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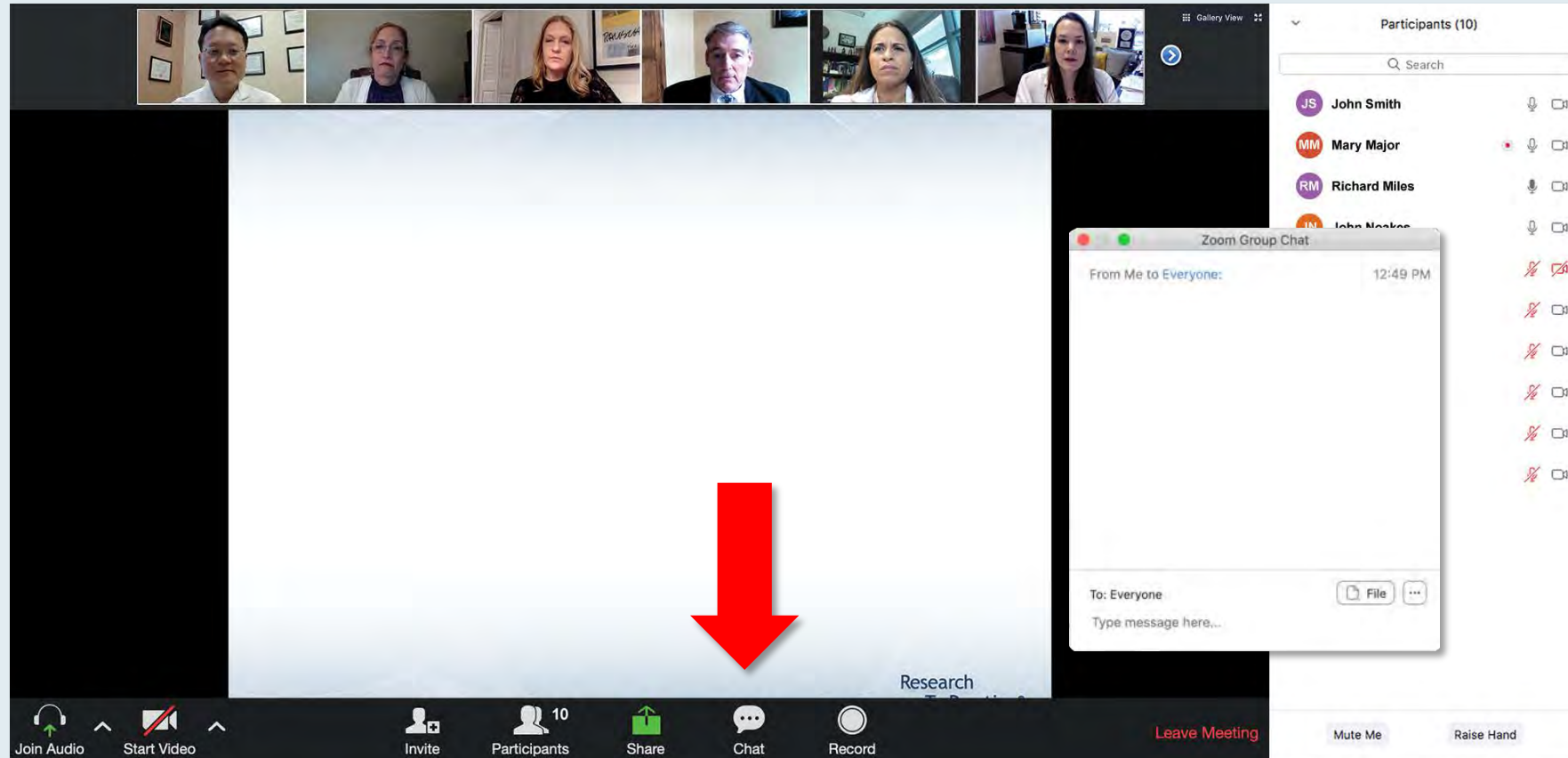
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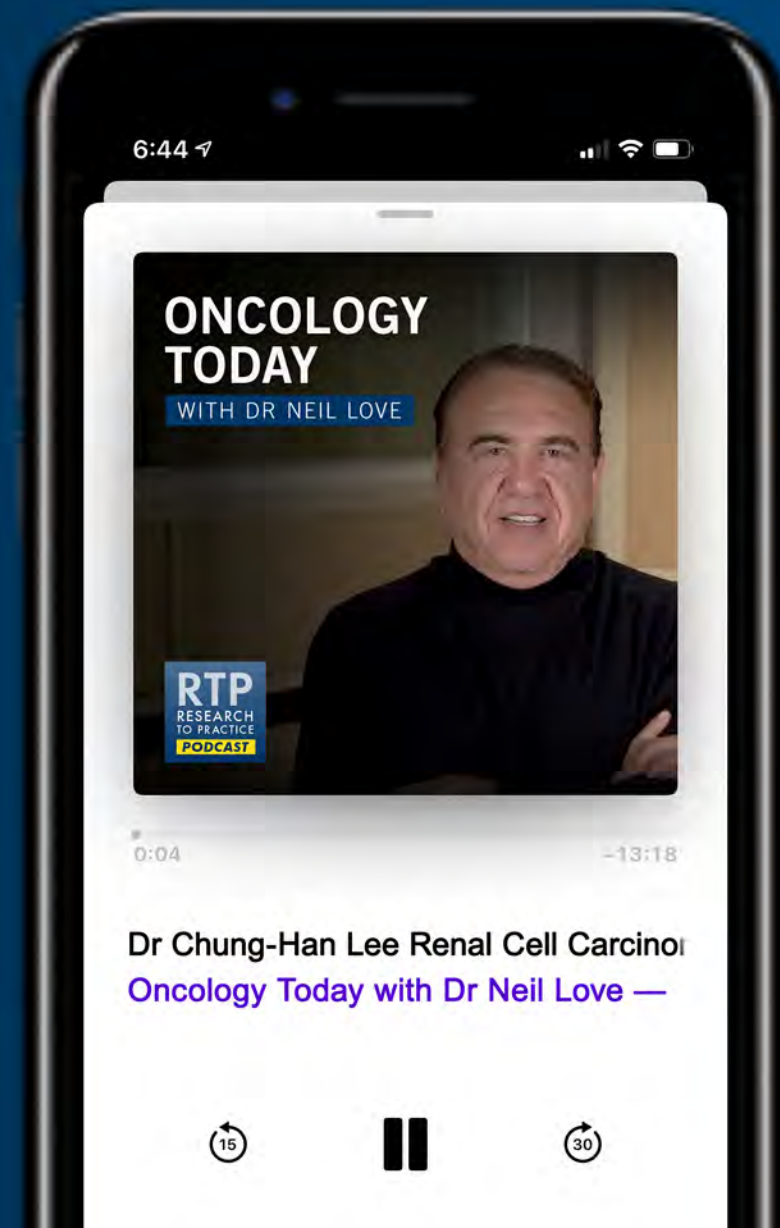
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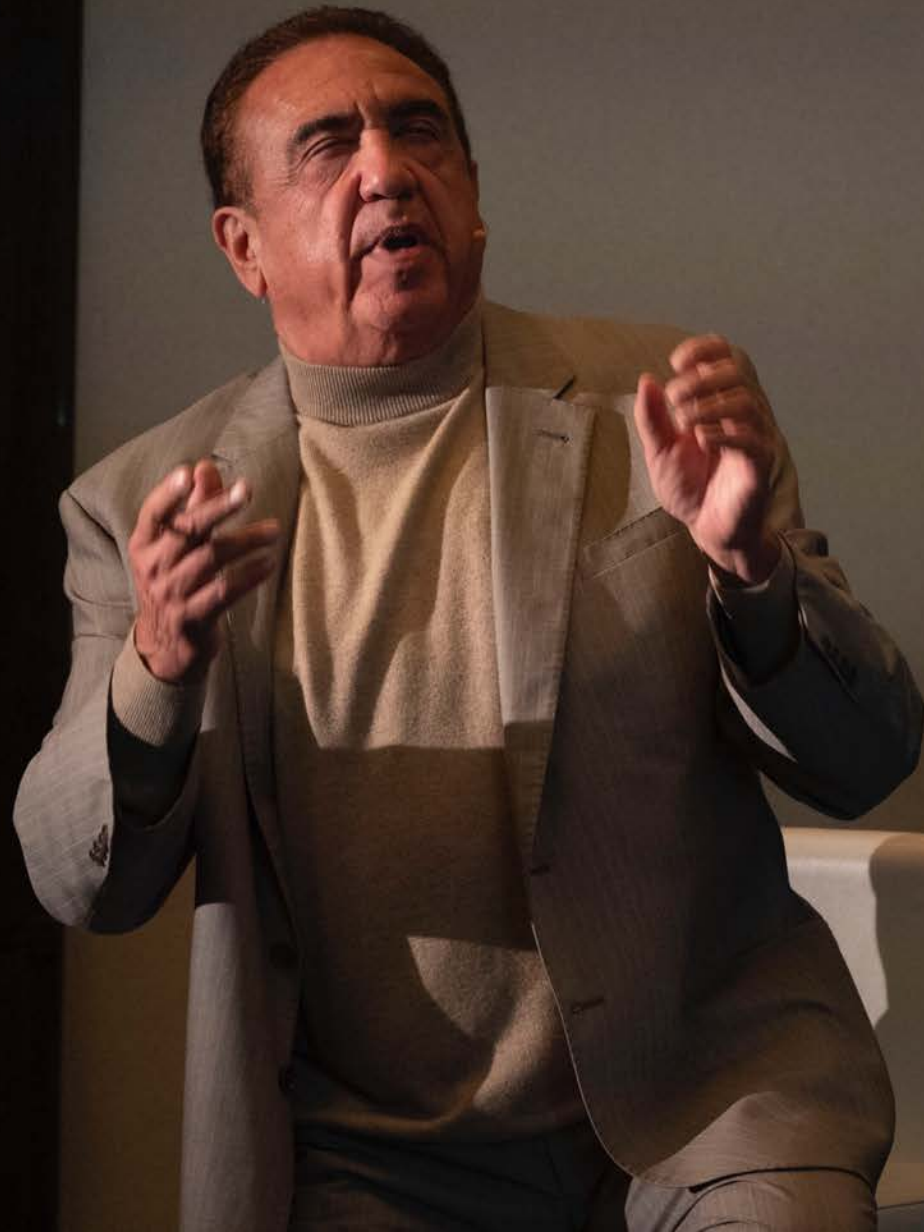
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Case Study

1. The first step is to identify the problem.	2. The second step is to define the objectives.
3. The third step is to develop a plan.	4. The fourth step is to implement the plan.
5. The fifth step is to evaluate the results.	6. The sixth step is to make adjustments.

Conclusion

The process of identifying the problem, defining the objectives, developing a plan, implementing the plan, and evaluating the results is a continuous cycle that requires ongoing communication and collaboration.













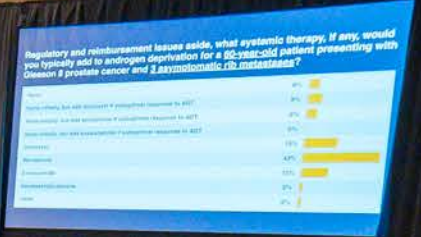
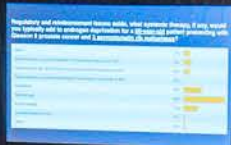


For a patient with biochemical recurrence after local therapy for prostate cancer (BR) in sensitive disease with negative MRI and PSMA-PET results, is PSA doubling time an important factor that you consider when making the decision whether to initiate androgen deprivation therapy (ADT)? If yes, what PSA doubling time would prompt you to initiate ADT?

	PSA doubling time < 12 months	PSA doubling time ≥ 12 months
SPRANDELL APOSTOLAKIS, MD	Yes, along with absolute PSA level	< 6 mo for all patients 3-6 mo for many but not all
ALEXANDER LARSEN, MD	No	—
ANDREW VICKEL, MD	Yes	Would also consider pathologic stage, comorbidities, PSA
MATTHEW DAVIS, MD	Yes	< 6 months
JOHN A. COLE, MD	No	—











A 65-year-old man s/p radical prostatectomy followed by PSA-only recurrence (M0) receives an LHRH agonist to a PSA level of 14 ng/dL with a doubling time of 3. Imaging are negative. The patient has asked you to diagnose with metastatic disease in 3 years if he comes alone. How would you respond?

