



Patient Reported Outcome Measures (PROMS) in oncology practice.

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Why are we interested in measurement of quality of life and patient-reported outcomes

- Changing pattern of diseases in the 20th century
 - Predominance of chronic diseases as long-term condition
 - Maintaining functioning and well-being
- Increased interest in measurement of health, functioning and well-being
- We cure a larger proportion of cancers “Cancer survivorship”
- Many advanced cancers are becoming a “Chronic disease” “Incurable but treatable cancer”
- New targeted treatments provide longer-term disease control in advanced cancers
- “Tolerability” of long-term treatments

CONSORT PRO extension

Reporting of Patient-Reported Outcomes in Randomized Trials

The CONSORT PRO Extension

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The CONSORT (Consolidated Standards of Reporting Trials) Statement aims to improve the reporting of randomized controlled trials (RCTs); however, it lacks guidance on the reporting of patient-reported outcomes (PROs), which are often inadequately reported in trials, thus limiting the value of these data. In this article, we describe the development of the CONSORT PRO extension based on the methodological framework for guideline development proposed by the Enhancing the Quality and Transparency of Health Research (EQUATOR) Network. Five CONSORT PRO checklist items are recom-

Results			
Participant flow (a diagram is strongly recommended)	13a	For each group, the numbers of participants who were randomly assigned, received intended treatment, and were analyzed for the primary outcome	The number of PRO outcome data at baseline and at subsequent time points should be made transparent
	13b	For each group, losses and exclusions after randomization, together with reasons	
Recruitment	14a	Dates defining the periods of recruitment and follow-up	
	14b	Why the trial ended or was stopped	
Baseline data	15	A table showing baseline demographic and clinical characteristics for each group	Including baseline PRO data when collected
Numbers analyzed	16	For each group, number of participants (denominator) included in each analysis and whether the analysis was by original assigned groups	Required for PRO results
Outcomes and estimation	17a	For each primary and secondary outcome, results for each group, the estimated effect size, and its precision (such as 95% confidence interval)	For multidimensional PRO results from each domain and time point
	17b	For binary outcomes, presentation of both absolute and relative effect sizes is recommended	

Example of HRQOL in a large trial

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Accelerated versus standard epirubicin followed by cyclophosphamide, methotrexate, and fluorouracil or capecitabine as adjuvant therapy for breast cancer in the randomised UK TACT2 trial (CRUK/05/19): a multicentre, phase 3, open-label, randomised, controlled trial



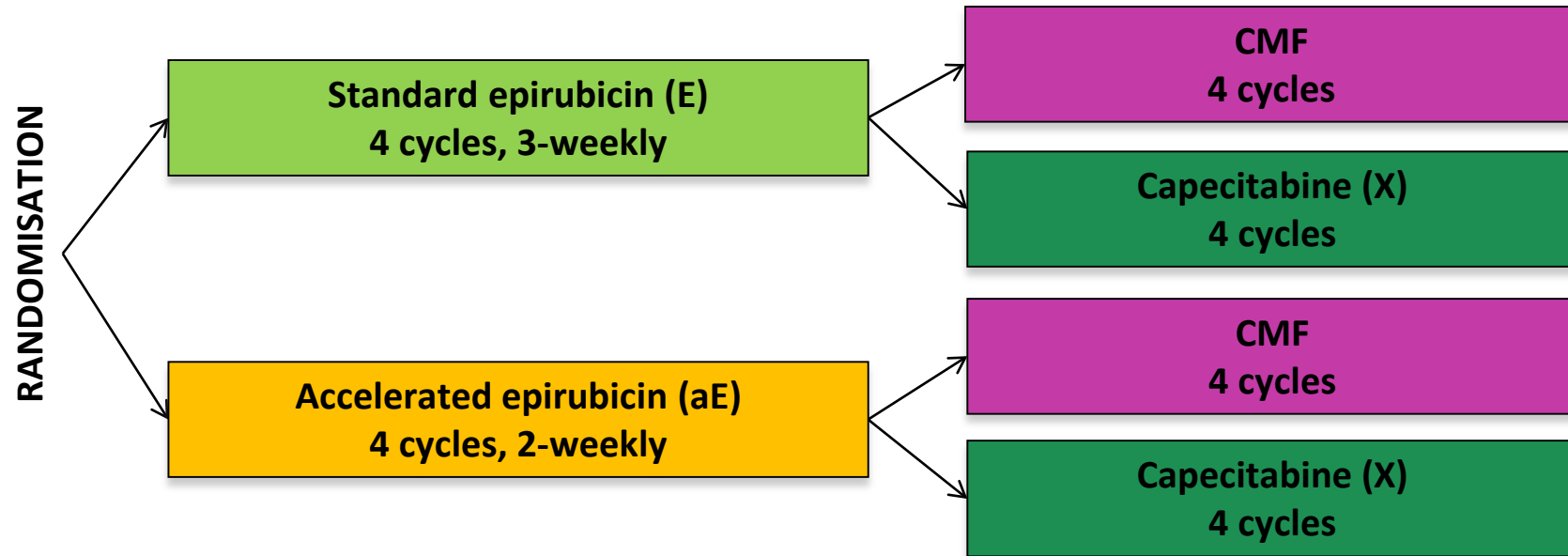
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Background

Moderate risk
early breast
cancer patients
NOT requiring
taxane
chemotherapy



TACT2, a phase III trial with 2 x 2 factorial design

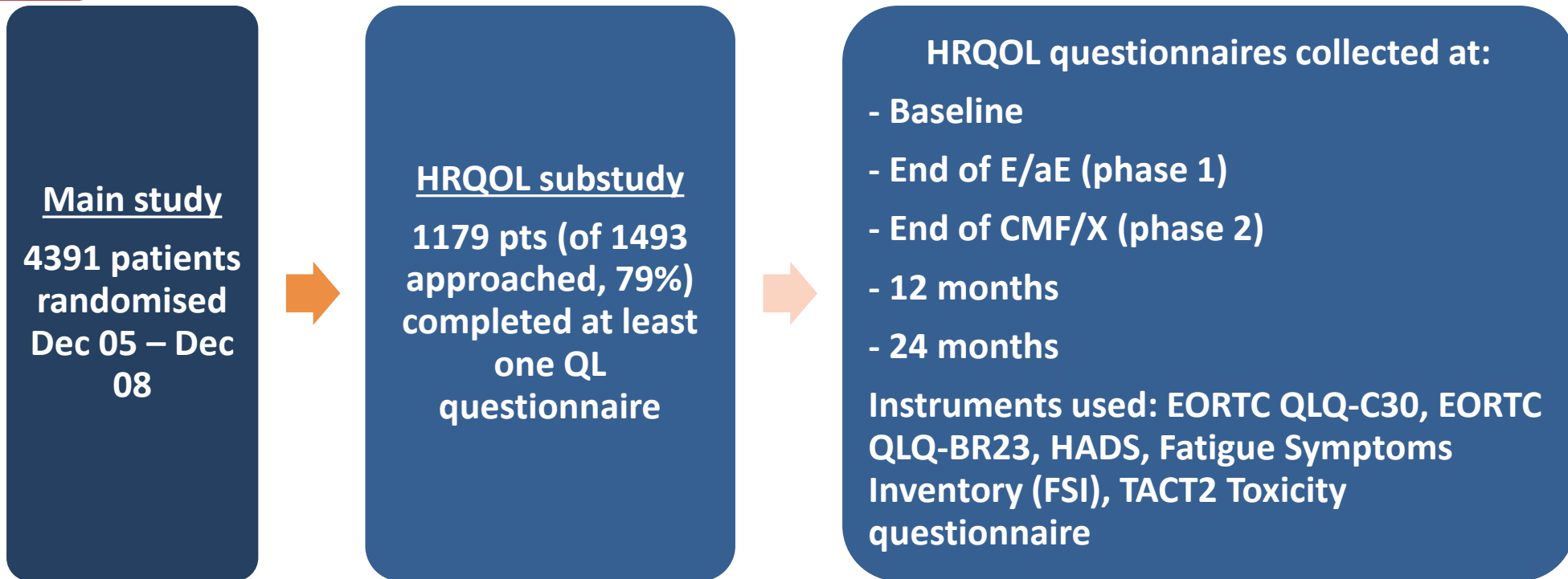
Two hypotheses: 1. Accelerating Anthracycline chemotherapy offers greater efficacy
2. Capecitabine gives similar efficacy but better toxicity profile to CMF

Primary Outcome- Overall Survival

HRQOL and specific symptoms measured at baseline, end of E, end of CMF/X, 12 and 24 months



