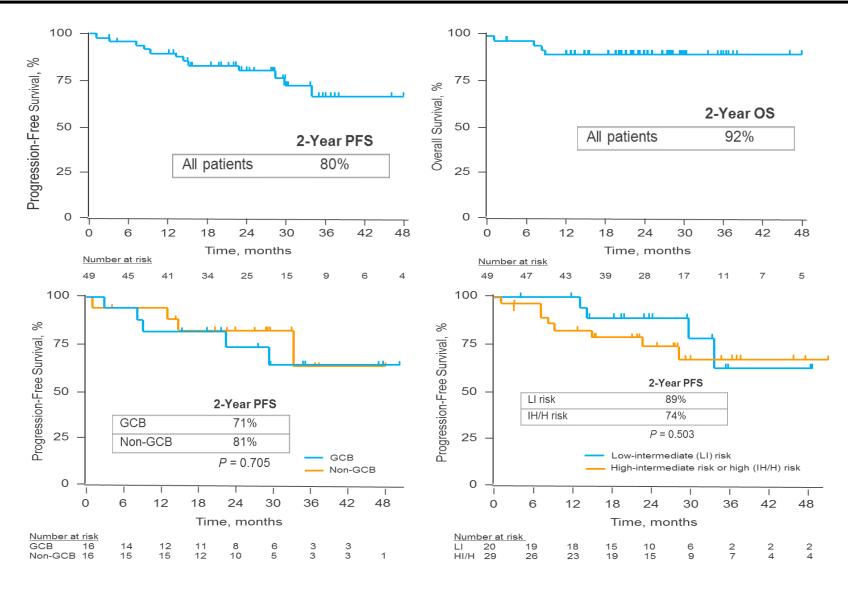
Includes ABC + unclassified	Non-GCB by IHC (n=28)	ABC by GEP (n=11)	OBUST es GEP
	Lenalidomide patients		
ORR	8 (28.6%)	5 (45.5%)	
CR	4 (14.3%)	3 (27.3%)	
PFS median	15.1 wks	82.0 wks	
OS median	32.3 wks	108.4 wks	

ADDITION OF LENALIDOMIDE TO R-CHOP IN UNTREATED DLBCL IMPROVES NON-GCB OUTCOMES

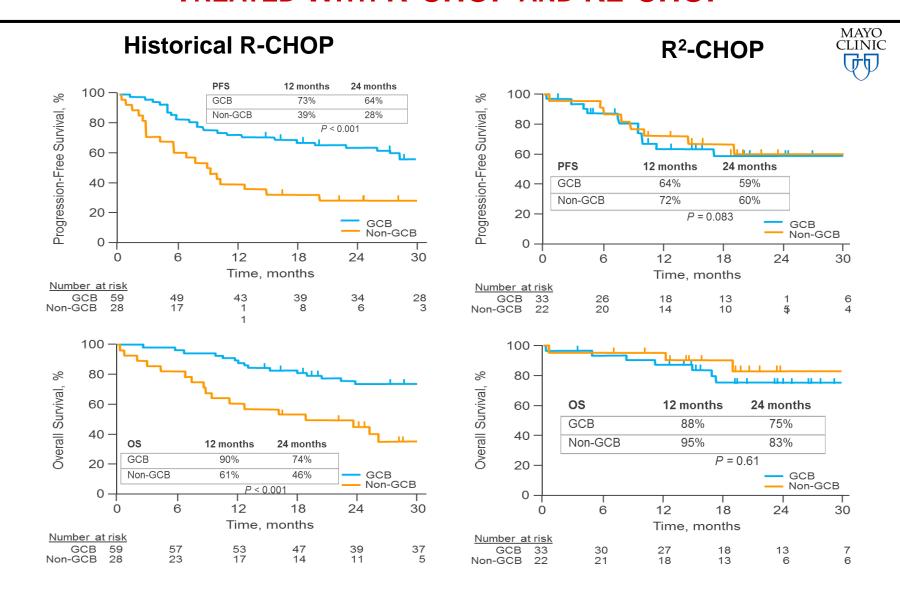
	Mayo Clinic MC078E*			FIL REAL07**		
	R2-CHOP		R-CHOP		R2-CHOP	
N	55 (51 evaluable)		87 (83 evaluable)		49	
Regimen	R-CHOP21 + lenalidomide 25mg days 1-10		R-CHOP21		R-CHOP21 + lenalidomide 15mg days 1-14	
ORR	51 (100%)		68 (83%)		45 (92%)	
CR	37 (73%)		56 (67%)		42 (86%)	
PFS at 24 mo	59%		52%		80%	
	GCB n = 31	Non-GCB n = 20	GCB n = 57	Non-GCB n = 26	GCB n = 16	Non-GCB n = 16
ORR	31 (100%)	20 (100%)	50 (88%)	18 (69%)	14 (88%)	14 (88%)
CR	23 (74%)	16 (80%)	43 (75%)	13 (50%)	13 (81%)	14 (88%)
PFS at 24 mo	59%	60%	64%	28%	71%	81%
OS at 24 mo	75%	83%	74%	46%	88%	94%