- Less than 5%
- 5%-10%
- 11%-25%
- 26%-50%
- Greater than 50%







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31%-40%

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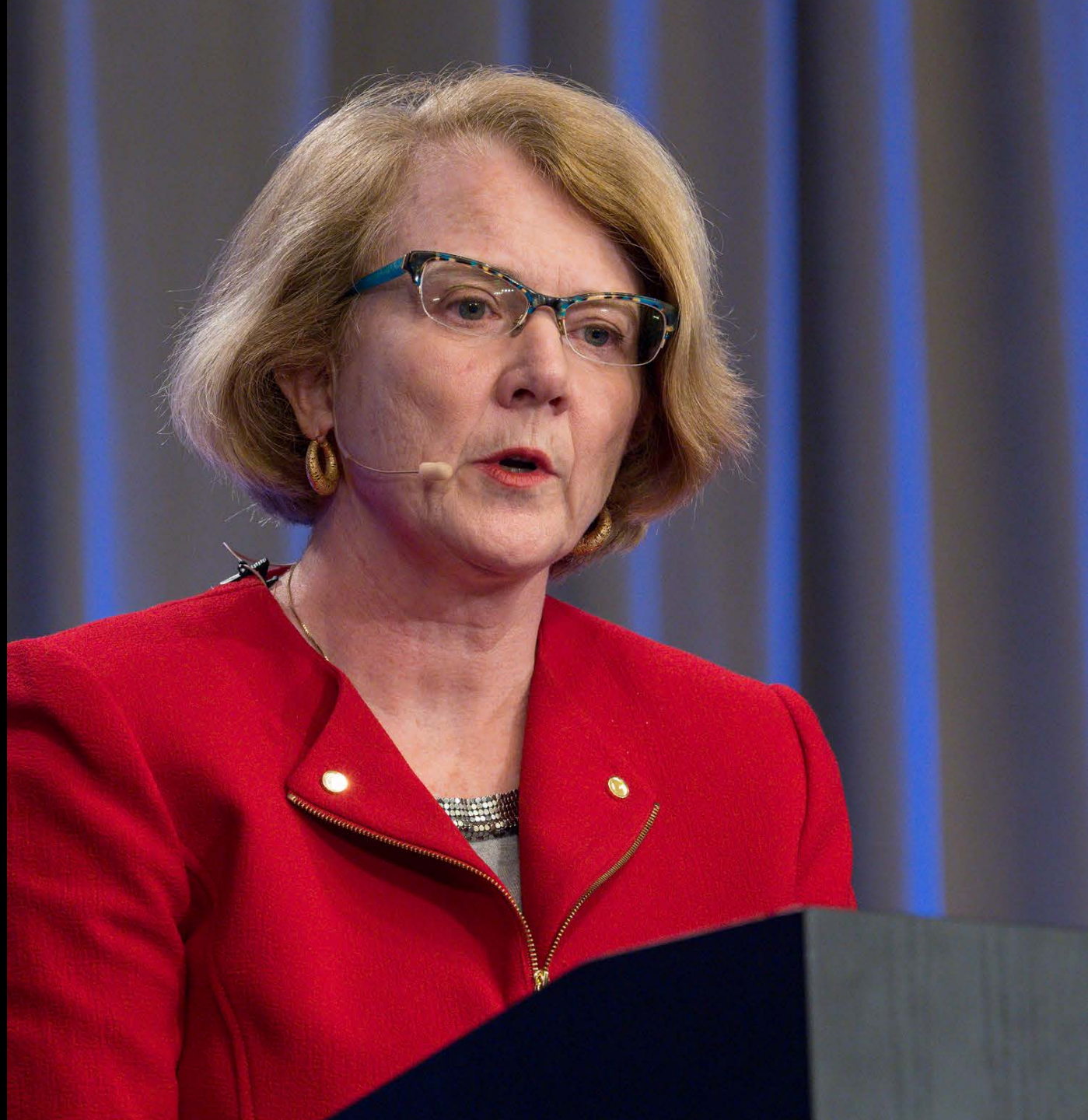




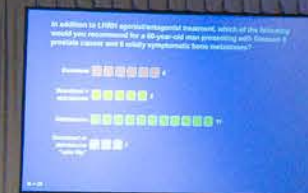
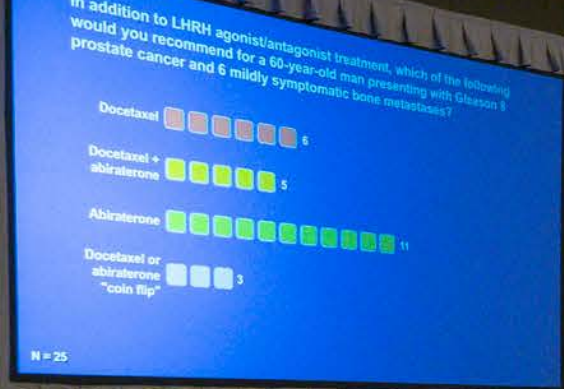






























Existing and Emerging Therapeutic
Strategies for the Management
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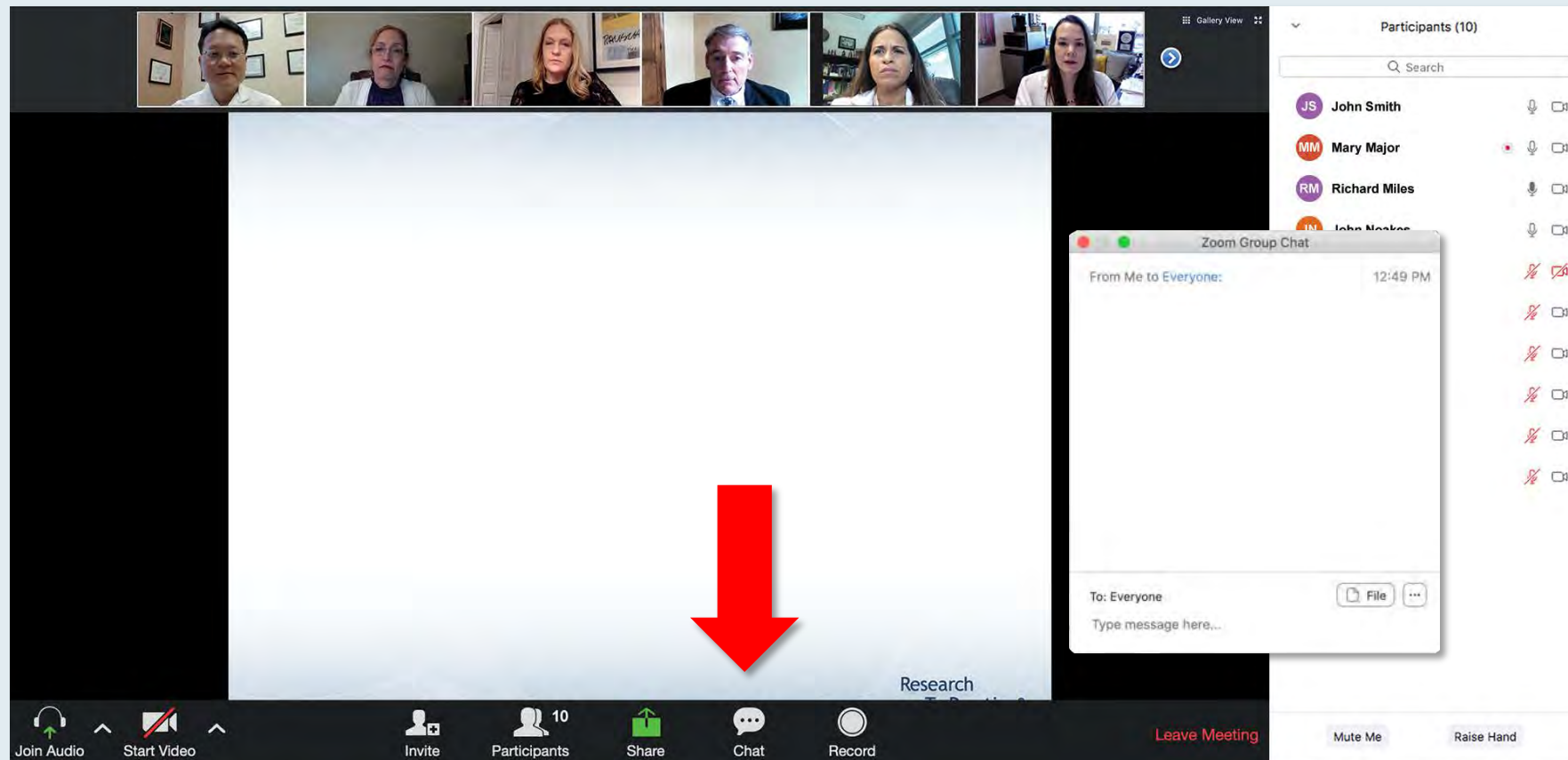
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JN John Noakes

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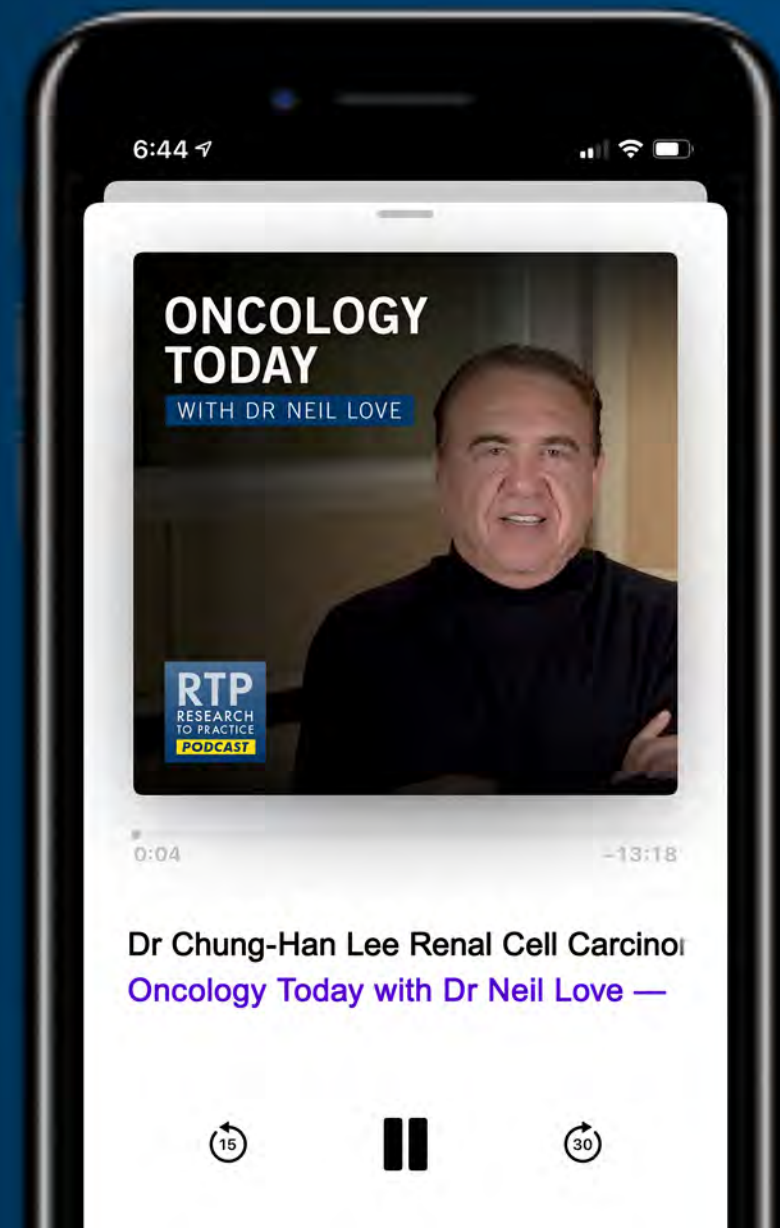
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Newly approved front line regimens for metastatic RCC

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Management Issues For Patients with Advanced Renal Cell Carcinoma

