

Control de síntomas en cáncer ginecológico

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### **Conflicts of interest**



• **Speaker**: AZ, GSK, Clovis, PharmaMar

Advisory: AZ, GSK

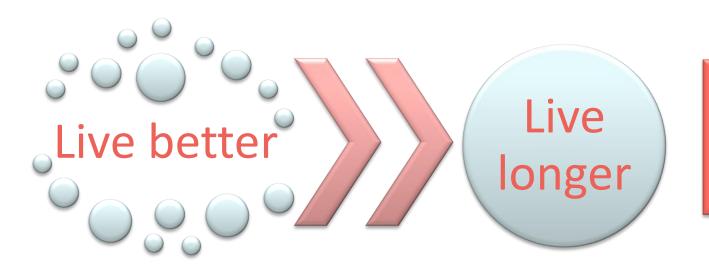
### **Overview**

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- Symptom control in gynecologic malignancies
- Patient reported outcomes in clinical trials
- Patient reported outcomes in usual care

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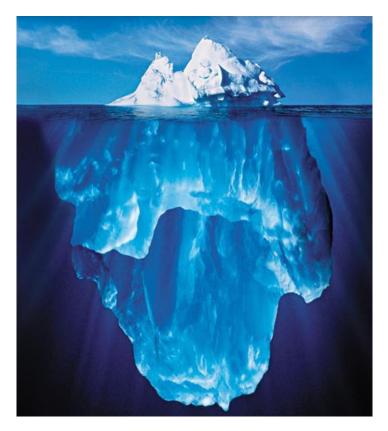
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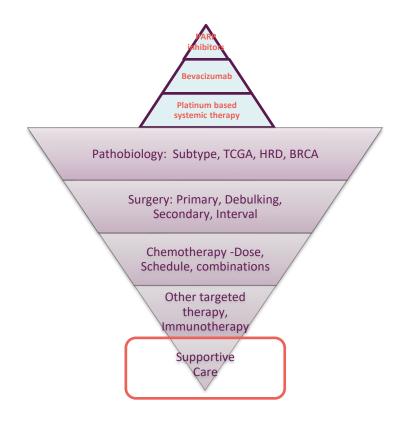


### What is Important?

- 1. Effectiveness
- 2. Toxicity
- 3. QoL
- 4. Convenience
- 5. Cost

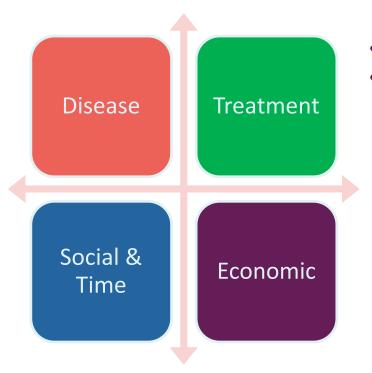
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Toxicity management in gynecologic malignancies

- Ovarian
- Endometrial
- Cervical
- Vagina, vulva
- Other

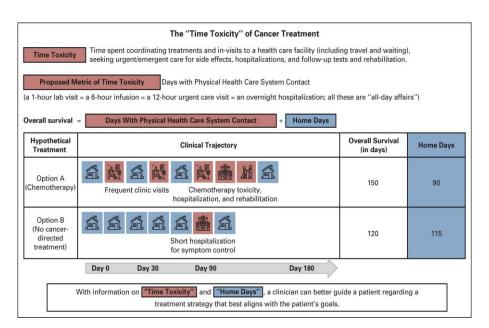


- Treatment vs maintenance
- Type of therapy
  - Chemotherapy
  - ADCs
  - Targeted therapy
  - Immunotherapy
  - Novel combos

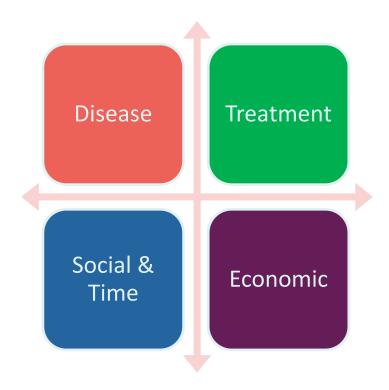


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SGO endometrial cancer (n=70)  $\rightarrow$  15% time on health care



Toxicity recording in clinical trials

### Clinician reported

## Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events (CTCAE)

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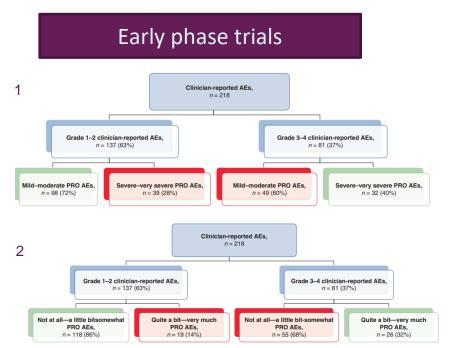
### Patient reported

- PRO-CTCAE
  - Severity, Frecuency, Interference
- Generic HRQoL (no pathology specific)
- HRQL specific per pathology
  - All cancers: EORTC QLQ-C30, FACT-G
  - Specific per type of cancer: ovary, lung, other
- Specific for symptoms or domains
  - HADS (anxiety & depression), Brief Pain Inventory (BPI)
- Utility domains (EQ-5D)
- Other