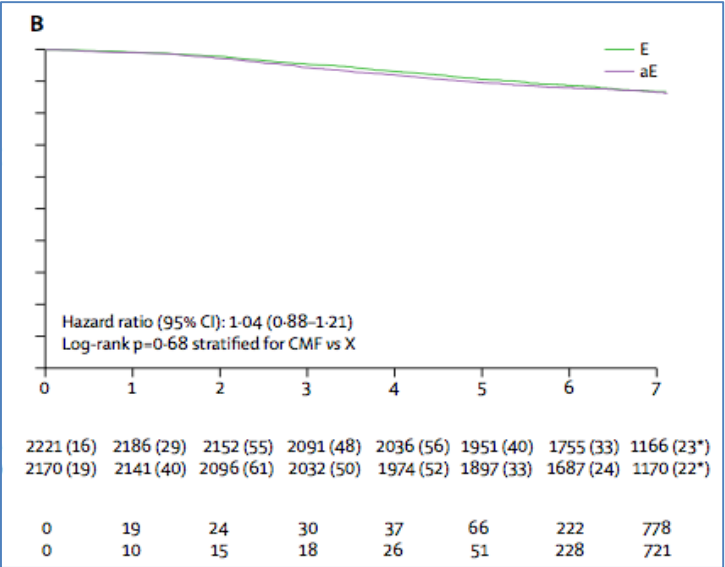
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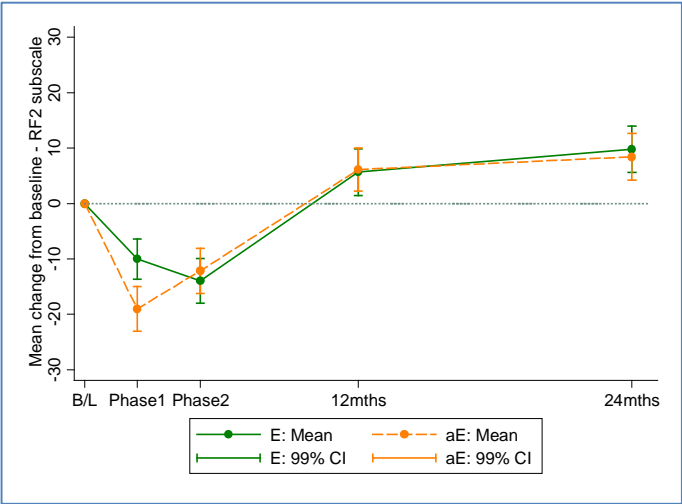
- Changes from baseline to each time point were compared between groups using ANCOVA, adjusting for baseline scores
- Generalised estimating equations (GEE) models were used to analyse data longitudinally across all time points
- Results considered statistically significant if $p < 0.01$ to make some allowance for multiple testing

Hypothesis A - E vs aE

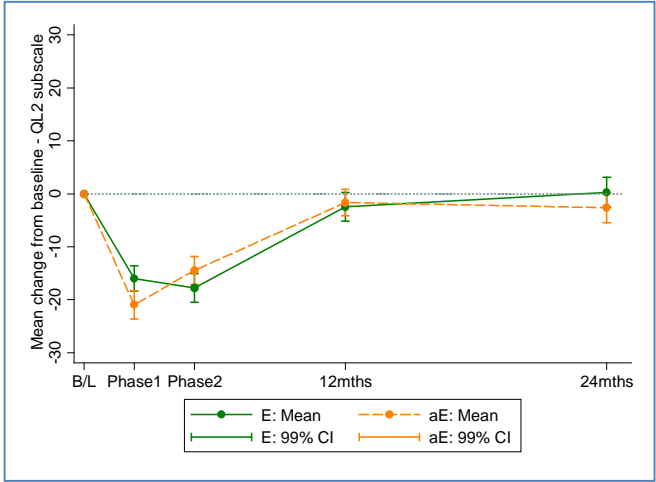
Overall survival



EORTC QLQ-C30 Role functioning

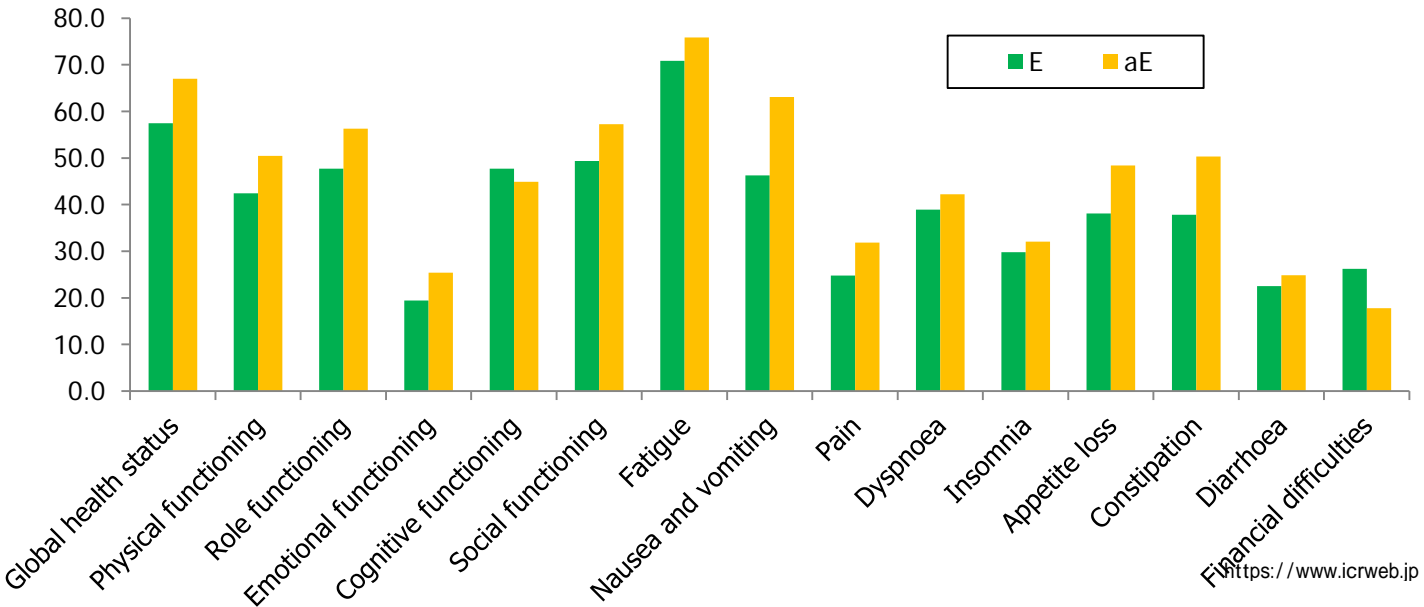


Global QOL



Responder analysis
Proportion of patients
with ≥ 10 point
deterioration by the
end of phase 1
treatment

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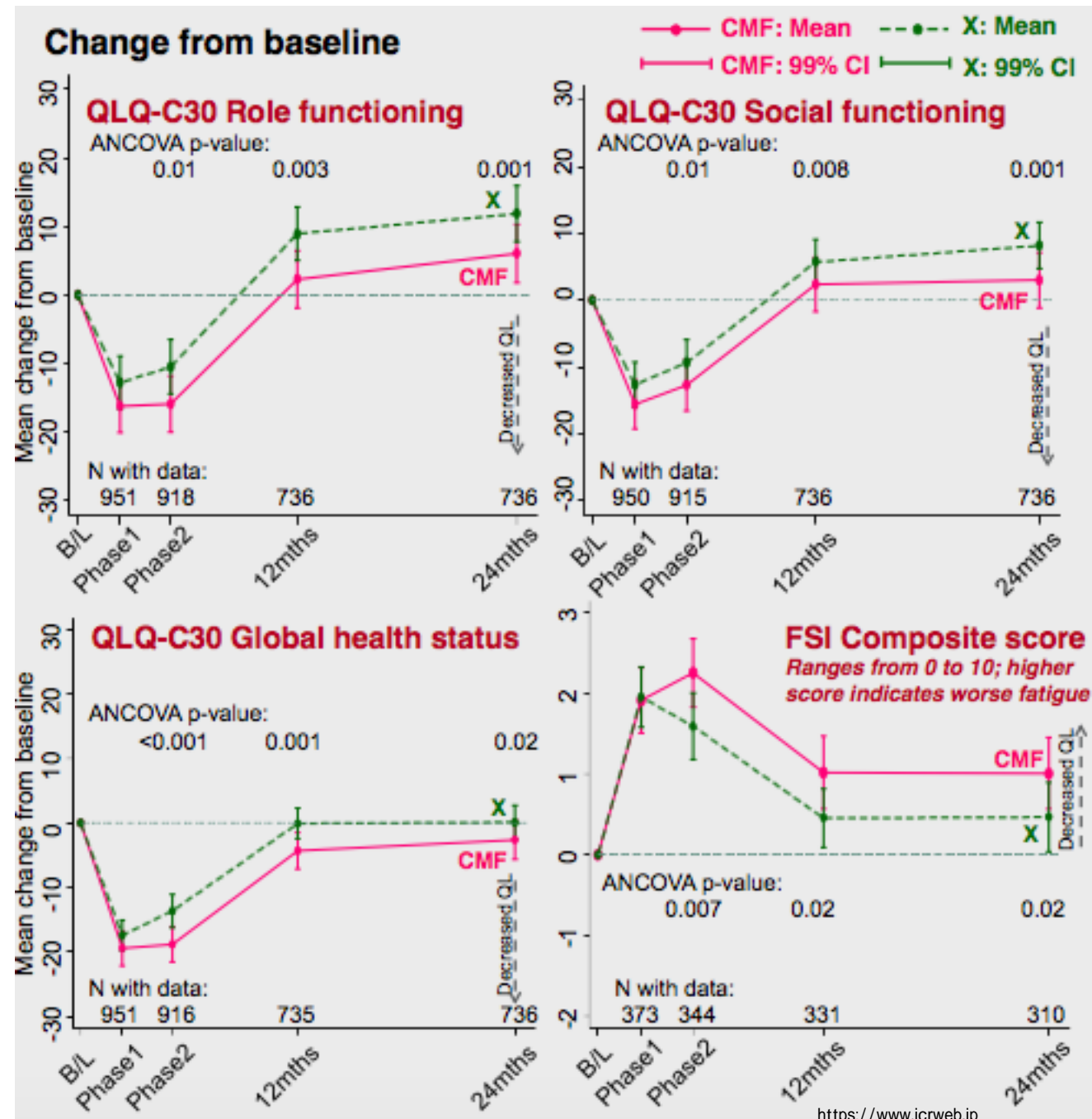
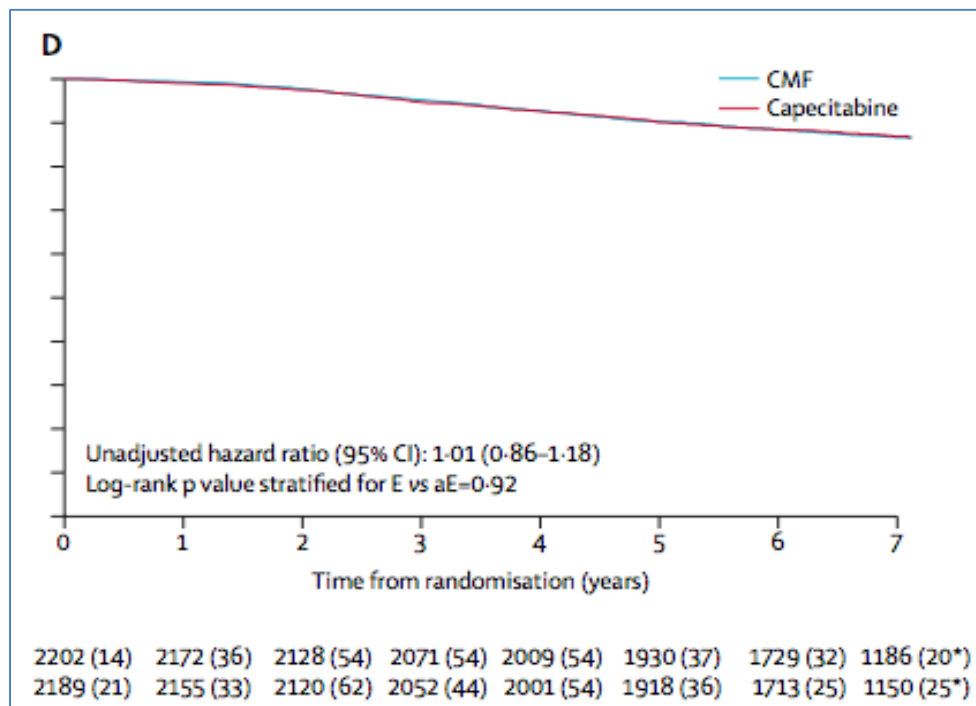
Conclusions aE vs E