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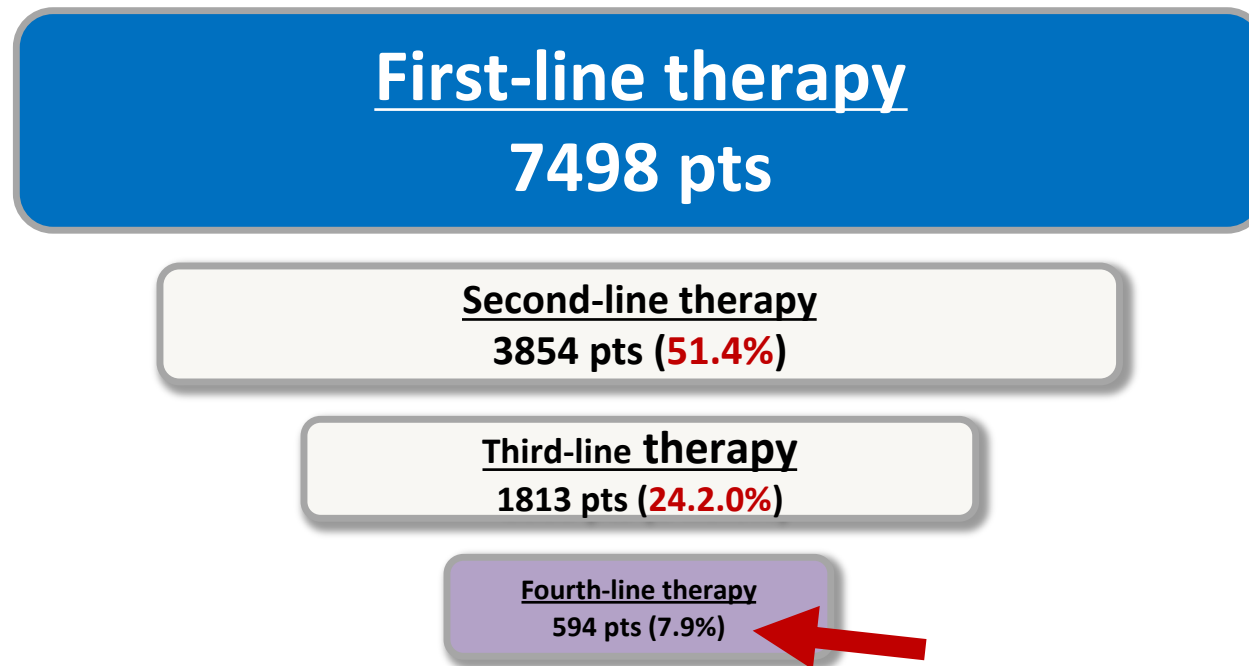
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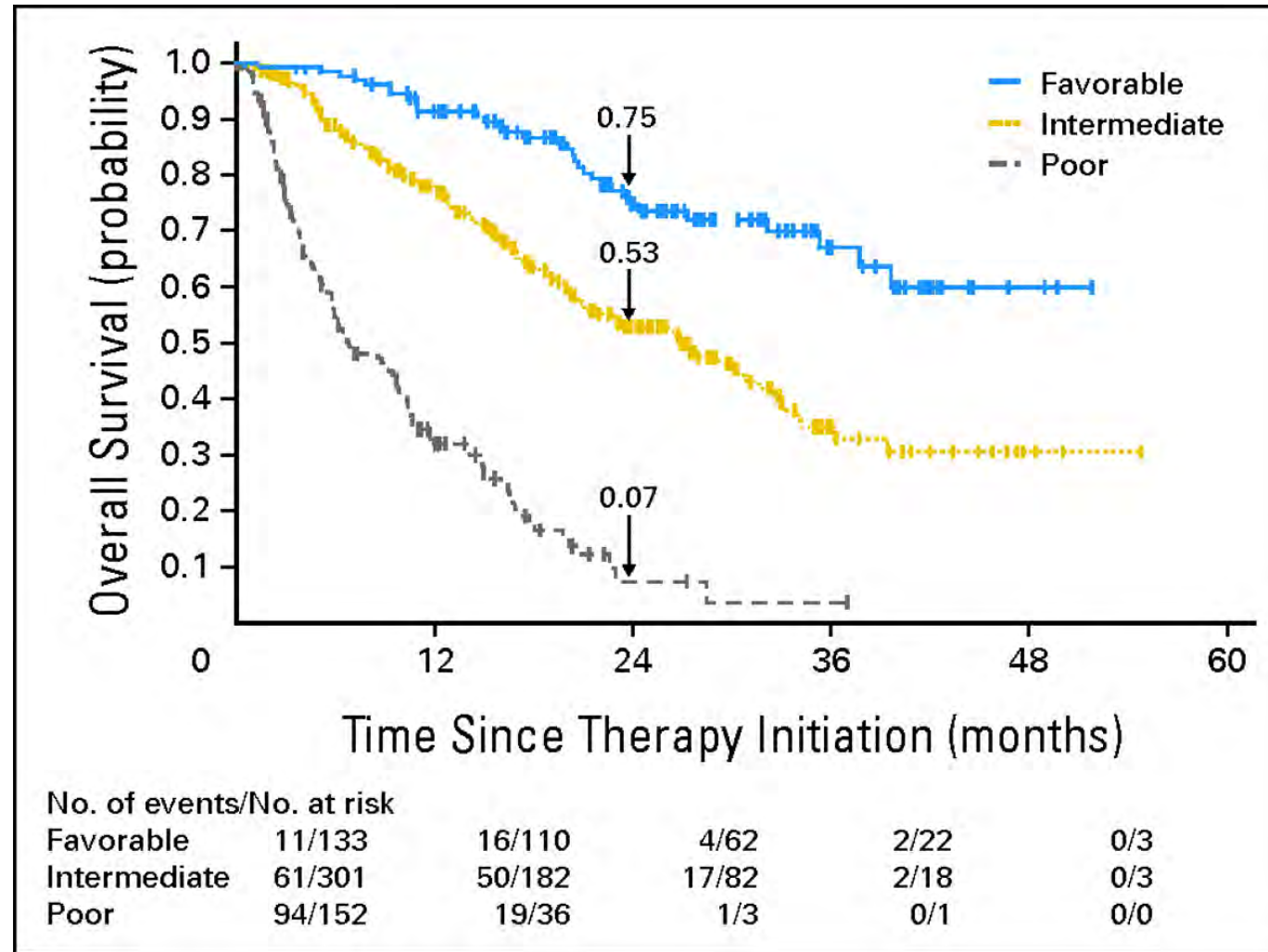
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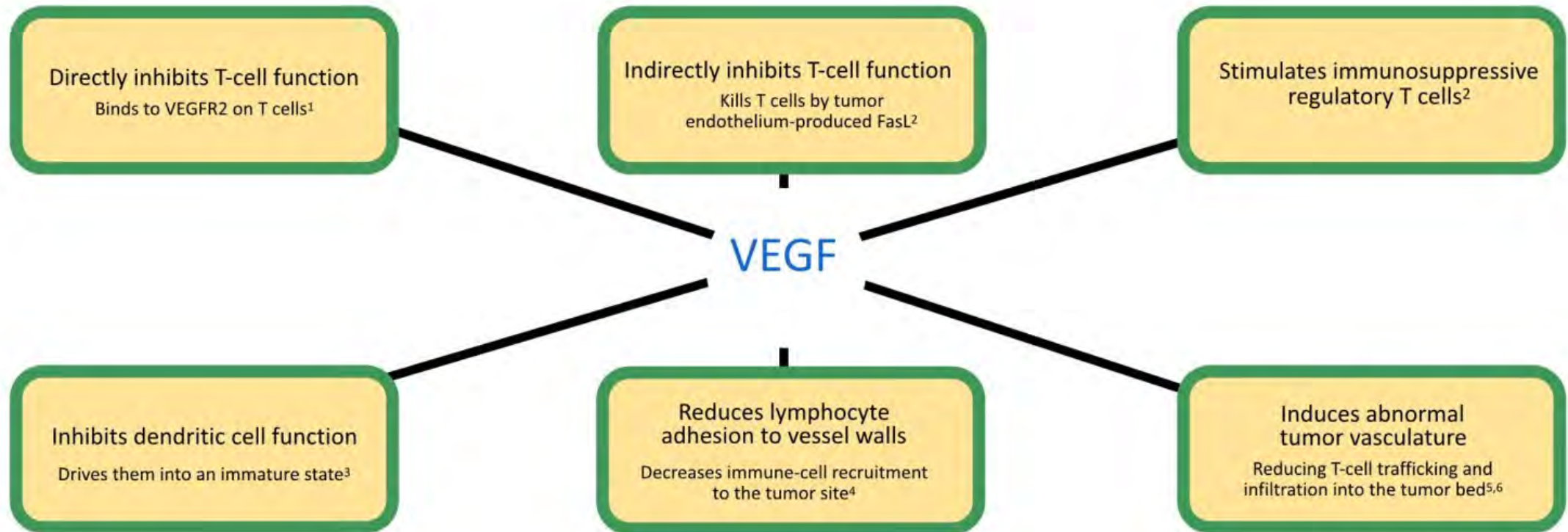


Overall Survival Probability for Patients with mRCC Treated with VEGF-Targeted Agents According to time after therapy initiation and risk group



RATIONALE FOR IO-TKI COMBINATIONS

EFFECTS OF VEGF ON THE TUMOR MICROENVIRONMENT



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Case Presentation – Dr Zafar: A 53-year-old man with RCC initially treated as head and neck carcinoma



Dr Syed Zafar

- Presented with a large neck lump on the right cervical area
 - 8 or 9 cm lymph node on a CT neck, initially characterized as a poorly differentiated carcinoma
- PET scan: hypermetabolic neck lesion
- Treated as head and neck primary of head and neck cancer with an unknown primary
 - Did not respond to chemoradiotherapy
- Conducted unknown primary assay testing
 - Results revealed high probability of a renal cell carcinoma
 - Repeated CT scan revealed a left-sided renal mass and probable adrenal mass
- Biopsy consistent with clear cell renal cell carcinoma

Questions

- What are the faculty's thoughts on the fact that PET scans can be notoriously negative in renal cell?
- In this case, what led me to look further was the unknown primary proteomic and genomic testing that told me that certainly it could be a probability as renal cell.

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Cholangiocarcinoma	0 %
Colon Adenocarcinoma	0 %
Gastroesophageal Adenocarcinoma	0 %
GIST	0 %
Hepatocellular carcinoma	0 %
Melanoma	0 %
Meningioma	0 %
Ovarian, Fallopian Tube Adenocarcinoma	0 %
Ovarian Granulosa Cell Tumor	0 %
Pancreas Adenocarcinoma	0 %
Prostate Adenocarcinoma	0 %
Squamous Cell Carcinoma	0 %
Thyroid Cancer	0 %
Urothelial Carcinoma	0 %
Uterine Endometrial Adenocarcinoma	0 %
Uterine Sarcoma	0 %

Methods

MI GPSai™ is a machine learning platform that was trained on genomic data from 34,352 cases and transcriptomic data from over 11,000 cases. In a validation set of over 12,000 additional cases, MI GPSai accurately predicted the cancer category in the labeled data set with an accuracy of over 93%. The accuracy increased to 97% when the second highest ranking predicted cancer type was included. The profile has been validated to differentiate among 21 distinct cancer types. MI GPSai prevalence tables were produced at or above the required confidence level for 93% of samples in the validation set. Samples that do not generate a score at or above this confidence level will not receive a MI GPSai result.

Notes of Significance

SEE APPENDIX FOR DETAILS

Clinical Trials Connector™ opportunities based on biomarker expression: 13 Targeted Therapy Trials. See page 6 for details.

Specimen Information

Specimen ID: G-02506-20-A2

Specimen Collected: 04/07/2020

Specimen Received: 06/25/2020

Other Testing Initiated: 07/06/2020

Gross Description: 1 (A) Paraffin Block - Client ID(G-02506-20-A2) from Gulf Coast Medical Center, Fort Myers, FL, with the corresponding pathology report labeled "G-02506-20".

Pathologic Diagnosis: Right neck lymph node, needle core biopsies: Positive for malignancy, tissue involved by an invasive carcinoma composed of foamy/vacuolated-appearing cells.

Dissection Information: A laboratory technician harvested targeted tissues for extraction from the marked areas using a dissection microscope.

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Dr Rahul Gosain

- Sister with history of metastatic RCC and breast cancer
 - Germline mutation negative
- Presented with painless hematuria, bilateral renal masses and no distant metastases
- Underwent left-sided radical nephrectomy and right-sided partial nephrectomy
 - Pathology consistent with clear cell carcinoma
- Lost to follow-up → re-presented with metastatic disease (intermediate risk), psoriasis (controlled)
- NGS: MUTYH germline mutation | VHL somatic mutation
- **Treatment plan:** Pembrolizumab plus axitinib

Questions

- Would the faculty consider discontinuing pembrolizumab if his psoriasis was to get worse?
- What would be their second-line therapy if the patient experiences disease progression?
- What would be their recommendation for family screening in someone who has germline mutations such as MUTYH mutation?
- How do you dissect the differences between immunotherapy and TKI side effects, because there are times that they overlap?

FDA Approves Nivolumab with Cabozantinib for Advanced RCC

Press Release: January 22, 2021

“On January 22, 2021, the Food and Drug Administration approved the combination of nivolumab and cabozantinib as first-line treatment for patients with advanced renal cell carcinoma (RCC).

Efficacy was evaluated in CHECKMATE-9ER (NCT03141177), a randomized, open-label trial in patients with previously untreated advanced RCC. Patients were randomized to receive either nivolumab 240 mg over 30 minutes every 2 weeks in combination with cabozantinib 40 mg orally once daily (n=323) or sunitinib 50 mg orally daily for the first 4 weeks of a 6-week cycle (4 weeks on treatment followed by 2 weeks off) (n=328).”

Nivolumab plus cabozantinib versus sunitinib in first-line treatment for advanced renal cell carcinoma: first results from the randomized phase 3 CheckMate 9ER trial

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CheckMate 9ER: Study design

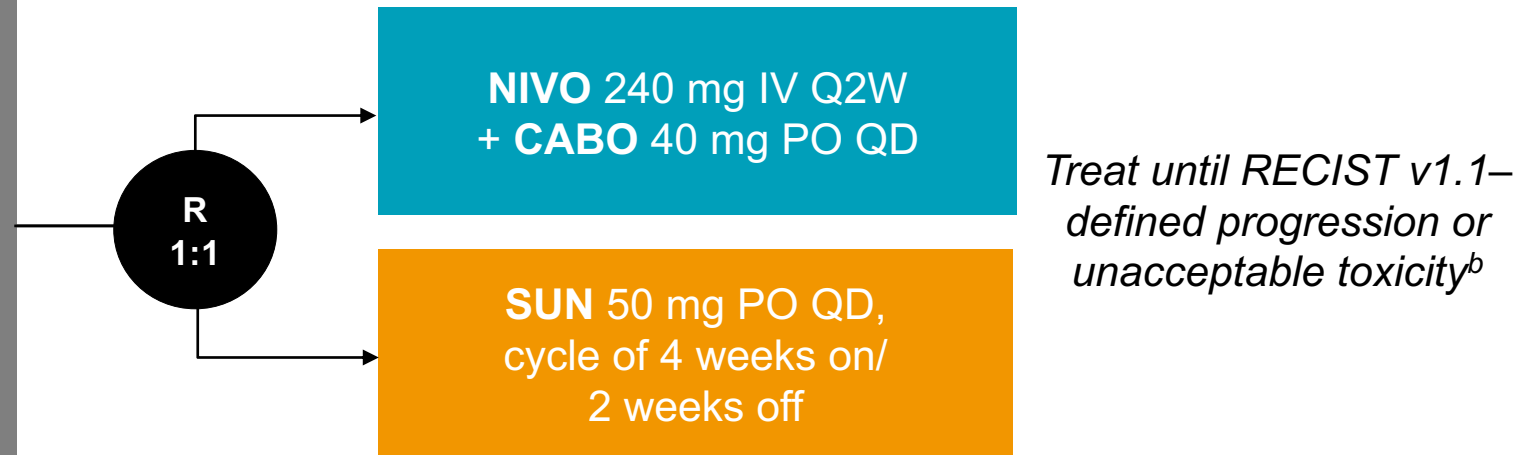
N = 651

Key inclusion criteria^{1,2}

- Previously untreated advanced or metastatic RCC with a clear cell component
- Any IMDC risk group
- No prior systemic therapy

Stratification factors:

- IMDC risk score
- Tumor PD-L1 expression^a
- Geographic region



Median study follow-up, 18.1 months (range, 10.6–30.6 months)