Two independent studies generate similar results

REAL07 PHASE II R²-CHOP21 IN ELDERLY UNTREATED DLBCL: PFS and OS¹ PFS by COO and PFS by IPI



PFS AND OS IN GCB AND NON-GCB DLBCL FOR PATIENTS TREATED WITH R-CHOP AND R2-CHOP



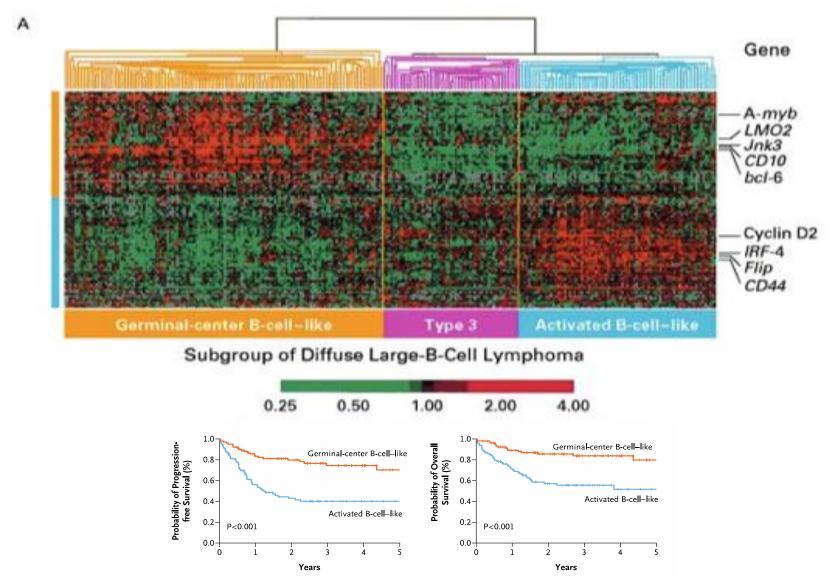
^{*}Non-GCB subtype was defined by Hans algorithm.

Evolution of Cell of Origin Determination Methods Not All Equally as Accurate

15 Years of Research

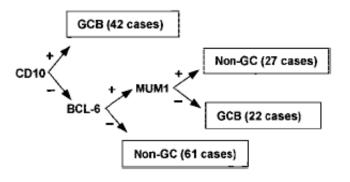
- Gene expression profiling (GEP)
 - Usually fresh tissue required
 - 2-3 weeks to results, maybe difficult to standardize
- Immunohistochemical (IHC) method (Hans algorithm and others)
 - Rapid, on paraffin tissue (FFPE)
 - Difficult to standardize, non-GCB contains ABC and "unclassified" cases
- GEP by Nonostring platform (Lymph2Cx)
 - Done of paraffin (FFPE)
 - Rapid (2-3 days)