- Accelerating anthracycline chemotherapy did not offer greater efficacy (identical Overall survival)
- Contrary to previous data and clinical expectations aE was more toxic during the treatment
- Patient-reported worse symptoms, functioning and HRQOL with aE compared with E but the difference did not persist in the long term
- aE can not be recommended as an alternative to standard 3-weekly E for adjuvant treatment of moderate risk early breast cancer



CMF vs X

Overall survival



CMF vs X during and after treatment

Longitudinal modelling

Subscale	p-value	Subscale	p-value
QLQ-C30		QLQ-BR23	
Global health status	<0.001	Body image	0.008
Physical functioning	0.004	Sexual functioning	0.16
Role functioning	<0.001	Sexual enjoyment	0.04
Emotional functioning	0.67	Future perspective	0.17
Cognitive functioning	0.006	Systemic side-effects	<0.001
Social functioning	<0.001	Breast symptoms	0.63
Fatigue	<0.001	Arm symptoms	0.12
Nausea and vomiting	0.004*	Hair loss	0.10
Pain	0.71		
Dyspnoea	<0.001	HADS total score	0.03
Insomnia	<0.001		
Appetite loss	<0.001	Wu Fatigue score	0.59
Constipation	<0.001*		
Diarrhoea	0.15	FSI Composite score	0.03
Financial difficulties	0.03		

All subscales which are statistically significantly (p<0.01) favour **X** over **CMF**

**Significant interaction observed between E/aE and CMF/X treatment*



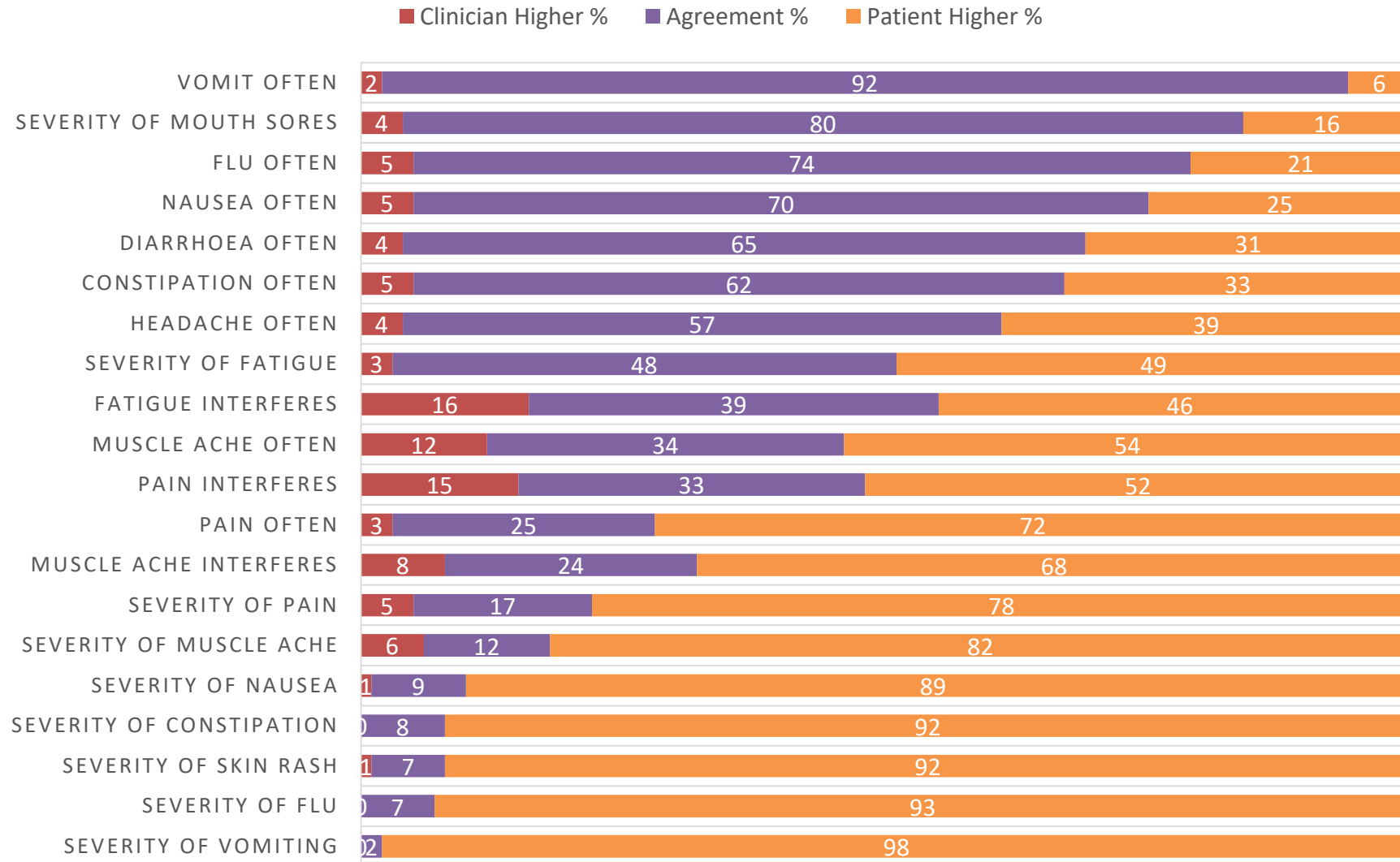
Conclusions-2 CMF vs X

- CMF had identical efficacy to X when following Anthracycline chemotherapy (similar Overall Survival)
- The hypothesis that CMF is more toxic than X was confirmed
- Patients reported significantly more serious side-effects which influenced their functioning and HRQL
- The differences persisted at 12 and 24 months
- X can be safely used as adjuvant treatment for moderate risk early breast cancer following Anthracyclines
- This is important information for clinicians and patients to support decisions on adjuvant treatments
- Recent trial recommended Capecitabine (X) as treatment for residual disease after neo-adjuvant chemotherapy.