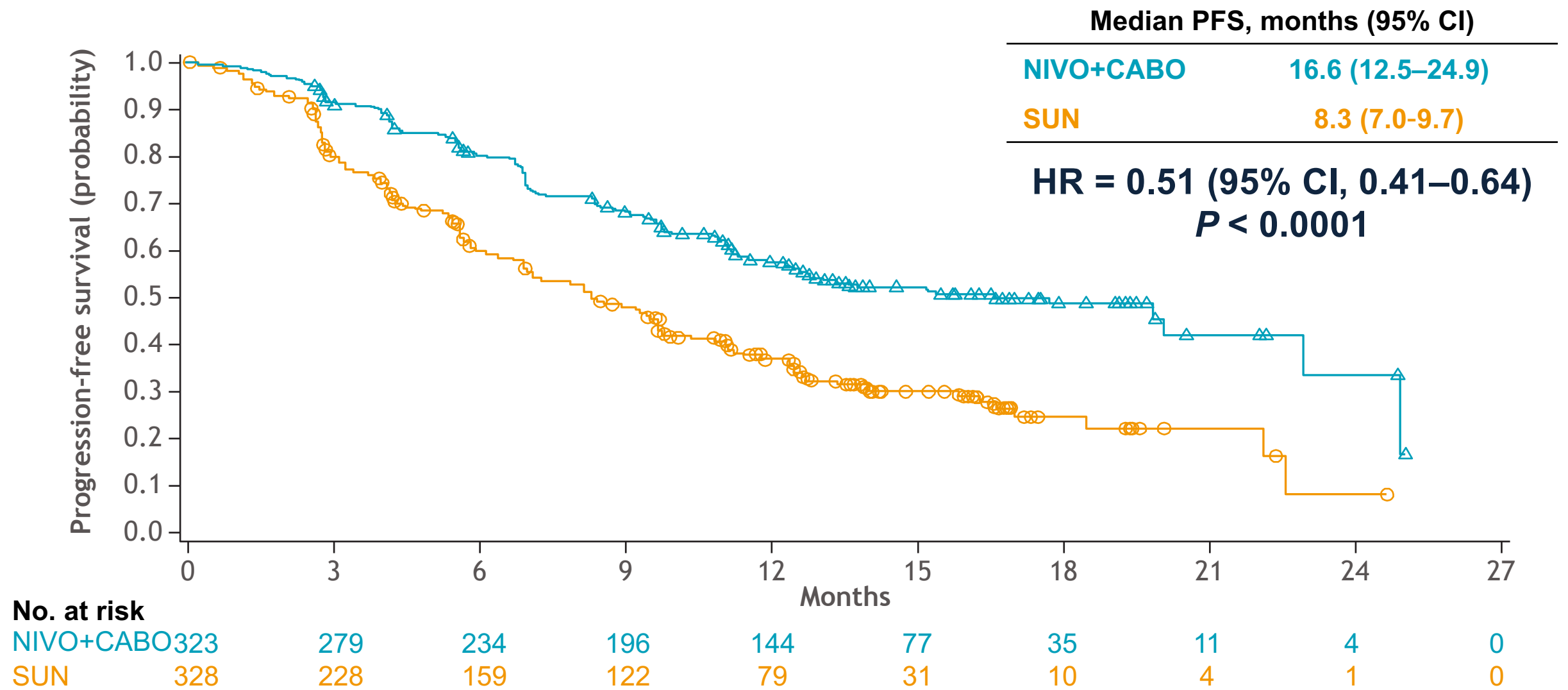
^aDefined as the percent of positive tumor cell membrane staining in a minimum of 100 evaluable tumor cells per validated Dako PD-L1 immunohistochemistry assay.

^bNIVO dosing may not exceed a total of 2 years (from cycle 1); CABO and SUN treatment may continue beyond 2 years in the absence of progression or unacceptable toxicity. Patients may be treated beyond progression.

IMDC, International Metastatic Renal Cell Carcinoma Database Consortium; IV, intravenously; PD-L1, programmed death ligand 1; PO, orally; Q2W, every 2 weeks; QD, once daily; RECIST, Response Evaluation Criteria in Solid Tumors.

1. clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/NCT03141177. Accessed June 8, 2020; 2. Choueiri et al. Poster presented at the American Society of Clinical Oncology Annual Meeting 2018. TPS4598.

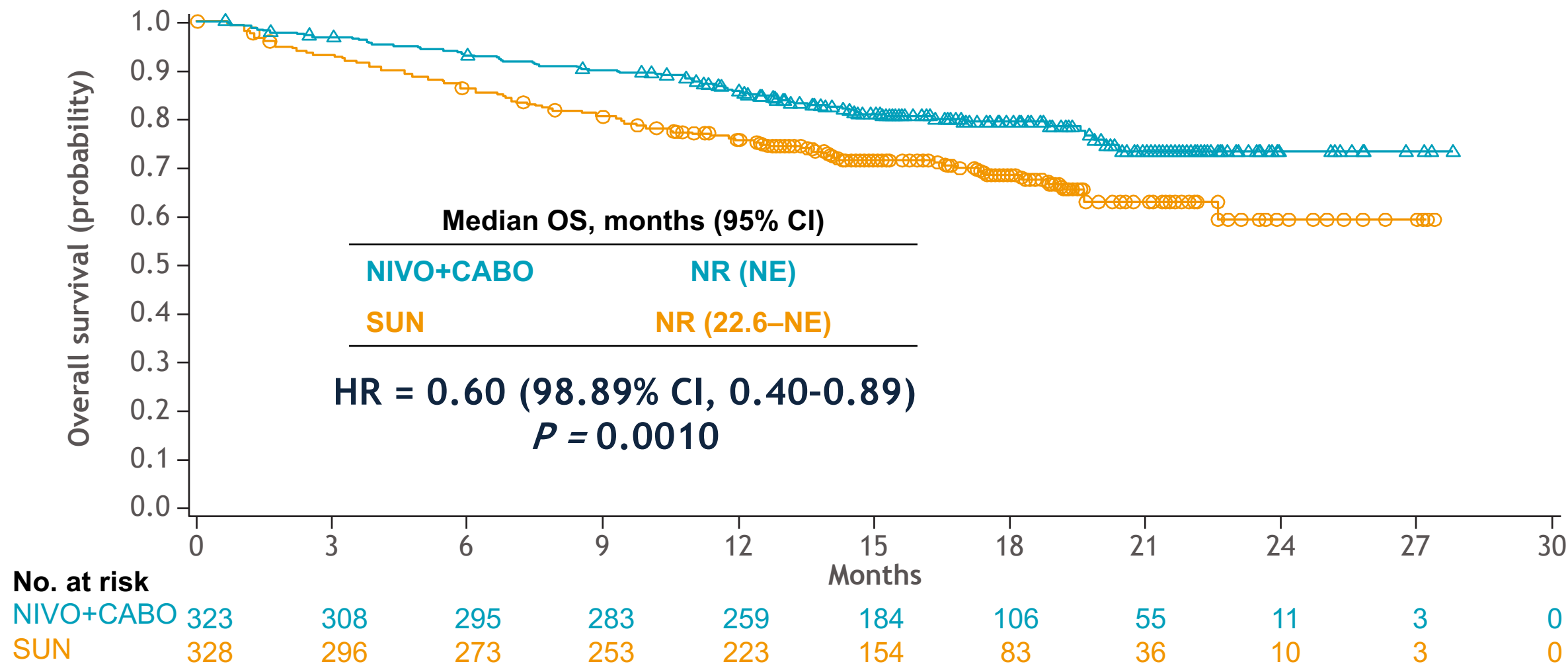
CheckMate 9ER: Progression-free survival per BICR



Minimum study follow-up, 10.6 months.

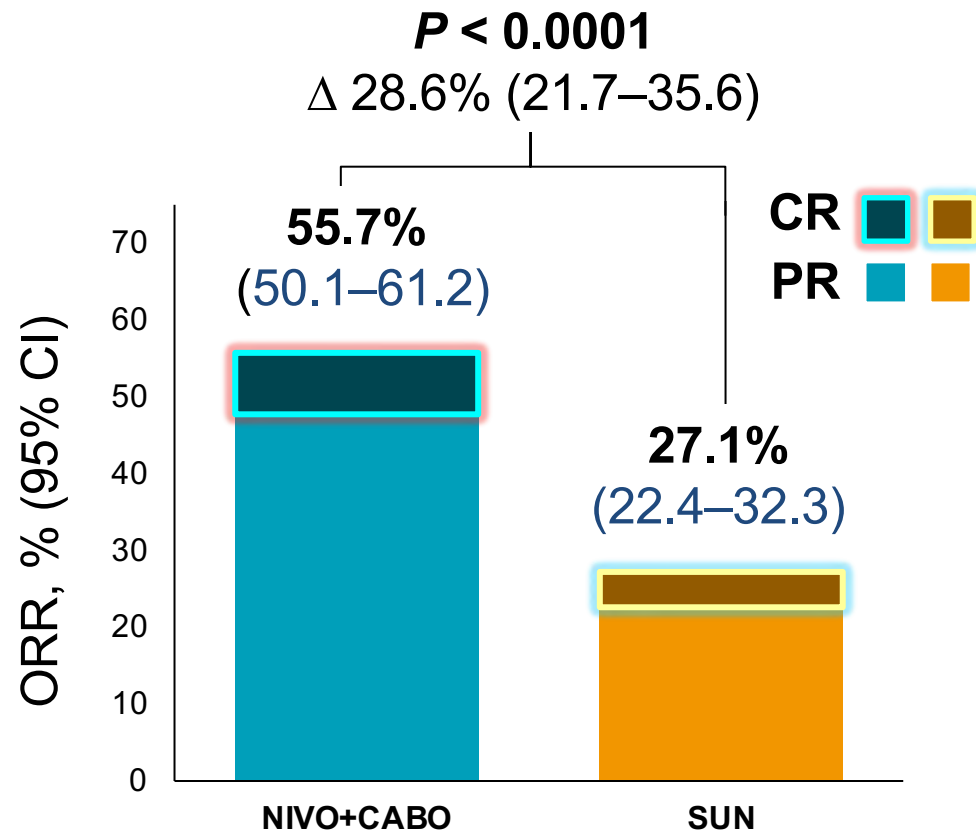
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CheckMate 9ER: Overall survival



Minimum study follow-up, 10.6 months.
NE, not estimable; NR, not reached.

Objective response and best overall response per BICR



Outcome, %	NIVO+CABO (N = 323)	SUN (N = 328)
Complete response	8.0	4.6
Partial response	47.7	22.6
Stable disease	32.2	42.1
Progressive disease	5.6	13.7
Not evaluable/not assessed ^a	6.5	17.1
Median time to response (range), months ^b	2.8 (1.0–19.4)	4.2 (1.7–12.3)
Median duration of response (95% CI), months ^b	20.2 (17.3–NE)	11.5 (8.3–18.4)

- ORR favored NIVO+CABO over SUN across subgroups including by IMDC risk status, tumor PD-L1 expression ($\geq 1\%$ vs $< 1\%$), and bone metastases

BICR-assessed ORR and BOR by RECIST v1.1.

^aIncludes patients who were never treated, those who discontinued/died before disease assessment, those without measurable disease at baseline per BICR, or other reason not reported/specified; ^bMedian time to and duration of response were calculated for patients who had a complete or partial response (n = 180 with NIVO+CABO, n = 89 patients with SUN).

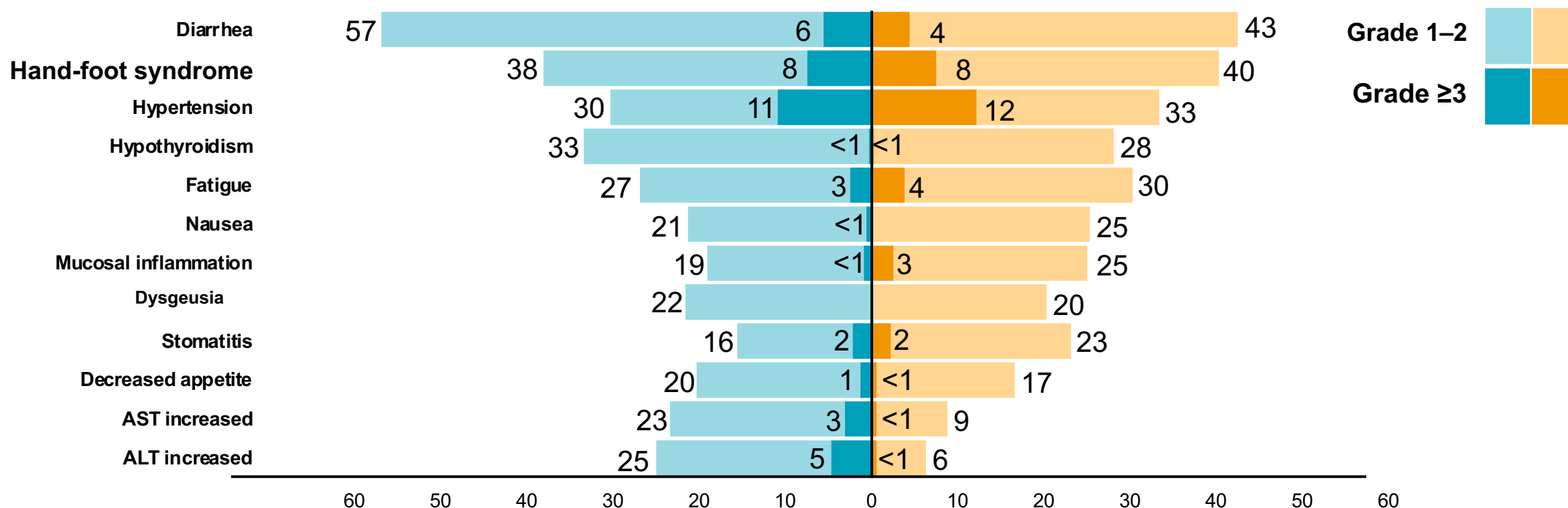
CheckMate 9ER: Safety Summary

NIVO+CABO, N = 320

SUN, N = 320

Events, % ^a	Any grade	Grade ≥ 3	Any grade	Grade ≥ 3
All-cause AEs	100	75	99	71
Treatment-related AEs	97	61	93	51

Treatment-related AEs
occurring in ≥20% of treated
patients, %^b



^aIncludes events that occurred on therapy or within 30 days after the end of the treatment period of all treated patients. Treatment-related deaths per investigator: NIVO+CABO n = 1 (small intestine perforation), SUN n = 2 (pneumonia, respiratory distress); ^bTotal bar represents treatment-related AEs of any grade ≥ 20% in either treatment arm; of these events, none were grade 5.