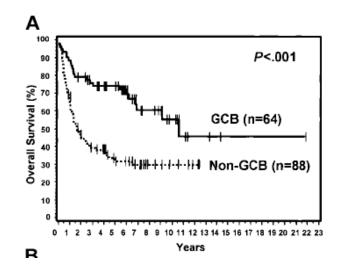
GENE EXPRESSION PROFILING DEFINES DLBCL SUBTYPES



IMMUNOHISTOCHEMICAL METHODS ARE EASY AND CHEAP BUT LEAST ACCURATE

Hans Method





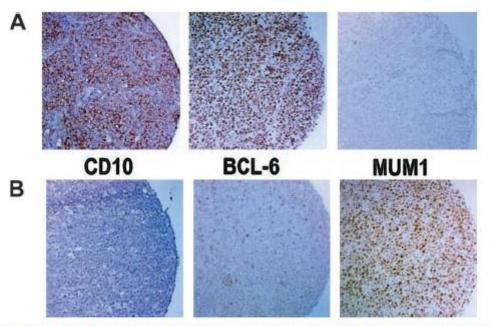
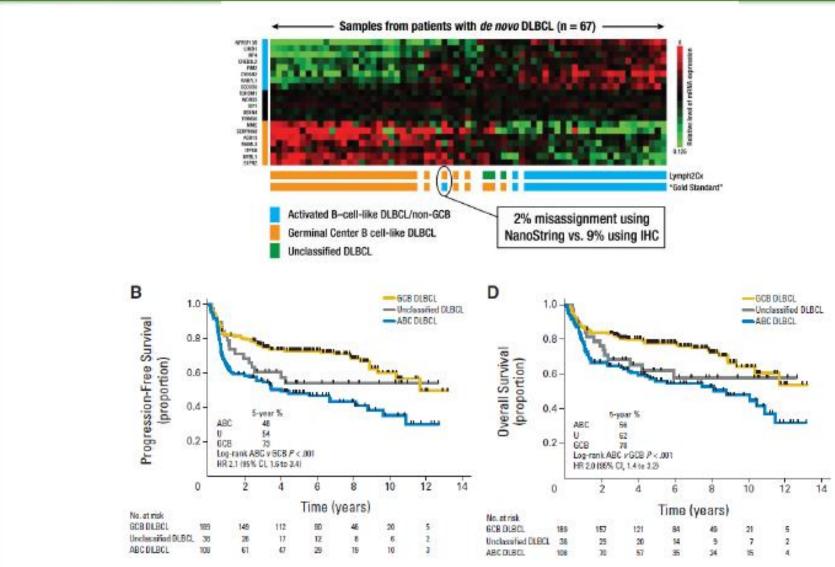


Figure 2. Results of Immunoperoxidase staining. (A) Immunoperoxidase stains of a GCB case that is positive for CD10 and bcl-6 but negative for MUM1. (B) Immunoperoxidase stains of a non-GCB case that is negative for CD10 but shows rare bcl-6 $^+$ cells and is positive for MUM1. Original magnification, \times 100.