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Patient vs Clinician reporting- NCI PRO-CTCAE



Adverse Symptom Event Reporting by Patients vs Clinicians: Relationships With Clinical Outcomes

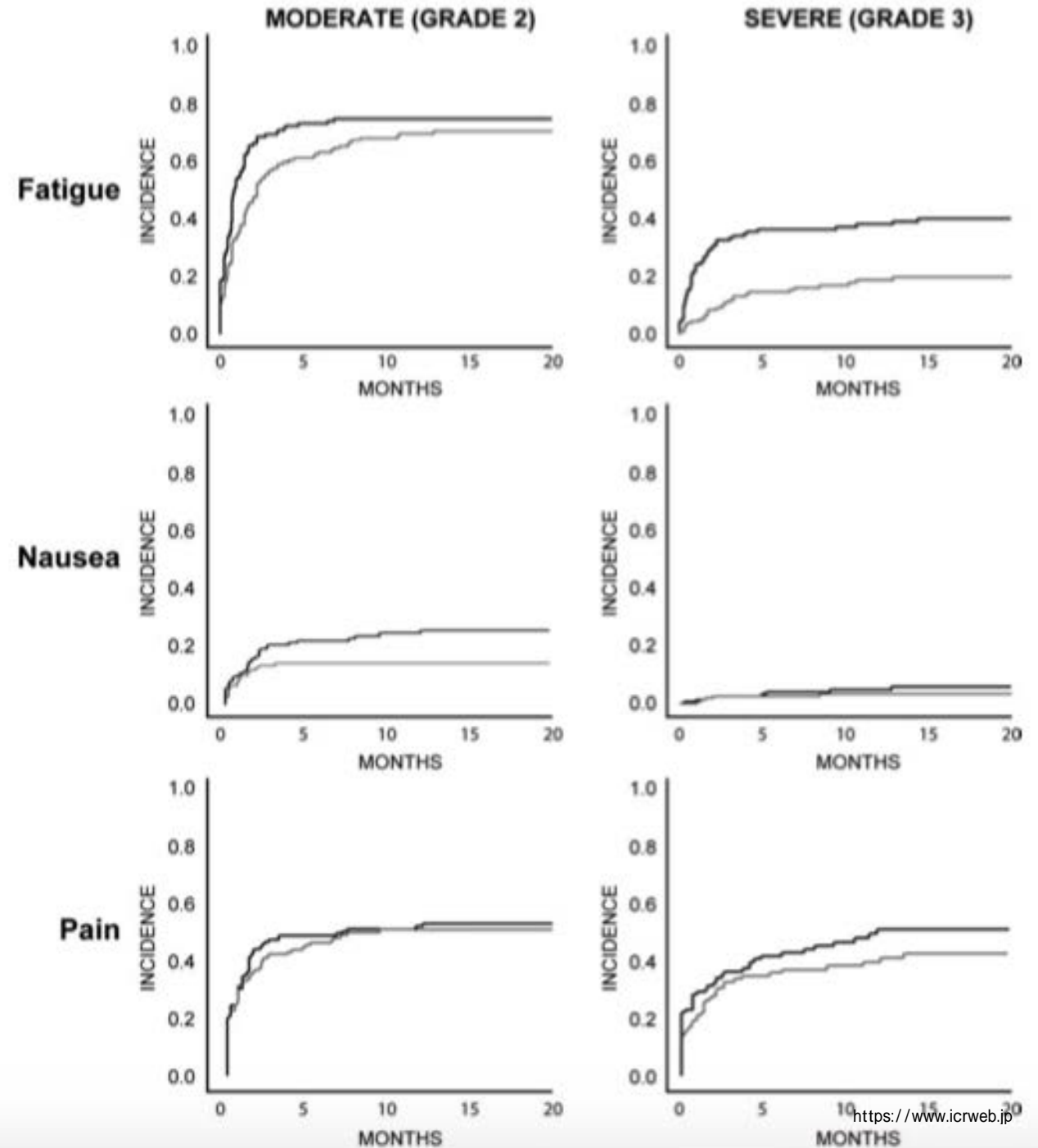
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Background

In cancer treatment trials, the standard source of adverse symptom data is clinician reporting by use of items from the National Cancer Institute's Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events (CTCAE). Patient self-reporting has been proposed as an additional data source, but the implications of such a shift are not understood.

Cumulative incidence of symptom reporting by patients vs clinicians

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Potential beneficiaries of patient-reporting of adverse symptoms in cancer treatment trials

Stakeholder	Potential benefits
Clinical trial participants	Earlier detection of toxic effects through improved communication with clinical staff
Investigators and/or sponsors	More complete adverse event data during drug development
FDA reviewers	Additional toxicity data to balance safety with efficacy during regulatory review
Clinicians	Improved information about prior patients' experiences with treatments, for use when counselling future patients or assessing adverse reactions
Future patients	Access to information about prior patients' experiences with particular treatments, to inform therapy decisions

Cancer treatment safety and tolerability

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Policy Perspective



Informing the Tolerability of Cancer Treatments Using Patient-Reported Outcome Measures: Summary of an FDA and Critical Path Institute Workshop

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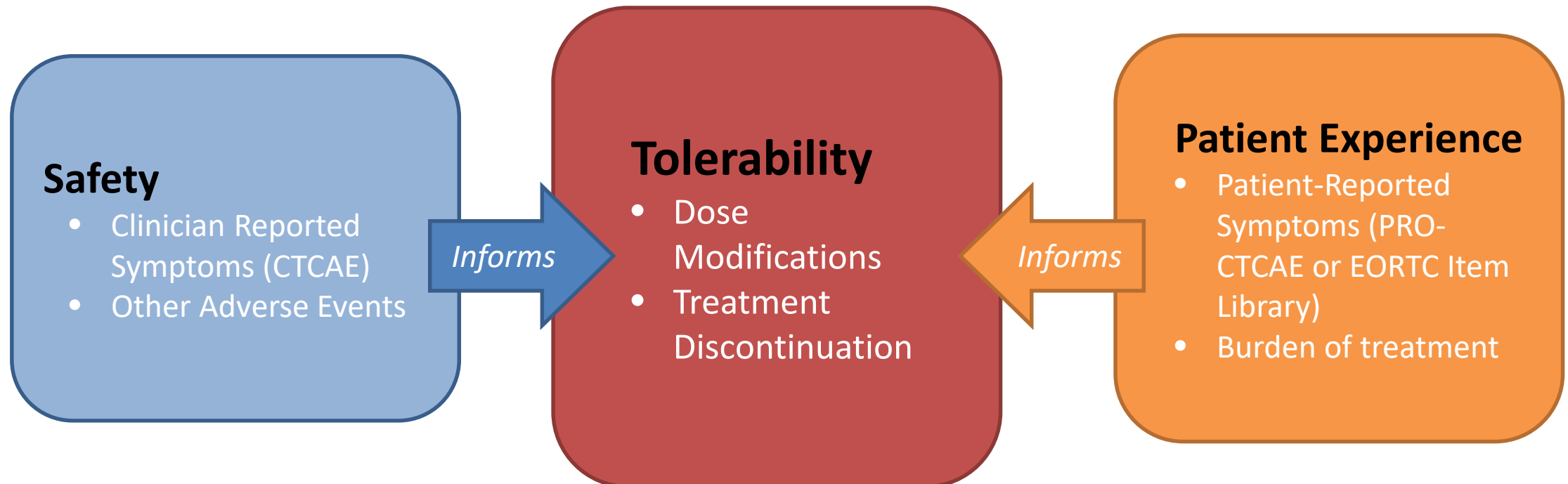


Safety Tolerability and Patient experiences

Beyond maximum grade: modernising the assessment and reporting of adverse events in haematological malignancies

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NCI PRO-CTCAE program

CTCAE vs. PRO-CTCAE™ Item Structures

CTCAE					
Adverse Event	Grade				
	1	2	3	4	5
Mucositis oral	Asymptomatic or mild symptoms; intervention not indicated	Moderate pain; not interfering with oral intake; modified diet indicated	Severe pain; interfering with oral intake	Life-threatening consequences; urgent intervention indicated	-



PRO-CTCAE™
Please think back over <u>the past 7 days</u> :
What was the <u>severity</u> of your MOUTH OR THROAT SORES at their WORST? None / Mild / Moderate / Severe / Very severe
How much did MOUTH OR THROAT SORES <u>interfere</u> with your usual or daily activities? Not at all / A little bit / Somewhat / Quite a bit / Very much

PRO-CTCAE™ Measurement System

1. Item Library

- 78 symptomatic adverse events drawn from CTCAE
- Items evaluate frequency, severity, interference, amount, presence of these symptoms

2. Software

- Creates customized surveys; manages survey administration
- Patient interface: choice of web or IVR
- Conditional branching (skip patterns)
- Write-ins with automatic mapping to standardized terminology
- Automated alerts