Phase 3 trial of lenvatinib plus pembrolizumab or everolimus versus sunitinib monotherapy as a first-line treatment for patients with advanced renal cell carcinoma (CLEAR study)

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CLEAR: Phase III Trial Design

Key eligibility criteria

- Advanced clear-cell RCC
- Treatment-naïve
- Karnofsky performance status ≥ 70
- Measurable disease
- Adequate organ function

Stratification factors

- **Geographic region:** Western Europe and North America vs Rest of the World
- **MSKCC risk category:** Favorable, Intermediate, or Poor

R (1:1:1)

Lenvatinib
20 mg oral QD
+
Pembrolizumab*
200 mg IV Q3W

Lenvatinib
18 mg oral QD
+
Everolimus
5 mg oral QD

Sunitinib
50 mg oral QD
4 weeks on /
2 weeks off

Primary endpoint

- PFS by IRC per RECIST v1.1

Secondary endpoints

- OS
- ORR by IRC per RECIST v1.1
- Safety
- HRQoL

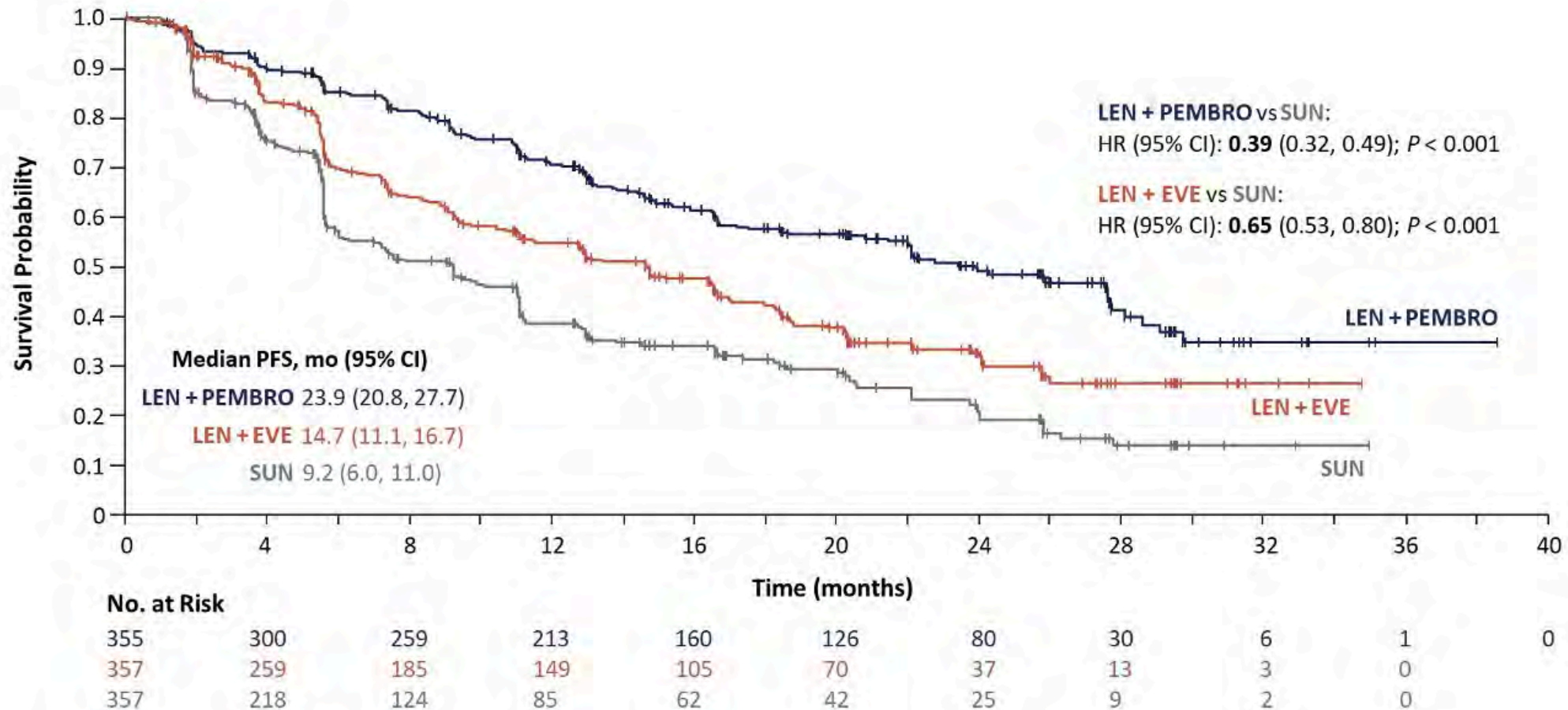
Key exploratory endpoints

- DOR
- Biomarkers

*Patients could receive a maximum of 35 pembrolizumab treatments.

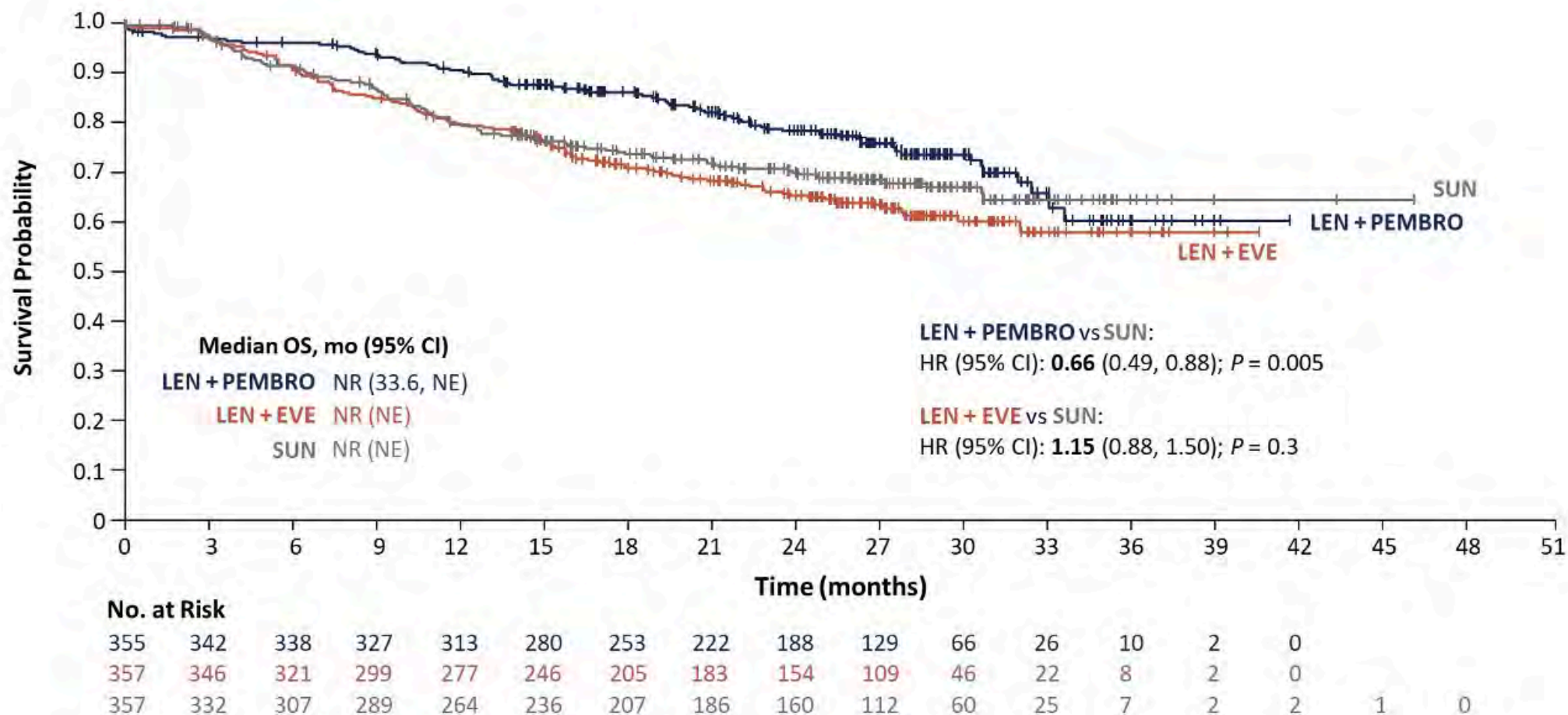
DOR, duration of response; HRQoL, Health-related quality of life; IRC, Independent Review Committee; MKSCC, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center; ORR, objective response rate; OS, overall survival; R, randomization.

CLEAR: Progression-Free Survival



*By Independent Review Committee per RECIST v1.1.

CLEAR: Overall Survival



NE, not estimable; NR, not reached.

CLEAR: Response and Survival Analyses

	LEN + PEMBRO (n = 355)	LEN + EVE (n = 357)	SUNITINIB (n = 357)
Median PFS	24 mo	15 mo	9 mo
PFS HR vs SUN <i>p</i> -value	0.39 <i>p</i> < 0.0001	0.65 <i>p</i> < 0.0001	—
Median OS	NR	NR	NR
OS HR vs SUN <i>p</i> -value	0.66 <i>p</i> = 0.0049	1.15 <i>p</i> = 0.2975	—
24-month OS rate	79%	66%	70%
ORR	71%	54%	36%
ORR odds ratio vs SUN Descriptive <i>p</i> -value	4.35 <i>p</i> < 0.0001	2.15 <i>p</i> < 0.0001	—
Complete response	16%	10%	4%
Median DoR	26 mo	17 mo	15 mo

Indirect comparison of the 4 regimens available.

	CheckMate 214 (Ipi/Nivo) ¹ (n=550 vs n=546)	KEYNOTE-426 (Axi/Pembro) ² (n=432 vs n=429)	CheckMate 9ER (Cabo/Nivo) ³ (n=323 vs n=328)	CLEAR (Len/Pembro) ⁴ (N=355 vs n=357)
mOS, months HR (CI);	NR vs 38.4 0.69 (0.59–0.81);	NR vs 35.7 0.68 (0.55–0.85);	NR vs NR 0.60 (0.40–0.89);	NR vs NR 0.66 (0.49–0.88)
Landmark OS 12 mo	83% vs. 78%	90% vs. 79%	87% vs. 78% (est)	90% vs 79% (est.)
Landmark OS 24 mo	71% vs. 61%	74% vs. 66%	74% vs 60% (est)	79% vs. 70%
mPFS, months HR (CI)	12.2 vs 12.3 0.89 (0.76–1.05)	15.4 vs 11.1 0.71 (0.60–0.84)	16.6 vs 8.3 0.51 (0.41–0.64)	23.9 vs 9.2 0.39 (0.32–0.49)
ORR, %	39 vs 32	60 vs 40	56 vs 27	71 vs 36
CR, %	11 vs 3	9 vs 3	8 vs 5	16 vs 4
Med f/u, months	55	30.6	18.1	27
Prognostic risk, %				
Favorable	23	32	23	31
Intermediate	61	55	58	59
Poor	17	13	19	9
Prior nephrectomy	82%	83%	69%	74%
Subsequent systemic therapies for sunitinib arm, %	Overall (69%) IO (42%)	Overall (69%) IO (48%)	Overall (40%) IO (29%)	NR

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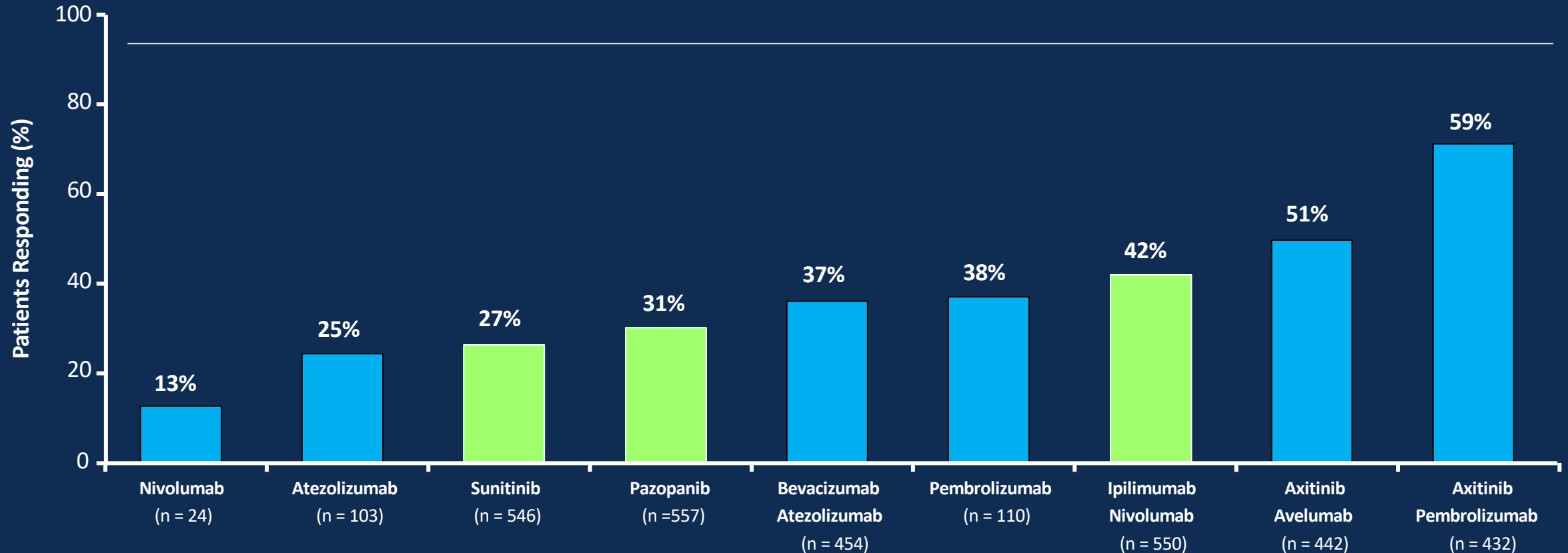
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Response Rates in Frontline Metastatic ccRCC (ITT; All Risk Groups)



Regulatory and reimbursement issues aside, which first-line therapy would you recommend for a 65-year-old patient with a history of nephrectomy for clear cell RCC who on routine follow-up 3 years later is found to have asymptomatic bone metastases (PS = 0)?

1. Nivolumab/ipilimumab
2. Avelumab/axitinib
3. Pembrolizumab/axitinib
4. Pembrolizumab/lenvatinib
5. Nivolumab/cabozantinib
6. Tyrosine kinase inhibitor (TKI) monotherapy
7. Anti-PD-1/PD-L1 monotherapy
8. Other

Regulatory and reimbursement issues aside, which first-line therapy would you recommend for a 65-year-old patient who presents with clear cell RCC with multiple painful bone metastases and hemoglobin (Hb) of 11.4 g/dL (PS = 1)?