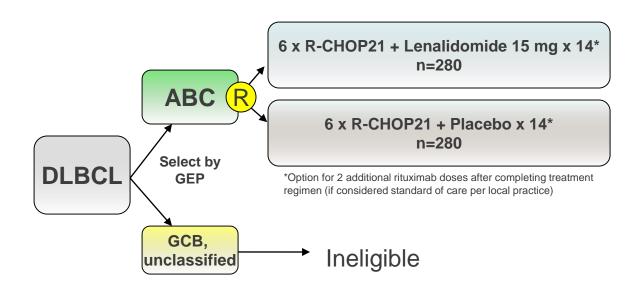


NANOSTRING TECHNOLOGY PREDICTS SURVIVAL IN DLBCL TREATED WITH R-CHOP



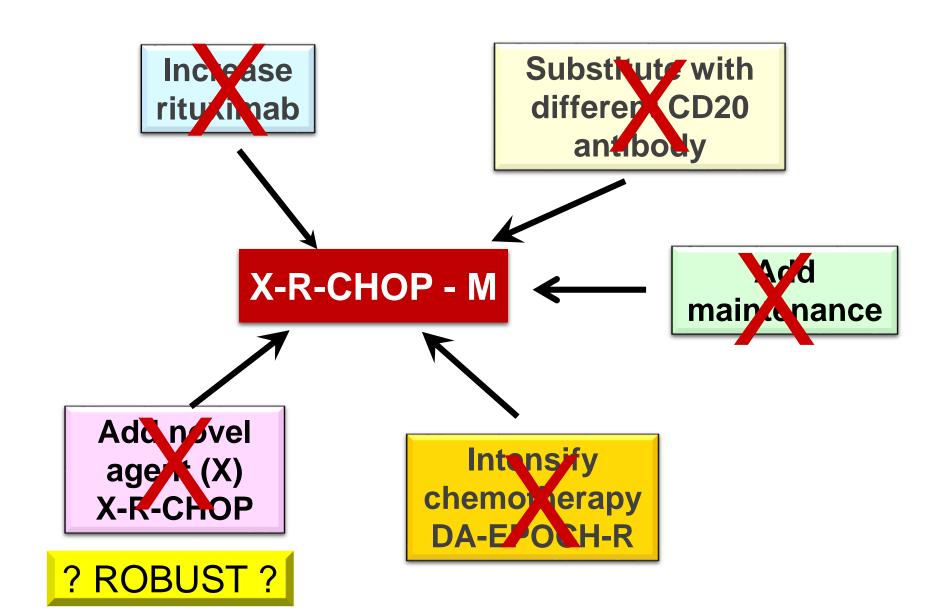
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ROBUST CLINICAL STUDY SCHEMA RESULTS EXPECTED 2019



- Newly diagnosed DLBCL of ABC type
- IPI ≥ 2; ECOG PS ≤ 2; Age 18–80
- Primary Endpoint = PFS
- N = 560
- 90% power to detect 60% difference in PFS (control median PFS estimate = 24 mo)

STRATEGIES TO IMPROVE R-CHOP



So, What's New in the Standard of Care in DLBCL?

Not much has changed despite a lot of effort.

Intensifying Anti-CD-20 → No benefit

Intensifying Chemotherapy → No Benefit

Adding Maintenance Therapy → No Benefit

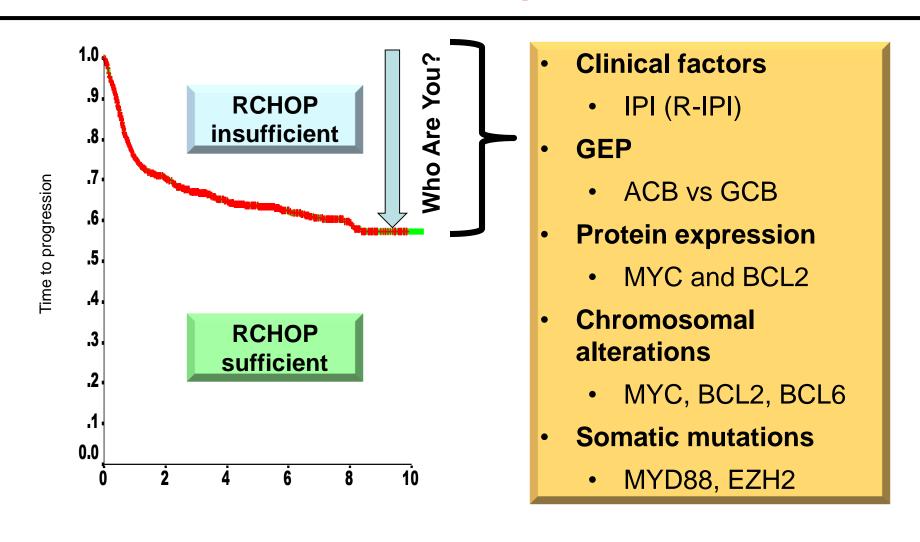
Adding 'Targeted' Molecules >
So far, No Benefit – Await ROBUST