For more information visit: <http://healthcaresdelivery.cancer.gov/pro-ctcae/>



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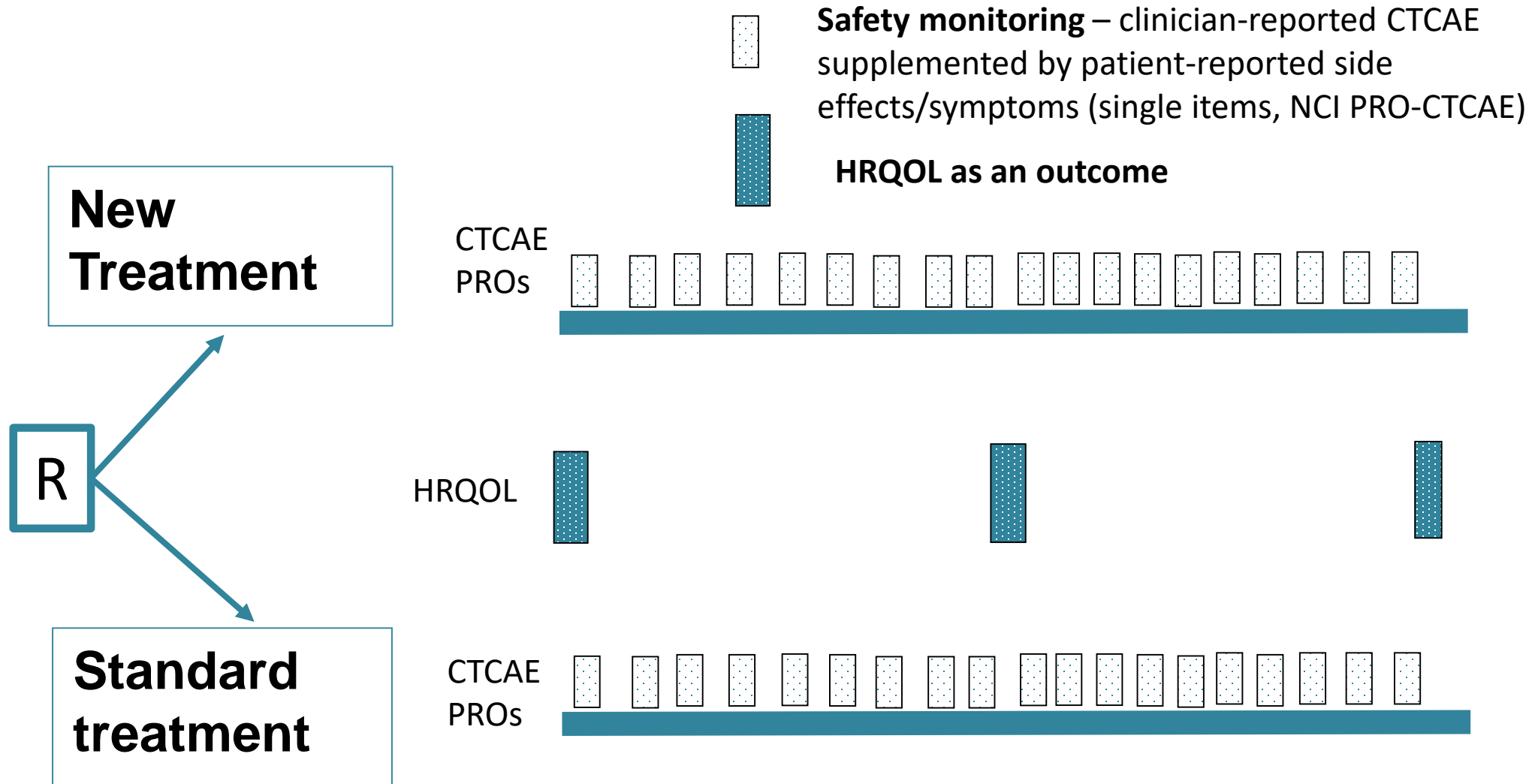
This site was designed to provide you with information about the PRO-CTCAE, a patient-reported outcome measurement system developed by the National Cancer Institute to capture symptomatic adverse events in patients on cancer clinical trials.

The site includes an overview of the methods used to develop this measurement system, and resources and references for further information.

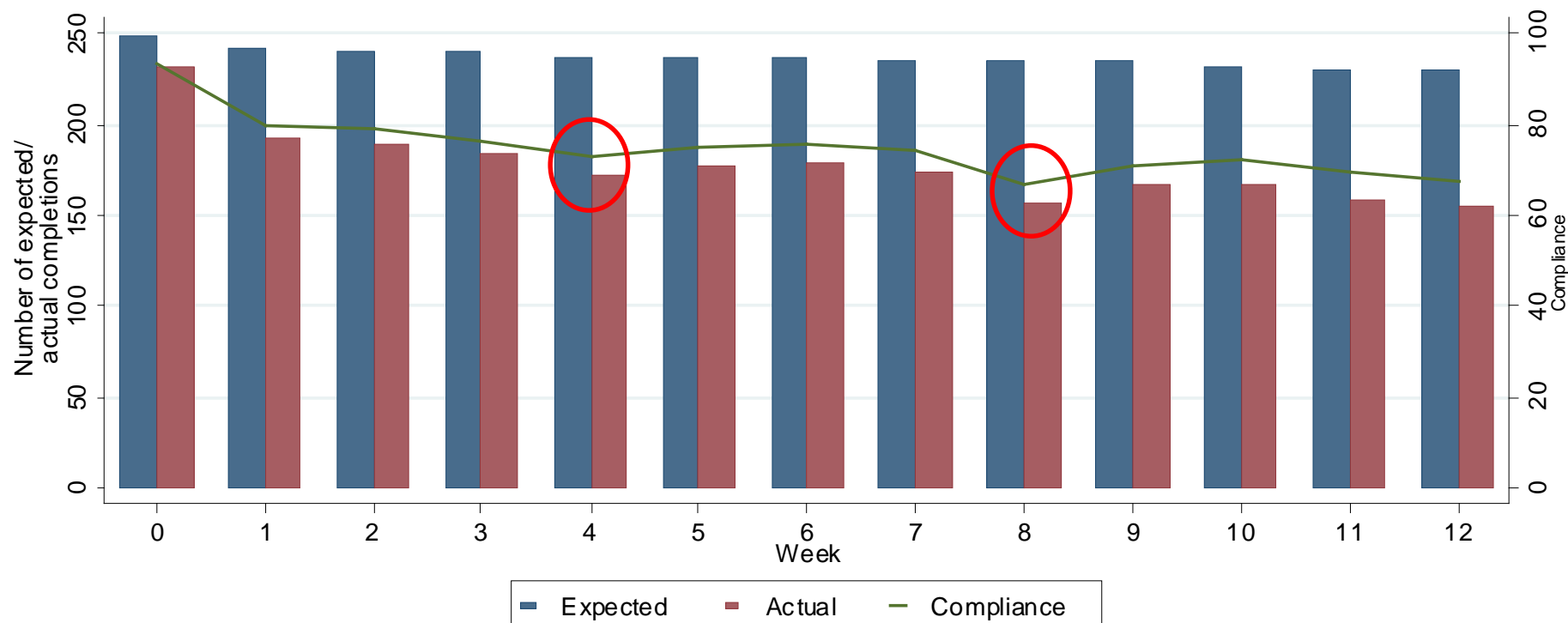
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Example of a clinical trial with both PROs and HRQOL

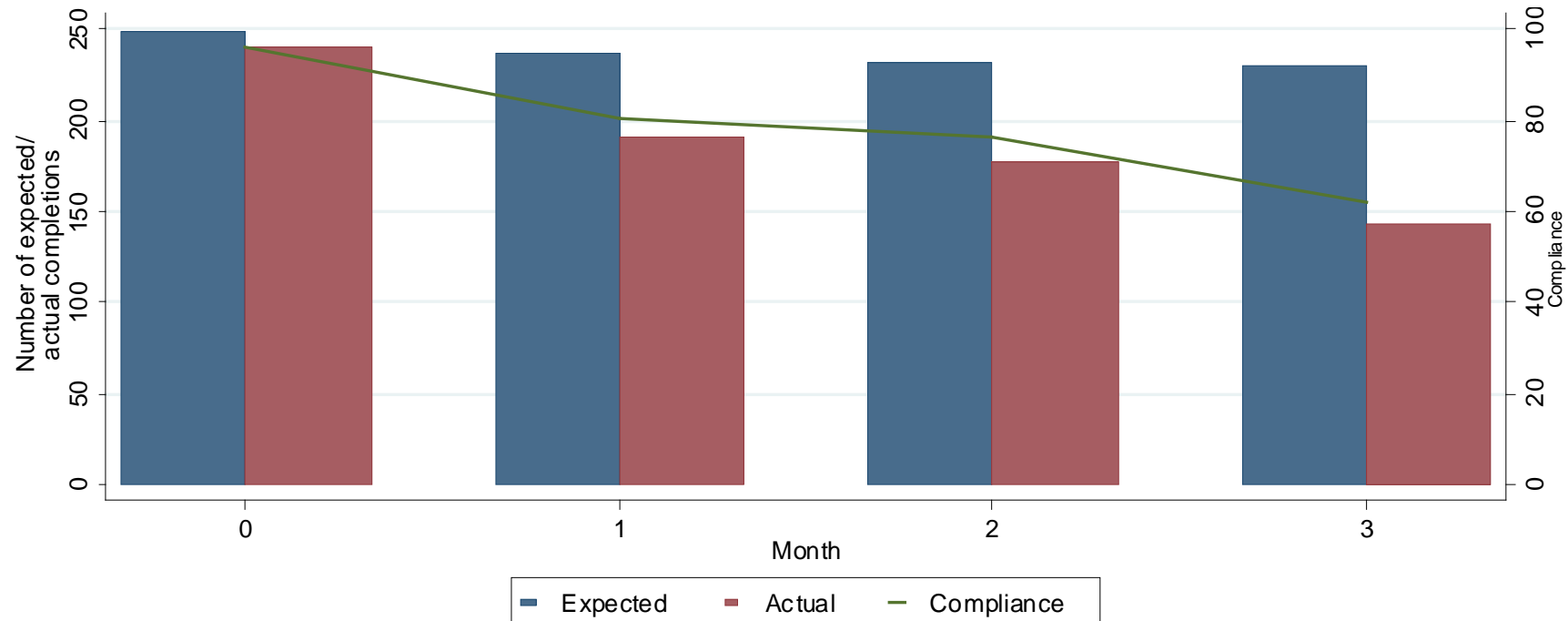


Compliance – weekly PRO-CTCAE



- 93% at baseline to 67% in week 12
- Weeks 4 and 8 show a decrease compared to previous or following weeks