1. Nivolumab/ipilimumab
2. Avelumab/axitinib
3. Pembrolizumab/axitinib
4. Pembrolizumab/lenvatinib
5. Nivolumab/cabozantinib
6. TKI monotherapy
7. Anti-PD-1/PD-L1 monotherapy
8. Other

In general, which first-line therapy would you recommend for a 65-year-old patient who presents with metastatic clear cell RCC and for whom the use of immune checkpoint inhibitors is contraindicated?

1. Sunitinib
2. Pazopanib
3. Cabozantinib
4. Axitinib
5. Other

Case Presentation – Dr Yap: A 60-year-old man presenting with weight loss and RCC metastatic to the lungs



Dr Kelly Yap

- Presented with significant weight loss, flank pain
- Diagnosed with Stage IV RCC with thoracic metastases
- Underwent cytoreductive nephrectomy
- Following surgery, decision was made for systemic therapy prior to metastasectomy
- Patient was treated with ipilimumab/nivolumab

Questions

- Is there still a role for cytoreductive nephrectomy in this era of immunotherapy and antiangiogenic TKIs?
- How do you choose between first-line ipilimumab and nivolumab versus axitinib with pembrolizumab in poor-risk disease? How about the combination of cabozantinib and nivolumab?
- How would you approach a case if the patient has an absolute contraindication to immune checkpoint inhibitors?

Case Presentation – Dr Zafar: An 85-year-old man with metastatic RCC



Dr Syed Zafar

- 2001: History of left nephrectomy
- History of remote adrenal insufficiency post abdominal surgery
 - Physiologic doses of steroids for 20+ years
- 2019: New onset pulmonary effusion
 - Pleural fluid thoracentesis reveals malignant cells
 - Further staging scans reveal pulmonary nodules, fulminant abdominal adenopathy, pleural based lung metastases
- Consistent with clear cell carcinoma
- Patient is quite symptomatic

Questions

- What would the faculty consider as a first-line treatment at this point in time, given the fact he's been on steroids?
- I would not consider ipi/nivo for this patient. So, the question would be a single agent versus a combination IO/axitinib?

Agenda

Module 1: Front-line treatment of advanced renal cell carcinoma (RCC)

- Dr Zafar: A 53-year-old man with RCC initially treated as head and neck carcinoma
- Dr Gosain: A 67-year-old man with metastatic RCC
- Dr Yap: A 60-year-old man with Stage IV clear cell RCC
- Dr Zafar: An 85-year-old man with metastatic RCC

Module 2: Sequencing of therapies for relapsed/refractory RCC

- Dr Plimack: A 24-year-old woman with translocation clear cell RCC

Module 3: Novel approaches for advanced RCC

Module 4: Sarcomatoid RCC

Phase 2 trial of lenvatinib plus pembrolizumab for disease progression after PD-1/PD-L1 immune checkpoint inhibitor (ICI) in metastatic clear cell renal cell carcinoma

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Study Design for the Phase 2 RCC Cohort

Key Inclusion Criteria

- Metastatic clear cell RCC
- Measurable disease per irRECIST¹
- Disease progression after PD-1/PD-L1 treatment:
 - ≥ 2 doses of anti-PD-1/PD-L1
 - Defined by RECIST v1.1; confirmed ≥ 4 weeks

Study Treatment

Lenvatinib^a
20 mg/day PO
+
Pembrolizumab^b
200 mg/3 weeks IV

Primary End Point^c

- Objective response rate at week 24

Secondary End Points

- Objective response rate^c
- Progression-free survival^c
- Overall survival
- Safety and tolerability

^a Dose reductions to lenvatinib 14 mg/day, 10 mg/day, 8 mg/day and 4 mg/day were allowed to manage toxicities; dose reductions below 4 mg/day were discussed with the sponsor; ^b maximum of 35 treatments (approximately 2 years); ^c per irRECIST, by investigator assessment.

1. Perrone A. Immuno-Oncology 360° conference. New York, NY. 2016.
IV, intravenously; PO, by mouth; RECIST v1.1, Response Evaluation Criteria In Solid Tumors version 1.1.

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Tumor Response by Investigator Assessment

Parameter	irRECIST N = 104	RECIST v1.1 ^a N = 104
ORR at week 24, % (95% CI)	51 (41–61)	—
ORR, % (95% CI)	55 (45–65)	52 (42–62)
Best objective response, %		
Partial response	55	52
Stable disease	36	38
Progressive disease	5	6
Not evaluable	5	5
Median DOR, months (95% CI)	12 (9–18)	12 (9–18)

^a Up to 10 target lesions could be selected (up to 5 per organ).

DOR, duration of response.

Salvage Ipilimumab and Nivolumab in Patients With Metastatic Renal Cell Carcinoma After Prior Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors

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Retrospective Analysis: Salvage Ipilimumab with Nivolumab for mRCC After Prior ICI Targeting PD-1

- Patients with mRCC included in the study (n = 45)
- All patients received prior ICI targeting the PD-1 pathway
- The median age was 62 years (range, 21-82 years)
- Median follow-up on Ipi/Nivo: 12 months
- Objective response rate: 20%
- Median PFS: 4 months (range, 0.8-19 months)
- irAEs with Ipi/Nivo:
 - Any Grade, 29 (64%)
 - Grade 3, 6 (13%)
- **Conclusion:** Ipi/Nivo demonstrated antitumor activity with acceptable toxicity in patients with mRCC who had received prior ICI therapy

Tivozanib in Patients with Advanced Renal Cell Carcinoma (aRCC) who have Progressed After Prior Treatment with Axitinib: Results from TIVO-3

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TIVO-3: Pivotal Trial in RCC

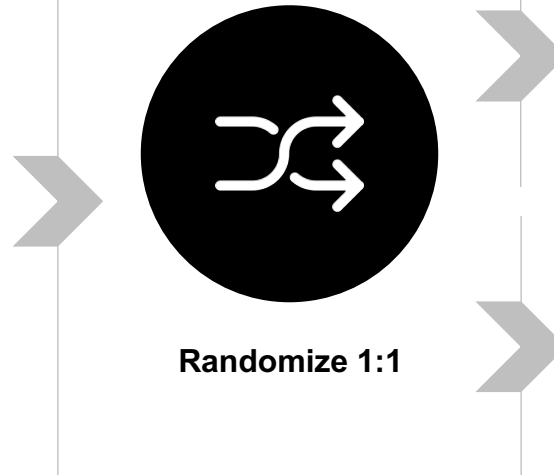
TIVO-3

Phase 3, Randomized, Controlled, Multi-Center, Open-Label Study to Compare Tivozanib to Sorafenib in Subjects With R/R RCC

Tivozanib is an orally bioavailable inhibitor of VEGFR-1/2/3.

N = 350

- Histologically / cytologically confirmed recurrent/metastatic RCC
- ECOG PS 0 or 1
- Failed at least two prior regimens including VEGFR-TKI
- Stratified by IMDC and prior regimen (TKI-TKI; TKI-CPI; TKI-Other)



Treatment Until Progression*

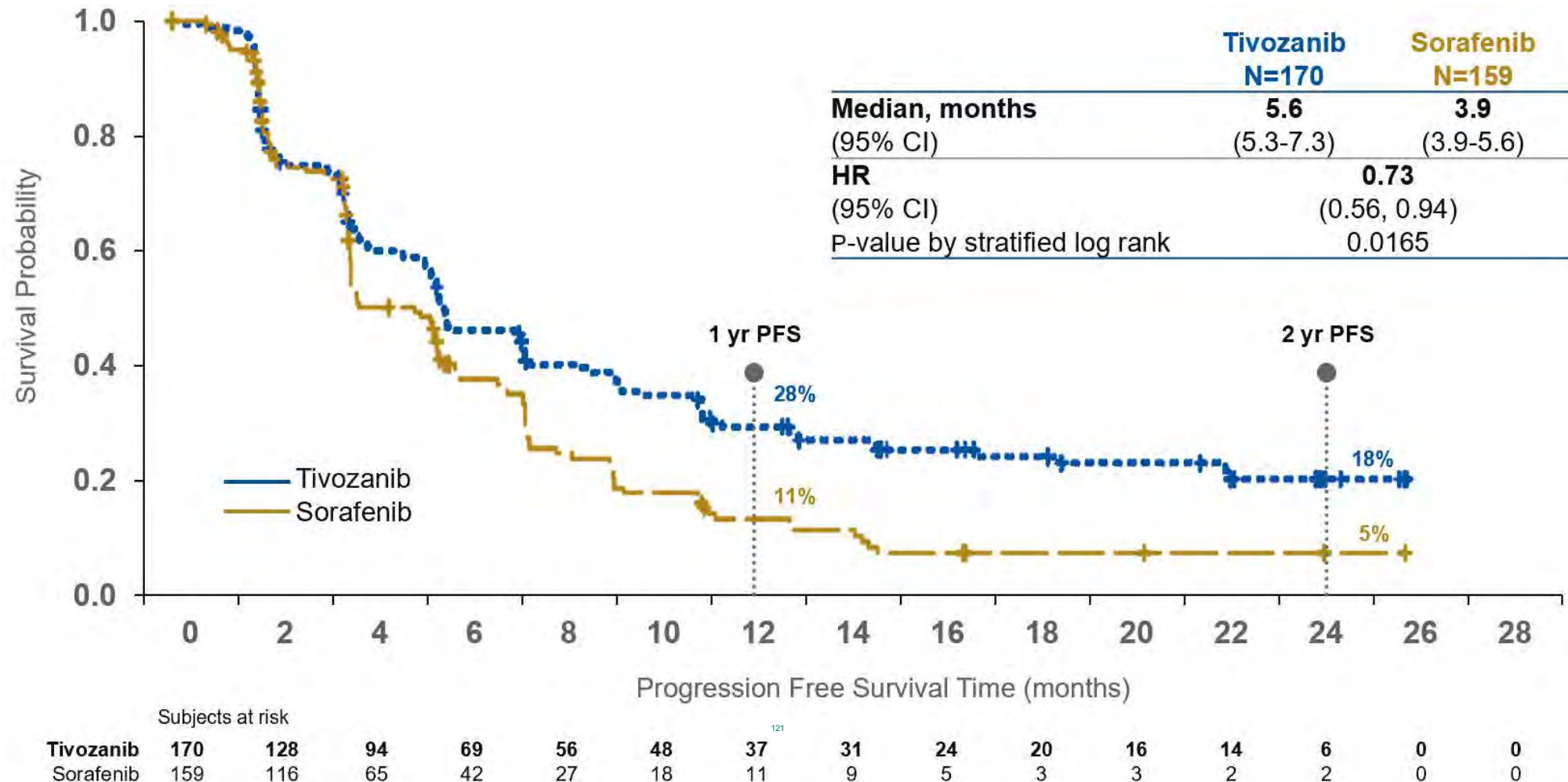


Endpoints

- Primary: PFS
- Secondary: OS, ORR, DoR, Safety and Tolerability

Results published in Lancet Oncology in December 2019

TIVO-3: Met Primary Endpoint of Superior PFS in aRCC Patients treated with 2 or 3 prior regimens



Primary PFS endpoint final analyses, Oct 4, 2018

Courtesy of Thomas E Hutson, DO, PharmD

Tivozanib after Axitinib in the TIVO-3 Study

Clinical Outcome	No. of pts (n)	PFS HR	95% CI	Tivo ORR	Sora ORR
ITT	350	0.73	0.56, 0.94	18%	8%
Any prior axitinib	172	0.66	0.46, 0.93	13%	8%

**Have you administered or would you administer nivolumab/
ipilimumab to a patient with metastatic RCC who had received
a prior checkpoint inhibitor either alone or in combination with
an anti-angiogenic agent?**

1. I have
2. I have not but would for the right patient
3. I have not and would not

In general, what would you recommend as second-line treatment for a 65-year-old patient (PS 0) with metastatic clear cell RCC who receives first-line pembrolizumab/axitinib and experiences disease progression after 12 months?

1. Sunitinib
2. Pazopanib
3. Cabozantinib
4. Sorafenib
5. Nivolumab/ipilimumab
6. Nivolumab/cabozantinib
7. Lenvatinib + everolimus
8. Other

Case Presentation – Dr Plimack: A 24-year-old woman with translocation clear cell RCC – Part 1



Dr Elizabeth Plimack

- 2011: Right partial nephrectomy. T1aN0M0
- 2012: Local recurrence
- 2012 – 2014: Observation of slow growing metastatic disease x 2 years
- 2014: Ipilimumab + nivolumab on study → colitis
 - Resolved with steroid, taper is complete
 - Imaging revealed resolution of lung metastases but slight progression of abdominal metastases

Case Presentation – Dr Plimack: A 24-year-old woman with translocation clear cell RCC – Part 2



Dr Elizabeth Plimack

- 2011: Right partial nephrectomy. T1aN0M0
- 2012: Local recurrence
- 2012 – 2014: Observation of slow growing metastatic disease x 2 years
- 2014: Ipilimumab + nivolumab on study → colitis
 - Resolved with steroid, taper is complete
 - Imaging revealed resolution of lung metastases but slight progression of abdominal metastases
- Re-challenged with single-agent nivolumab
 - Adrenal insufficiency, hypothyroidism, treated with replacement therapy
- Severe infusion reactions, mitigated with premeds
- Observed for a number of years without treatment
- Cabozantinib active with dose mitigation