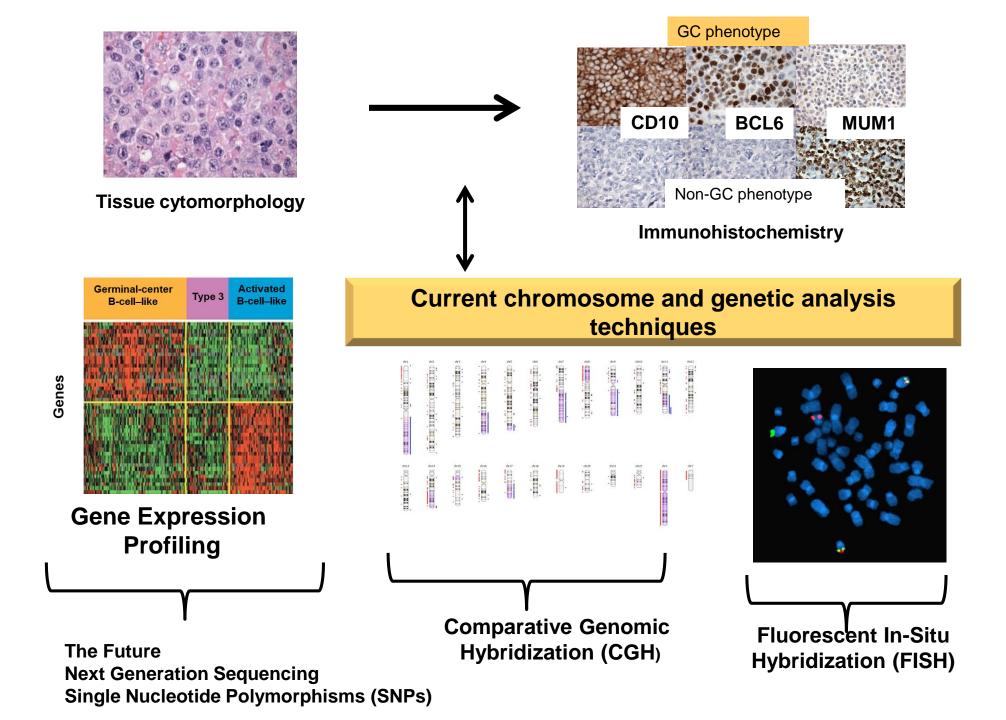
R-CHOP x 6 is Standard of Care

So Whats Next? How Can We Make the Next Advance

- How do we identify those patients who don't do well with the SOC?
- Can we more precisely target the Achilles heal of that disease?
- In the era of evolving immunotherapy, how do we leverage those advances?