Correlation between physician and patient reported toxicity



Clinician-reported AEs (blue) and associated PRO-CTCAE severity (1) and interference (2) scores

### Phase III trials

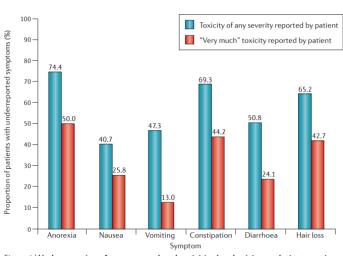


Figure 1 | Underreporting of treatment-related toxicities by physicians, relative to patients with either advanced-stage lung cancer, or early-stage breast cancer. Underreporting of

Agreement low (Cohen's-κ coefficient 0.15 - 0.45)



How my care team and others perceive I feel

How I actually feel

Tolerable is Relative!



Clinical trials - PROs in gynecologic malignancies

## Ovarian Cancer Consensus

# Statements on crucial elements in future trial design

Patient reported outcomes (PROs) and quality-of-life measures (33 of 33 groups approved)

- 1 Incorporation of self-reported toxicity assessment (eg, PRO-CTCAE) should be considered
- 2 Predefined PRO endpoints should be included in the statistical analysis plan in randomised trials, particularly when there is a difference in equipoise between arms, such as extended maintenance therapy or additional agents; if feasible, such PROs should continue past disease progression and continue until initiation of next intervention
- 3 If progression-free survival is the primary endpoint, consideration could be given to including PROs as an additional primary endpoint
- 4 Inclusion and reporting of PRO endpoints in protocols should follow the published guidelines (eg, ISOQOL, CONSORT-PRO)
- 5 All clinical trials that include PROs should incorporate strategies to avoid and address missing data

PROs in gynecologic malignancies

### Most phase III randomized clinical trials include HRQoL endpoints

↑ use in gynecology clinical trials:

- 2% (1980s)  $\rightarrow$  62% (2010+)

### Mostly secondary or exploratory

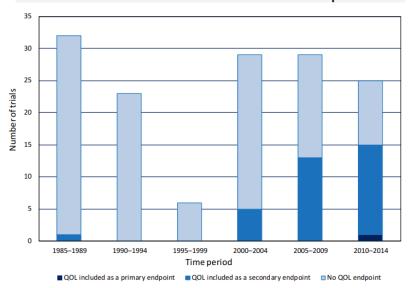
### **HRQoL** reporting:

- Compliance 74%
- Missing data dealing 37%
- No studies post-PD data



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PROs in gynecologic malignancies - Phase III trials

- PARPi in ovarian cancer No changes in primary PRO measures
  - Maintenance after response to chemotherapy
  - Time with no / little disease related symptoms

### **Contemporary exploratory PRO outcomes**

**TWIST**: time without significant symptoms of toxicity (i.e. nausea, vomiting, fatigue  $g \ge 2$ )

Q-TWIST: Quality-adjusted time without symptoms or toxicity

**QAPFS**: Quality-adjusted PFS

Toxicity management: Real time PRO assessment

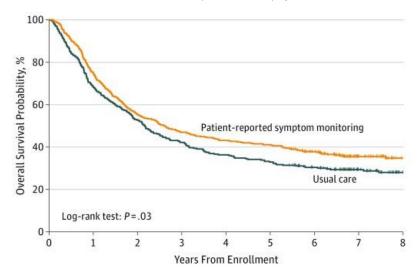
#### Real-time PRO assessment

- Phase III randomized trial at MSKCC
- Multi-tumour
- 12 symptom monitoring
- Alerts generated for symptoms considered:
  - Severe
  - Worsened





**OS:** PRO 31.2 m (24.5-39.6) vs usual care 26.0 m (22.1-30.9), p=0.03



Toxicity management: malignant bowel obstruction



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### **Retrospective single-centre analysis:**

Patients with advanced gynecologic cancer admitted due to MBO

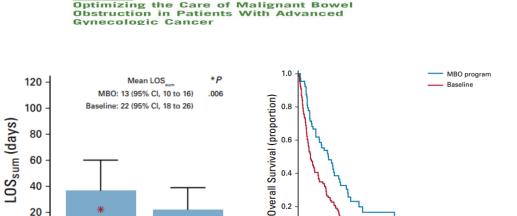
- Pre-MBO (2014-2016): n=106
- MBO program (2016-2018): n=63

Median OS: 243 v 99 days (p= 0.002) **Cumulative hospital length of stay** 

– 13 v 22 days, p= 0.006

### Cost per hospital admission

- MBO program: mean \$12,284
- Baseline group: mean \$18,934



ASCO

Baseline

**MBO Program** 

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800 1,000 1,200 1,400

Time (days)

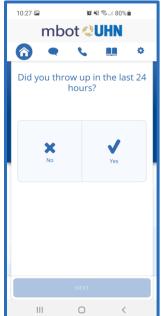
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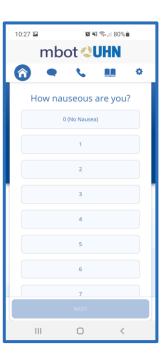
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### **Conclusions**





Listen, explore & report potential AEs



Educate about what to expect



Build a support system



Role of remote monitoring & Al

Proactive assessment of patient reported outcomes improves overall survival in patients with advanced cancer.

### Thanks!





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