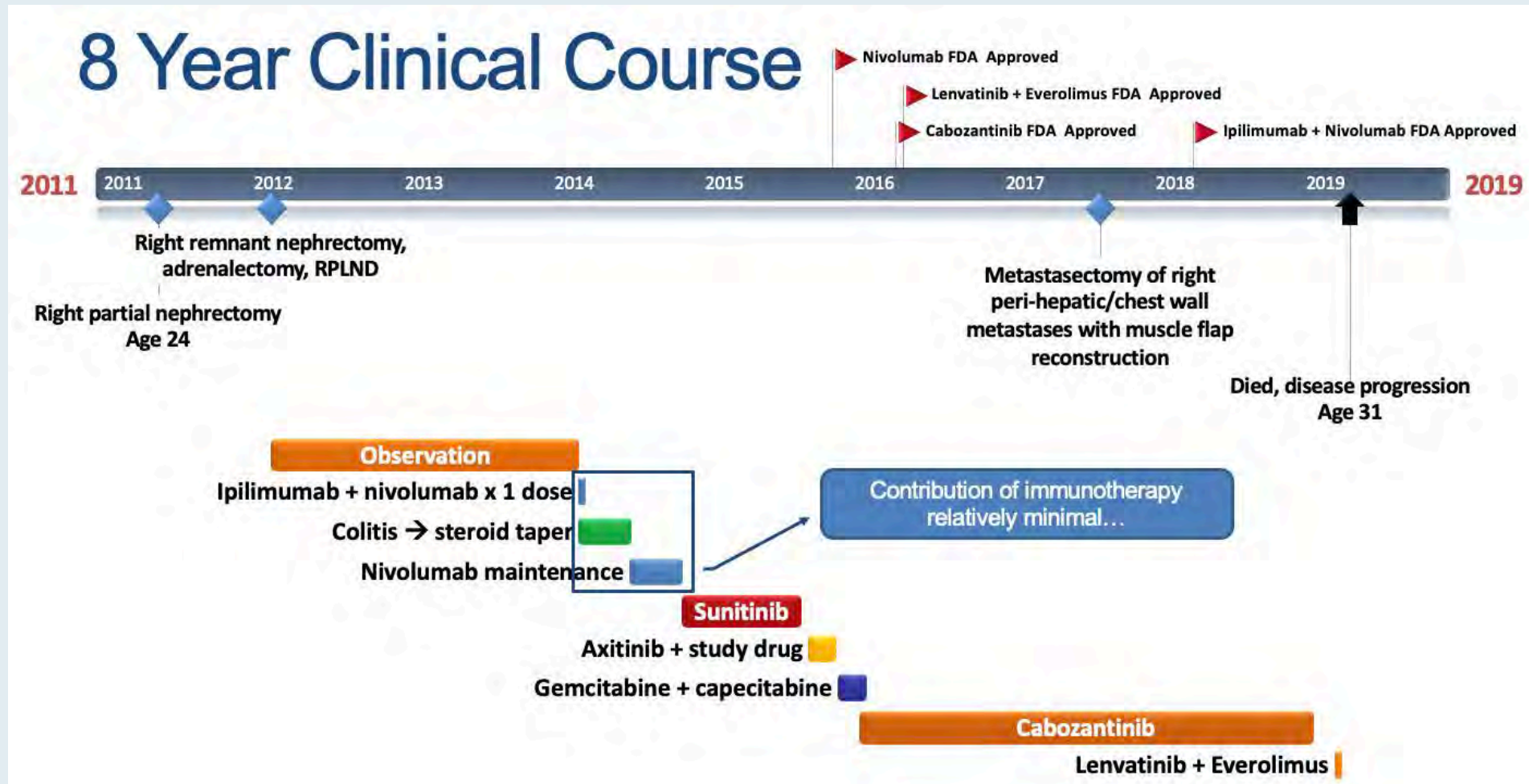
Question

- How would the faculty treat a patient such as this today?

Case Presentation – Dr Plimack: A 24-year-old woman with translocation clear cell RCC



Dr Elizabeth Plimack



Efficacy of cabozantinib in advanced MiT family translocation renal cell carcinoma

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Retrospective Analysis of Cabozantinib for Advanced RCC with MiT Family Translocation: ORR and Safety

Outcome	Rate %, N = 24
Objective response rate, %	4 (16.7%)
Best overall response, %	
Complete response	1 (4.2%)
Partial response	3 (12.5%)
Stable disease	11 (45.8%)
Progressive disease	9 (37.5%)

	N = 24
Treatment-related grade 3-4 adverse events, %	9 (37.5%)
Treatment-related adverse events leading to discontinuation, %	5 (20.8%)
Treatment-related deaths, n	0

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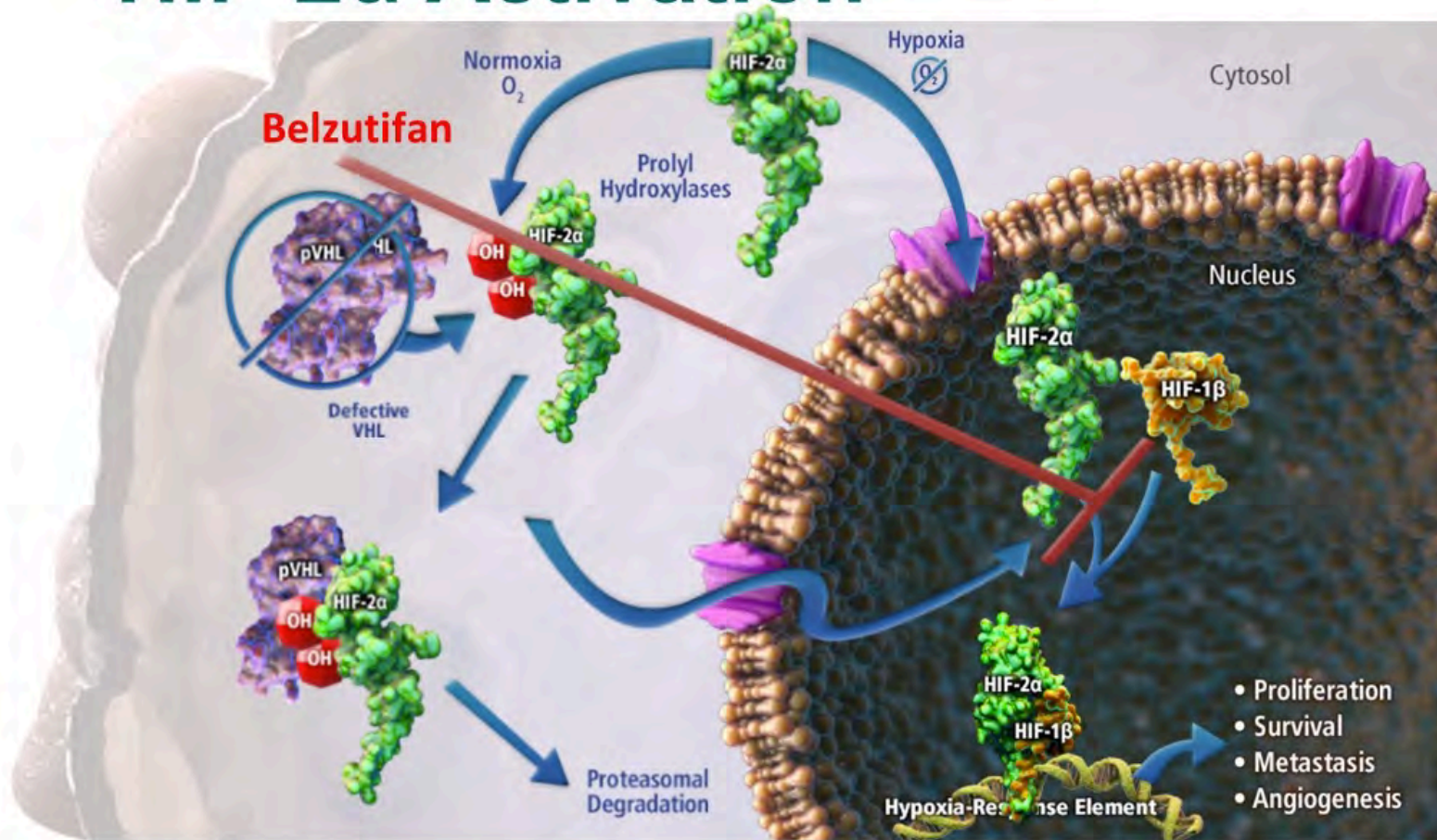
The Oral HIF-2 α Inhibitor Belzutifan (MK-6482) in Patients With Advanced Clear Cell Renal Cell Carcinoma: Updated Follow-up of a Phase 1/2 Study

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pVHL Deficiency Results in HIF-2 α Activation



- 90% of patients with sporadic ccRCC have defective pVHL function¹
- Loss of pVHL function results in constitutive activation of HIF-2 α ²
- Belzutifan is a potent, selective, small molecule HIF-2 α inhibitor

1. Linehan WM, Ricketts CJ. *Nat Rev Urol*. 2019;16:539-552. 2. Couvé S et al. *Cancer Res*. 2014;74:6554-6564.

Best Confirmed Objective Response by RECIST v1.1 per Investigator Assessment (dose-escalation cohorts)

Efficacy Parameter, n (%) [95%CI]	20 mg QD N = 6	40 mg QD N = 6	80 mg QD N = 6	120 mg QD N = 6	160 mg QD N = 6	240 mg QD N = 7	120 mg BID N = 6
Objective Response Rate	0	0	0	1 (17) [0.4-64]	2 (33) [4-78]	2 (29) [4-71]	1 (17) [0.4-64]
Complete Response (CR)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Partial Response (PR)	0	0	0	1 (17) ^a	2 (33) ^b	2 (29) ^a	1 (17) ^a
Stable Disease (SD)	2 (33)	2 (33)	2 (33)	3 (50)	3 (50)	1 (14)	2 (33)
Disease Control Rate (CR + PR + SD)	2 (33) [4-78]	2 (33) [4-78]	2 (33) [4-78]	4 (67) [22-96]	5 (83) [36-100]	3 (43) [10-82]	3 (50) [12-88]
Progressive Disease	3 (50)	2 (33)	3 (50)	2 (33)	1 (17)	2 (29)	3 (50)
Not Evaluable	1 (17)	2 (33)	1 (17)	0	0	2 (29)	0

^aAll responses in ccRCC; ^bResponses observed in ccRCC (n = 1) and anaplastic ependymoma (n=1). Data cutoff: June 1, 2020.

Summary of Adverse Events (ccRCC cohort)

n (%)	N = 55
Any grade AE	55 (100)
Grade 3-5 AE	39 (71)
Any grade treatment-related AEs	53 (96)
Grade 3-5 treatment-related AE	22 (40)
Discontinuation of treatment due to an AE ^a	5 (9)
Discontinuation of treatment due to a treatment-related AE ^b	2 (4)
Deaths due to an AE ^c	4 (7)
Death due to a treatment-related AE	0 (0)

- Fifty-three patients (96%) had a treatment-related AE
 - Twenty-two patients (40%) had a grade 3 treatment-related AE
 - There were no grade 4/5 treatment-related AEs
 - Two patients (4%) discontinued due to a treatment-related AE (both hypoxia)^b

^a5 patients experienced 7 adverse events (hypoxia [n = 2], abdominal pain [n = 1], cardiac arrest [n = 1], decreased appetite [n = 1], disease progression [n = 1], and fatigue [n = 1]).

^bOne patient discontinued treatment due to grade 2 hypoxia and one patient discontinued due to grade 3 hypoxia. ^cDeaths were due to disease progression (n = 1), malignant neoplasm progression (n = 1), acute kidney injury (n = 1), and cardiac arrest (n = 1). Data cutoff: June 1, 2020.

Phase 2 Study of the Oral Hypoxia-Inducible Factor 2 α Inhibitor Belzutifan (MK-6482) in Combination With Cabozantinib in Patients With Advanced Clear Cell Renal Cell Carcinoma

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Study Design (NCT03634540)

Key Eligibility Criteria

- Advanced or metastatic ccRCC
- Either treatment naive or has received prior PD-1/L1 immunotherapy and ≤ 2 regimens for locally advanced or metastatic RCC
- ECOG PS 0 or 1

Cohort 1:
Treatment-naive
belzutifan 120 mg/day +
cabozantinib 60 mg/day
N \approx 50

Cohort 2:
Prior immunotherapy treatment
belzutifan 120 mg/day +
cabozantinib 60 mg/day
N \approx 50

Safety and tolerability were evaluated in the first 6 participants enrolled, irrespective of cohort

- If tolerability was established, enrollment continued
- If tolerability was not established, dose was reviewed

Assessments

- Q8W after week 9 for 12 months and then Q12W thereafter

Posttreatment

- 28-day safety follow-up
- Follow-up visits every 6 months

End Points

- Primary: ORR
- Secondary: PFS, TTR, DOR, OS, safety/ tolerability, PK/PD

Data cutoff: October 15, 2020.

Best Confirmed Objective Response: Efficacy Analysis Set

Efficacy Parameter, n (%) [95%CI]	Efficacy Analysis Set N = 41
Objective response rate (CR + PR)	9 (22) [11-38]
Disease control rate (CR + PR + SD)	37 (90) [77-97]
Best response	
Complete response	0 (0)
Partial response	9 (22)
Stable disease	28 (68)
Unconfirmed partial response ^a	5 (12)
Progressive disease	3 (7)
Not available	1 (2)

^aDocumented at one time point and to be confirmed at a subsequent time point.
Data cutoff: October 15, 2020.