HETEROGENEITY OF OUTCOMES IN DLBCL





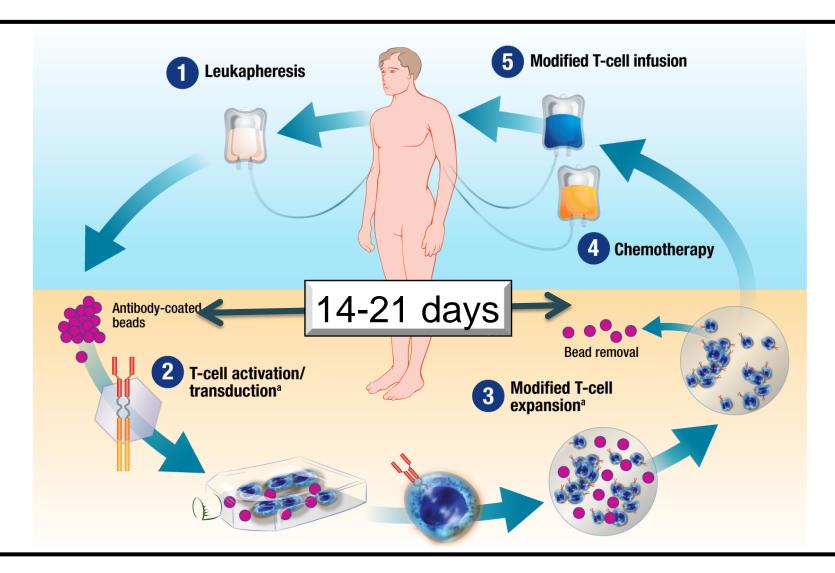
FIRST APPROVED CAR-T CELLS



Oct. 17, 2017 – adult lymphoma

Aug. 30, 2017 – ALL up to age 25 May 1, 2018 – adult lymphoma

THE PATIENT'S JOURNEY

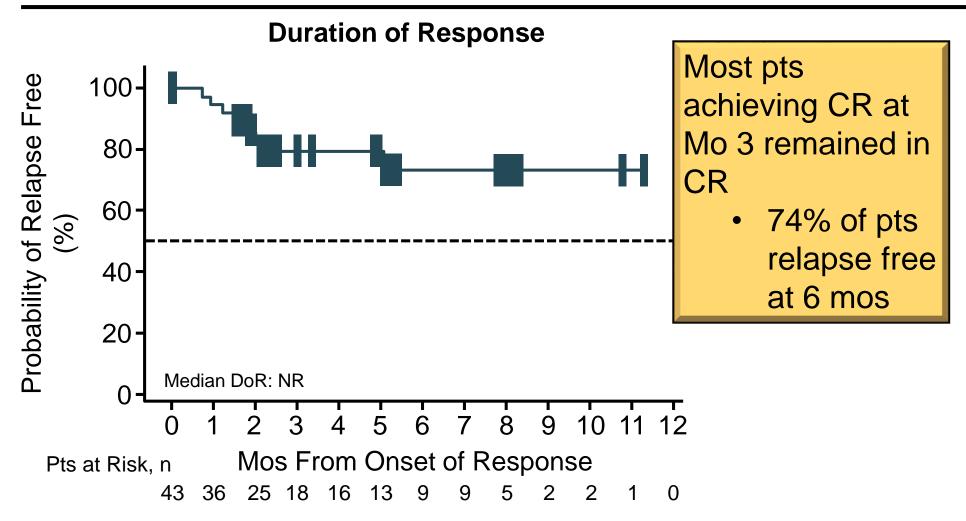


CD19 CAR IN ADULT LYMPHOMA (tisagenlecleucel): PATIENTS WITH NO OPTIONS

Response, %	Best ORR (n = 81)	3-Mo Response (n = 81)	6-Mo Response (n = 46)
ORR (CR + PR)	53	38	37
■ CR	40	32	30
■ PR	14	6	7

- Study met primary endpoint with ORR of 53% (95% CI: 42% to 64%)
 - No relationship apparent between tisagenlecleucel dose and 3-mo response
- Follow up beyond 6 months not published yet

CD19 CAR IN ADULT LYMPHOMA (tisagenlecleucel)



CD19 CAR in Adult Lymphoma (tisagenlecleucel) Summary of Risk: Benefit

- EHA 2018 Update (data cutoff December 2017)
- 165 enrolled; 111 infused
- Median follow up 13.9 mo
- Best ORR 52%; CR 40%; PR 12%
- At 12 mo: RFS 65% OS 49%
- Grade3/4 (Penn scale) CRS 14%
- Grade 3/4 Neurotoxicity 12%
- Prolonged cytopenias 32%
- Tocilizumab (II-6 inhibitor) 15%
- No deaths attributed to CAR-T therapy

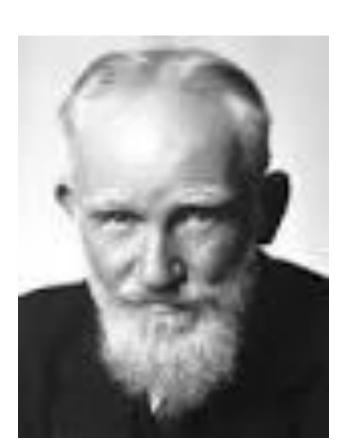
HOW CAN WE MAKE THE NEXT ADVANCE

- Need to <u>precisely identify</u> those patients who don't achieve cure with conventional therapy
- Need to identify a targeted agent that can <u>mitigate</u> <u>that adverse impact</u> (ibrutinib was to be that promise – maybe assay not drug!)
- Utilize the most sensitive rapid-turn around tools possible to <u>discriminate those patient</u>
- Optimize new generation immunologics (CAR-T; ADC, bispecifics, etc.)
- Be cognizant of the added toxicity,

Some men see things as they are and ask, Why?

I dream of things that never were, and ask, Why not?





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Cancer

Cancer has profound biopsychosocial effects on patients and caregivers.