Compliance – monthly EORTC



- 96% at baseline to 62% at month 3 (12 weeks)
- At monthly points EORTC availability may have affected weekly PRO-CTCAE completions as not all participants completed both

Ongoing work

Original Investigation

FREE

August 2017

Feasibility Assessment of Patient Reporting of Symptomatic Adverse Events in Multicenter Cancer Clinical Trials

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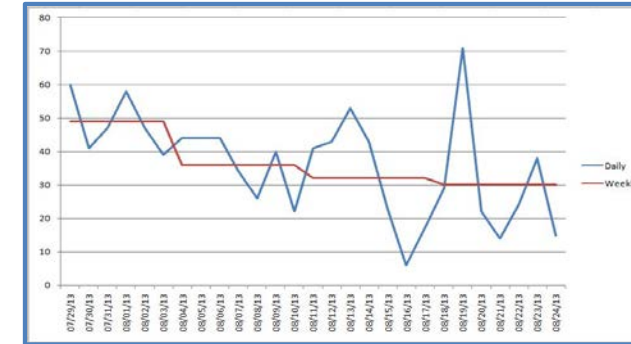
JAMA Oncol. 2017;3(8):1043-1050. doi:10.1001/jamaoncol.2016.6749

- 285 patients enrolled in 9 US multicentre cancer treatment trials
- 93.9% of expected times symptomatic adverse events were self-reported by patients

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Patient Reported Outcomes (PROs) to support patient care in daily oncology practice



Clinical method - Medical interview

- Gathering of subjective information
- Diagnostic aim
- Not designed to monitor change or assess outcomes

Patient Reported Outcomes Measures

- Quantitative information on symptom
- Track changes over time

Benefits

- Detect and monitor physical and emotional problems
- Impact on patient-doctor communication
- Facilitate patient involvement in decision making



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Measuring Quality of Life in Routine Oncology Practice Improves Communication and Patient Well-Being: A Randomized Controlled Trial

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Purpose

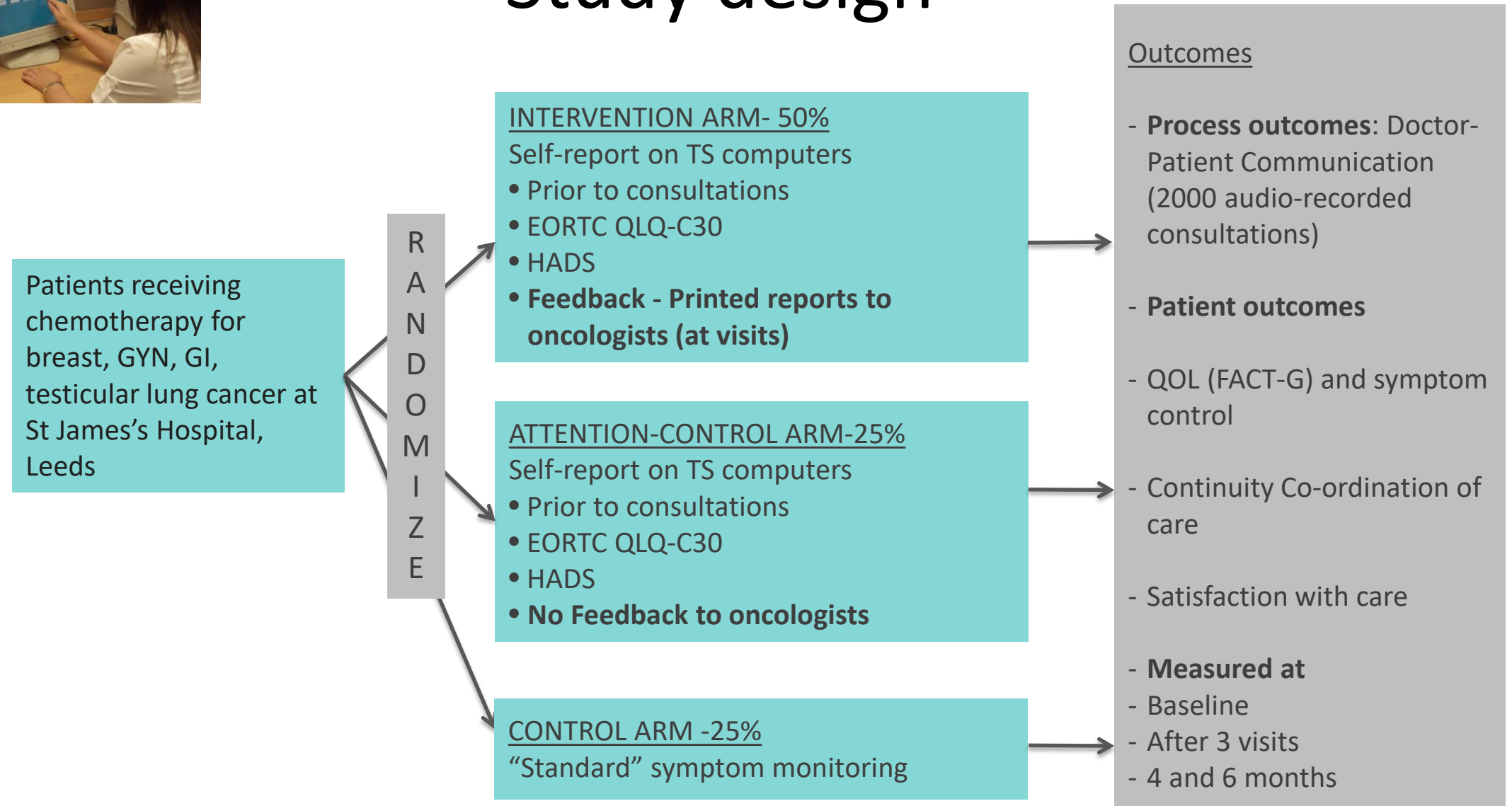
To examine the effects on process of care and patient well-being, of the regular collection and use of health-related quality-of-life (HRQL) data in oncology practice.

Patients and Methods

In a prospective study with repeated measures involving 28 oncologists, 286 cancer patients were randomly assigned to either the intervention group (regular completion of European Organization for Research and Treatment of Cancer-Core Quality of Life Questionnaire version 3.0, and Hospital Anxiety



Study design

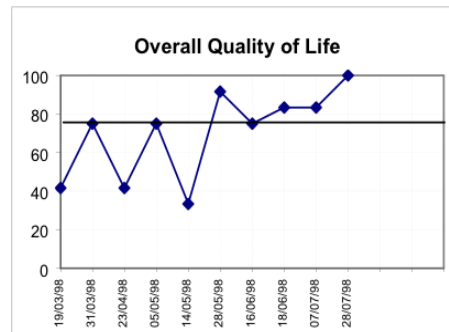
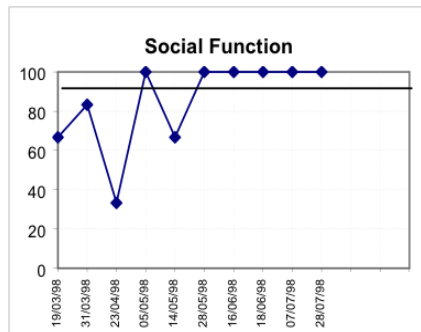
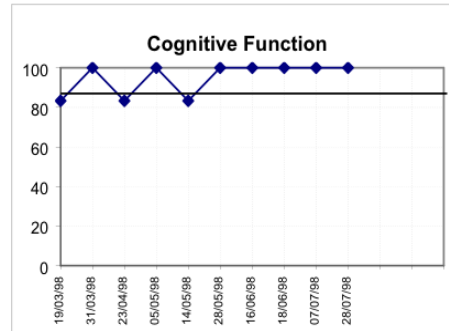
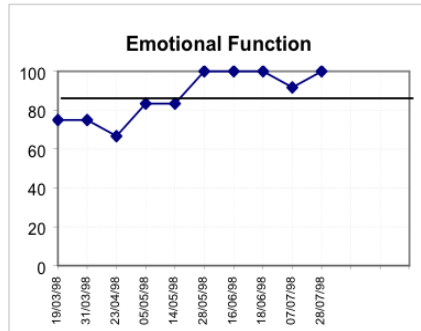
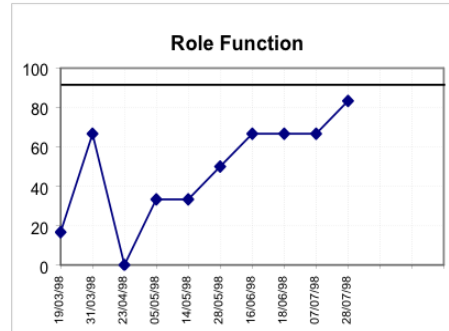
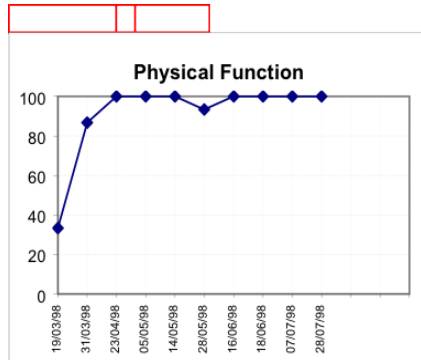