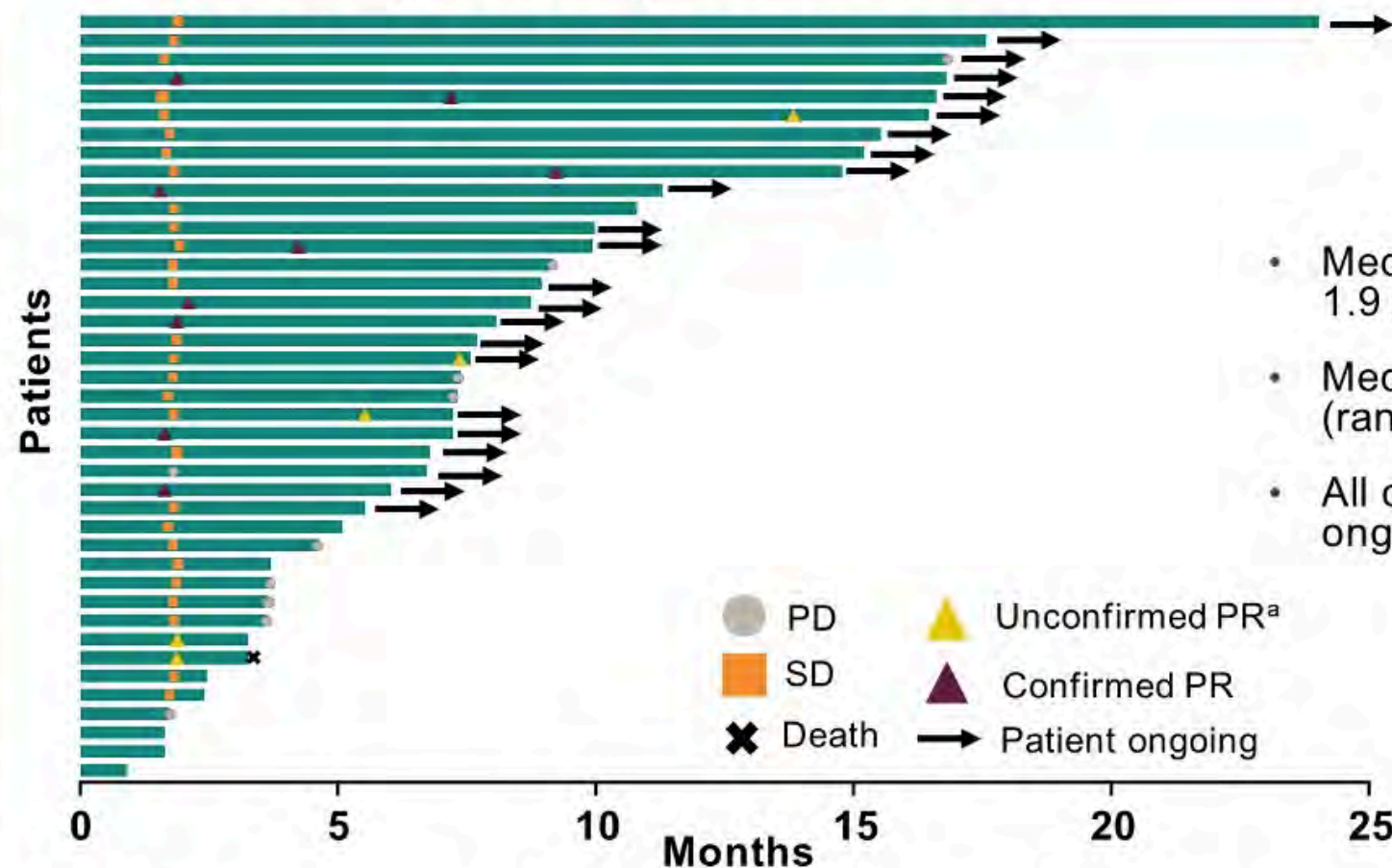
Best Tumor Change From Baseline: Efficacy Analysis Set

- 36 of 41 patients (88%) experienced a reduction in target lesion size^a



^aOne patient had a response of "not available" and was recorded as having no change from baseline value. ^bDocumented at one time point and to be confirmed at a subsequent time point. Data cutoff: October 15, 2020.

Time to Response and Response Duration: Efficacy Analysis Set



- Median time to response was 1.9 months (range, 1.5-9.2)
- Median DOR was not reached (range, 3.7+ to 14.8+ months)
- All confirmed responses were ongoing as of the data cutoff date



^aDocumented at one time point and to be confirmed at a subsequent time point. "+" indicates ongoing response. Data cutoff: October 15, 2020.

Summary of Adverse Events: Safety Analysis Set^a

n (%)	N = 52
Any grade treatment-emergent AE	52 (100)
Any grade treatment-related AE	51 (98)
Related to belzutifan	51 (98)
Related to cabozantinib	51 (98)
Grade 3-5 treatment-emergent AEs	35 (67)
Grade 3 ^b treatment-related AEs	31 (60)
Related to belzutifan	17 (33)
Related to cabozantinib	28 (54)
Serious treatment-emergent AEs	16 (31)
Serious treatment-related AEs	7 (13)
Related to belzutifan	4 (8)
Related to cabozantinib	4 (8)

n (%)	N = 52
Deaths due to a treatment-emergent AE	1 (2) ^c
Deaths due to a treatment-related AE	0 (0)
Belzutifan dose reduced ^d	10 (19)
Cabozantinib dose reduced ^e	25 (48)
Discontinued any drug due to a treatment-emergent AE	8 (15)
Discontinued belzutifan ^f	6 (12)
Discontinued cabozantinib ^g	8 (15)

^aAll patients who received ≥1 dose of treatment. ^bThere were no grade 4 or 5 treatment-related AEs. ^cDeath due to disease progression. ^dTen patients had 14 AEs (fatigue [n=5], ALT increased [n=2], decreased appetite [n=2], anemia [n=1], diarrhea [n=1], headache [n=1], hypoxia [n=1], oral pain [n=1]). ^eTwenty-five patients had 37 AEs (fatigue [n=7], hand-foot syndrome [n=7], ALT increased [n=2], decreased appetite [n=2], nausea [n=2], platelet count decreased [n=2], stomatitis [n=2], acute kidney injury [n=1], ageusia [n=1], anemia [n=1], *Clostridium difficile* colitis [n=1], diarrhea [n=1], dysgeusia [n=1], headache [n=1], oral pain [n=1], muscle spasms [n=1], muscular weakness [n=1], noncardiac chest pain [n=1], urinary retention [n=1], vomiting [n=1]). ^fSix patients had 6 AEs (fatigue [n=2], ALT increased [n=1], anemia [n=1], disease progression [n=1], mental status changes [n=1]). ^gEight patients had 9 AEs (ALT increased [n=3], fatigue [n=2], disease progression [n=1], exertional dyspnea [n=1], mental status changes [n=1], and myocardial infarction [n=1]). Data cutoff: October 15, 2020.

FDA Grants Breakthrough Therapy Designation, Orphan Drug Designation to MK-6482

Press Release: July 29, 2020

- The US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has granted breakthrough therapy designation to the hypoxia-inducible factor-2 alpha (HIF-2 α) inhibitor MK-6482, a novel investigational candidate in the oncology pipeline, for the treatment of patients with von Hippel-Lindau (VHL) disease-associated renal cell carcinoma (RCC) with nonmetastatic RCC tumors less than 3 centimeters in size, unless immediate surgery is required.
- The FDA also granted orphan drug designation to MK-6482 for VHL disease.
- These designations are based on data from a Phase 2 trial evaluating MK-6482 in patients with VHL-associated clear cell RCC.

Sunitinib versus cabozantinib, crizotinib or savolitinib in metastatic papillary renal cell carcinoma (pRCC): Results from the randomized phase II SWOG 1500 study

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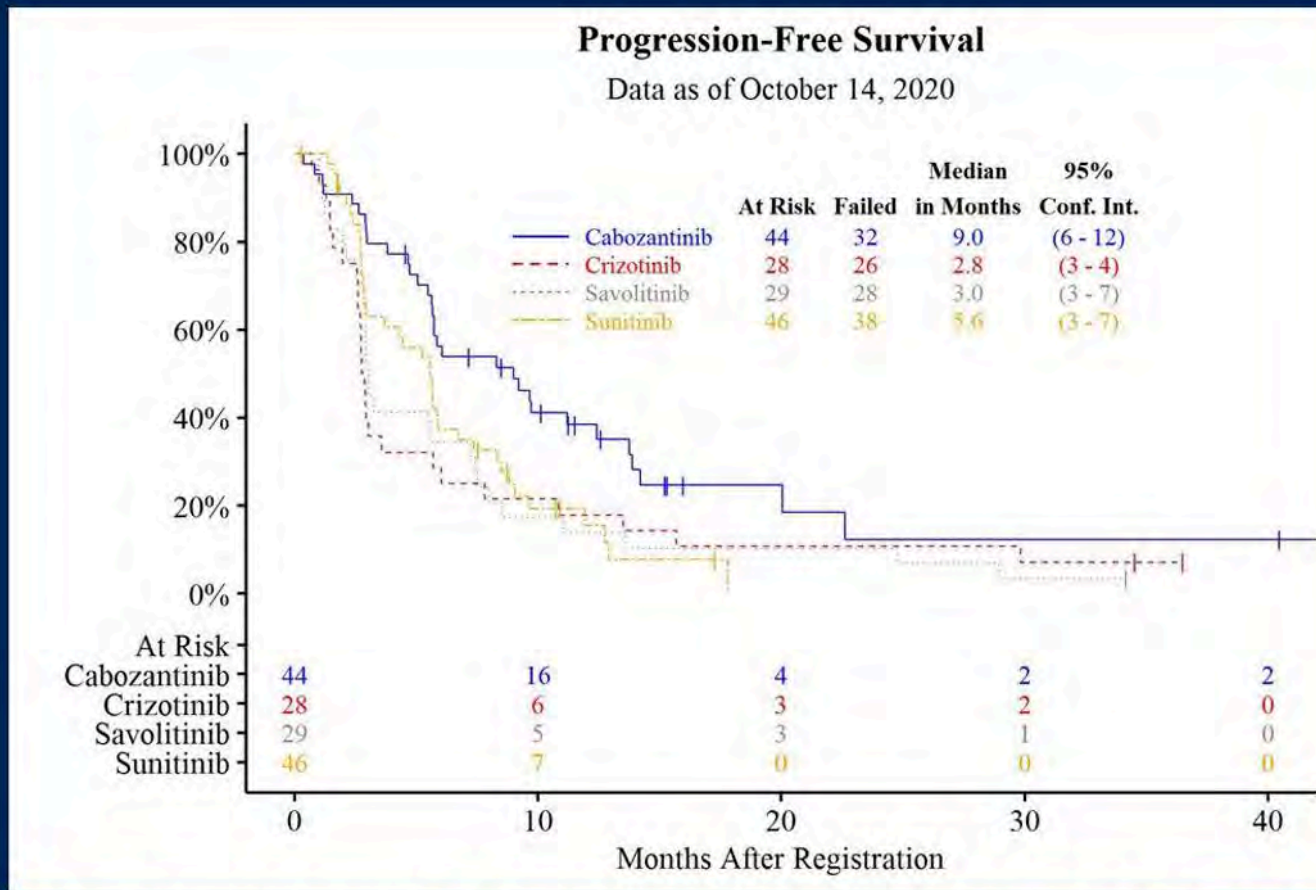
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SWOG-1500: Progression-Free Survival



- Cabozantinib significantly prolonged PFS relative to sunitinib: HR 0.60 (95% CI 0.37-0.97 [1-sided p -value = 0.019])

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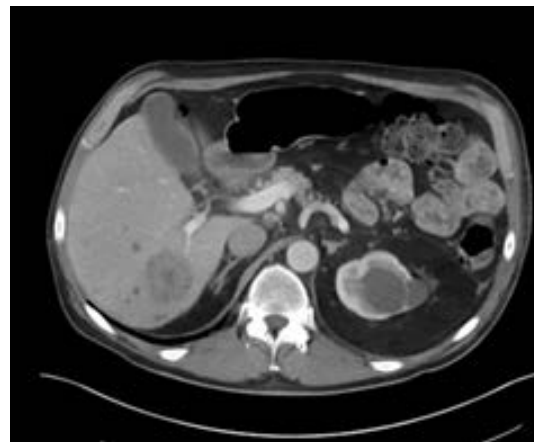
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Patient characteristics

69 year old male
Performance status 1
Past medical history of heavy smoking and airways disease.

Tumor characteristics

Liver and lung mets.
Renal Mass
Biopsy from lung mets: mainly sarcomatoid features suspected renal origin view of imaging.
IMDC: poor risk disease.



Cabozantinib and
nivolumab.

Data on sarcomatoid RCC with cabozantinib/nivolumab from ASCO GU 2021

	With sRCC		Without sRCC	
	NIVO+CABO n = 34	SUN n = 41	NIVO+CABO n = 279	SUN n = 278
PFS HR (95% CI)	0.39 (0.22–0.70)		0.54 (0.43–0.69)	
Median PFS, months	10.9	4.2	17.7	9.4
OS HR (95% CI)	0.36 (0.16–0.82)		0.68 (0.48–0.95)	
Median OS, months	NR	19.7	NR	NR
ORR, % (95% CI)	55.9 (37.9–72.8)	22.0 (10.6–37.6)	56.6 (50.6–62.5)	28.4 (23.2–34.1)

The other combinations have good data in sarcomatoid RCC too.

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G2 Palmar Plantar Erythema
G1 diarrhea
G2 fatigue

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Week 8: Due C3 D1:Improved adverse events.
G2 Palmar Plantar Erythema
G1 diarrhea
G2 fatigue
Dose reduce to 20mg

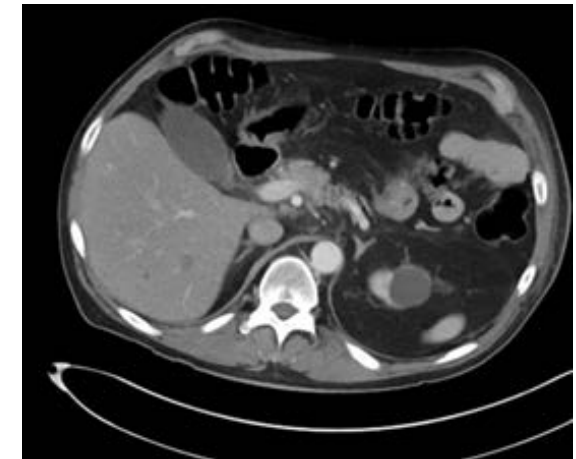
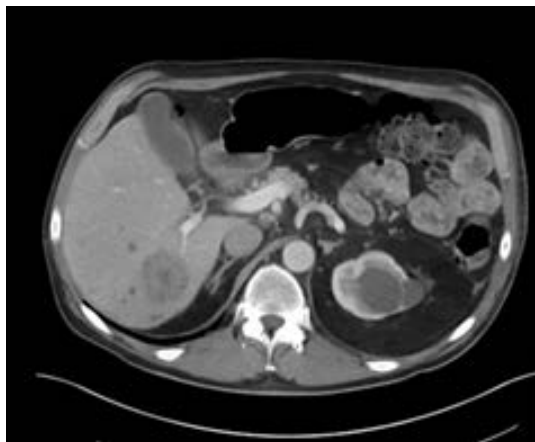
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What is the best treatment option at progression?

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