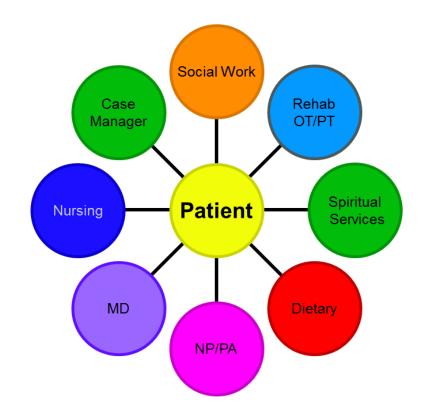


The Interdisciplinary Team Approach



"I'm right there in the room, and no one even acknowledges me."

ARTIST: Leo Cullum







Pre Transplant Psychosocial Evaluation

Key components:

- Social history
- History of psychiatric illness
- History of alcohol or drug abuse
- Responsibility to treatment and understanding
- Patient's history of compliance or non-compliance
- Ability to engage in activities of daily living
- Faith-based or cultural concerns
- Advance directives
- Consider geriatric assessment







Caregiver Evaluation

- Health status
- Express understanding of role
- Aware of responsibilities
- Ability to care for themselves and patient
- Health literacy
- Special Considerations:
 - Children turning into caregivers
 - Older adults caring for their loved ones







Pre Admission Preparation

- Patient goals and expectations
- Understanding and responsibilities
- Preparing for an inpatient stay
- Coping within the inpatient unit
- Be The Match educational videos
- The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society





Chemotherapy-Related Cognitive Impairment (CRCI)

Deficits in:

- Memory
- Attention
- Clarity of thought
- Executive functioning
- Information processing







Mental Health Considerations

- Depression
- Anxiety
- PTSD
- Independence vs dependence
- Adjustment Concerns:
 - Family role changes
 - Children becoming caregivers
 - Adjusting to diagnosis related care







Interventions

- Psychoeducation
- Consultative services collaboration
- Gatekeeper of psychosocial needs
- Discussion in multidisciplinary rounds
- Goals of Care Discussions
- Life review/reminisce Erickson
- Empty chair theory Gestalt







Our Model

- Provided with an initial consult by MD
- Provided with a psychosocial assessment
- Discussed in hem/BMT selection committee
- Admission preparation
- Inpatient follow up
- Daily huddle with the interdisciplinary team
- Preparation for Discharge
- Clinic Follow up visit







Transitions to Palliative Care and End of Life

- Family meetings / Goals of care
- Support during Decision Making
- Options of care i.e., Home health, full treatment, palliative care, and/or hospice
- Advance directives, code status and POLST forms







Recommendations

- Team communication, collaboration and consistency are key
- Standardize processes of care and education provided
- Create unique educational material for patients and families
- Virtualization!
- Keep growing, learning, dreaming, and creating to continuously improve







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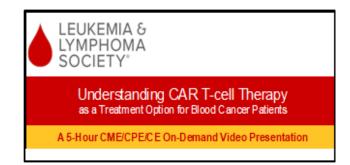
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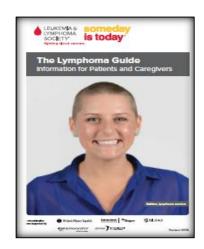
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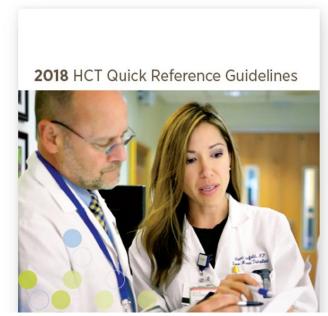
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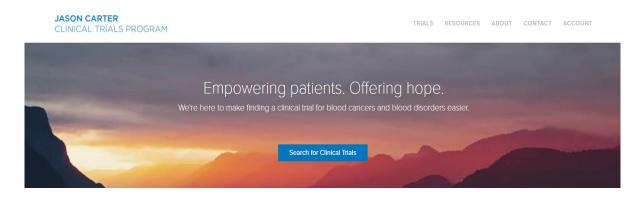




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