EORTC QLQ-C30

Functional Scales

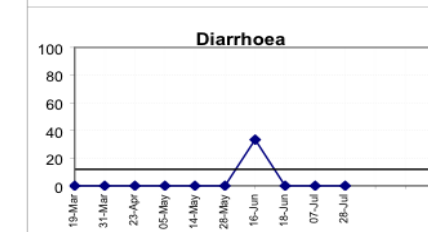
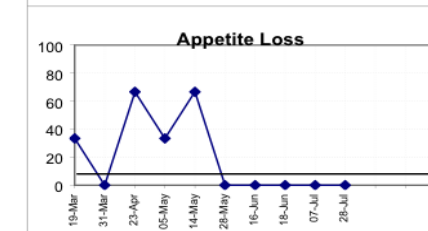
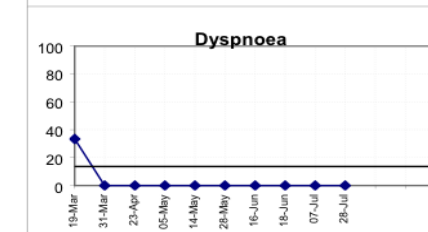
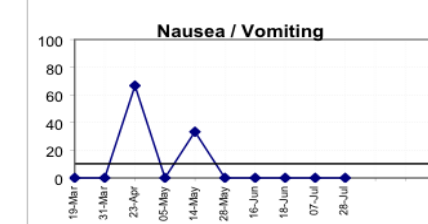
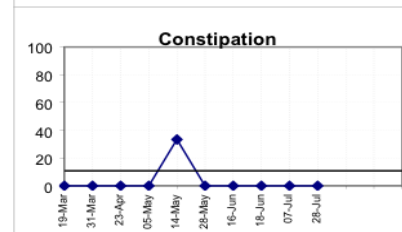
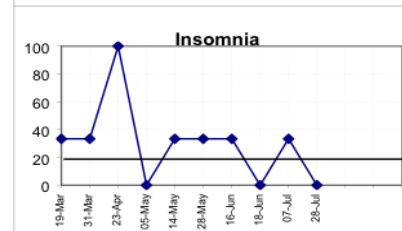
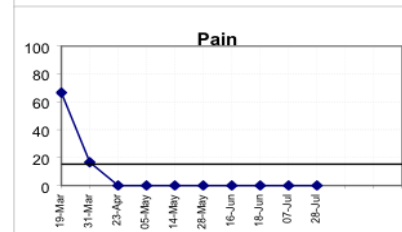
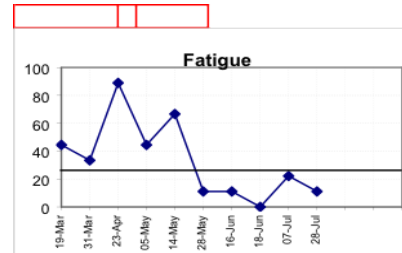
Higher score means better function

Lower score means less symptoms



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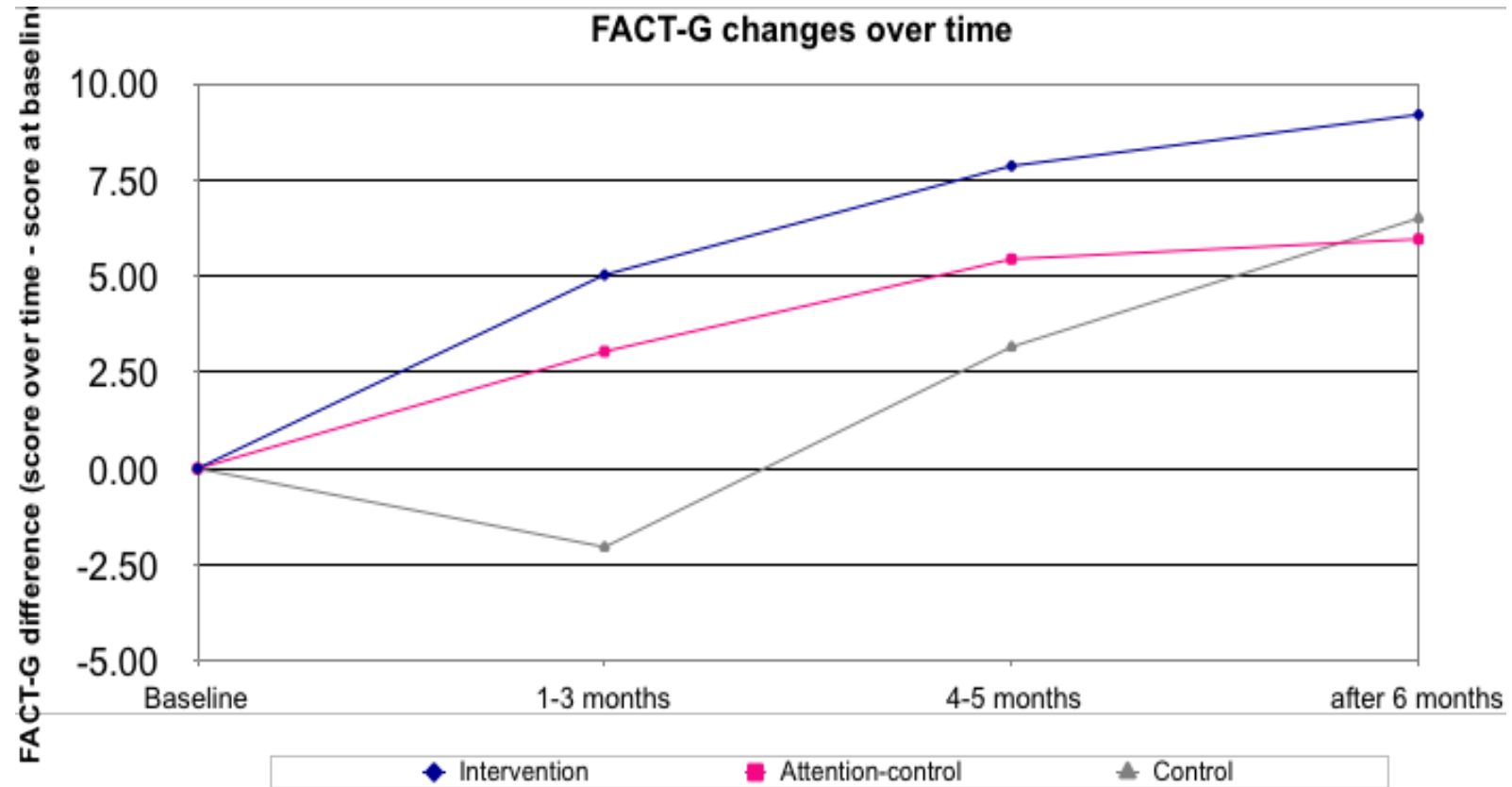
Symptom Scales



Mean values for general population

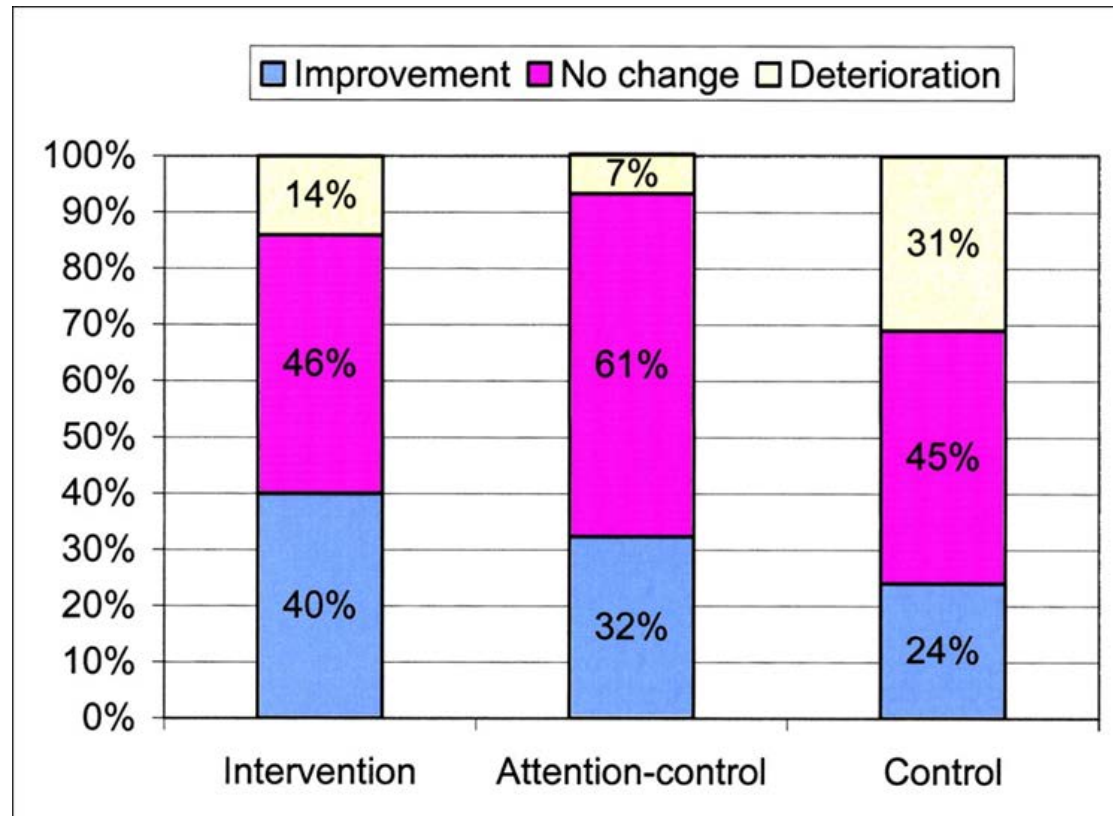
Results - Improved patient well-being

Improvement in FACT-G scores over time



Improves Patient well-being

Proportions of patients with clinically significant change in FACT-G



Symptom Monitoring With Patient-Reported Outcomes During Routine Cancer Treatment: A Randomized Controlled Trial

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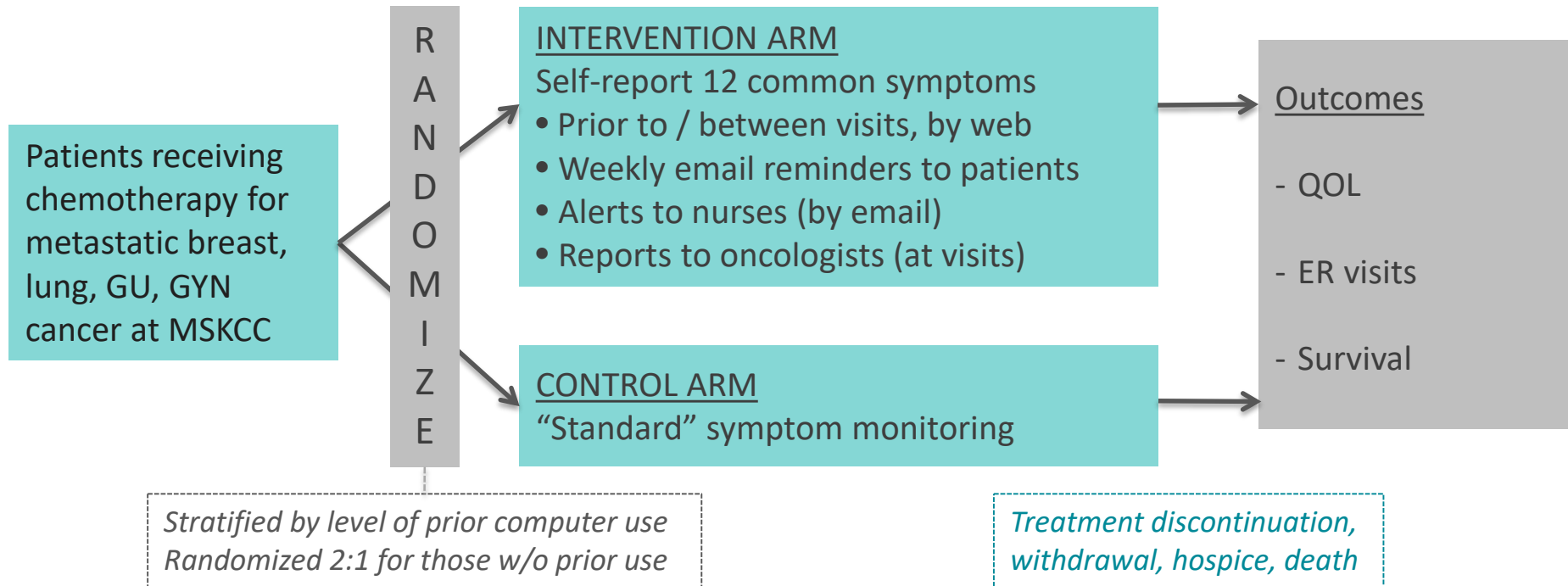
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Purpose

There is growing interest to enhance symptom monitoring during routine cancer care using patient-reported outcomes, but evidence of impact on clinical outcomes is limited.

Basch et al. J Clin Oncol 2016



Basch: JAMA, 2017

Slides curtesy to Ethan Basch

U.S. National Cancer Institute CTCAE Scale – Example: Pain

<input type="radio"/> None	I have not had pain.
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Grade 1 (Mild)	I have had mild pain, but it does not interfere with my normal functioning.
<input type="radio"/> Grade 2 (Moderate)	I have had moderate pain, and my pain or my use of pain medications interferes with my normal functioning. But I am still able to carry out my normal daily activities.
<input type="radio"/> Grade 3 (Severe)	I have had severe pain, and my pain or my use of pain medications severely interferes with my normal daily activities.
<input type="radio"/> Grade 4 (Disabling)	My pain has been disabling.

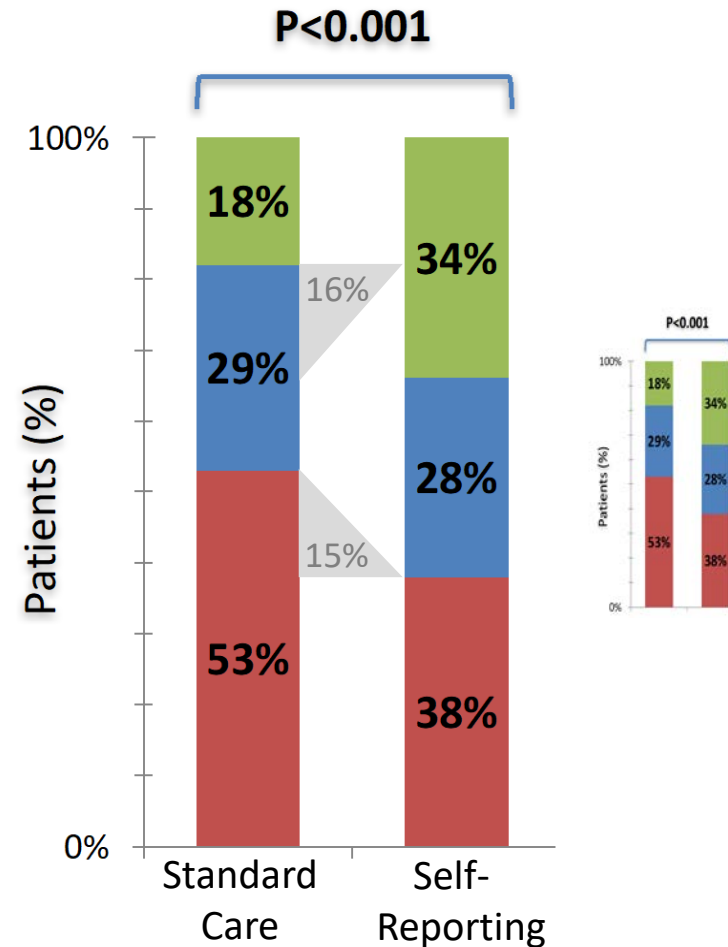




Quality of Life- EQ5D

- Assessed at 6 months, compared to baseline
- Compared to standard care, 31% more patients in the self-reporting arm experienced QOL benefits ($P<0.001$)

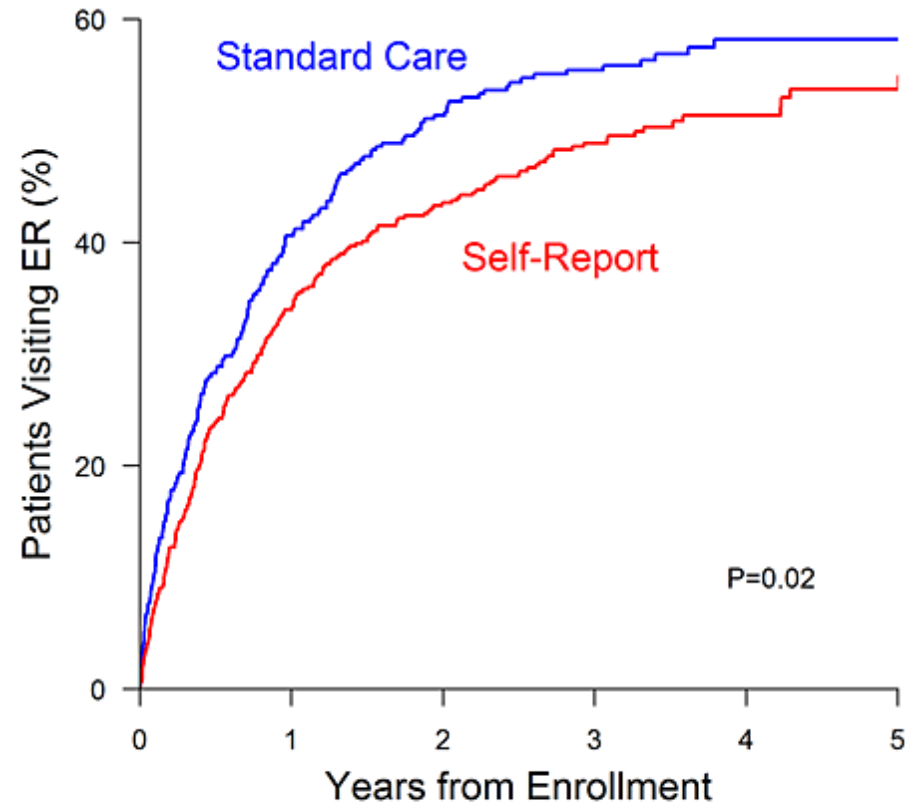
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Proportion of Patients Visiting Emergency Room

- Compared to standard care, 7% fewer patients in the self-reporting arm visited the ER, with durable effects throughout the study ($P=0.02$)

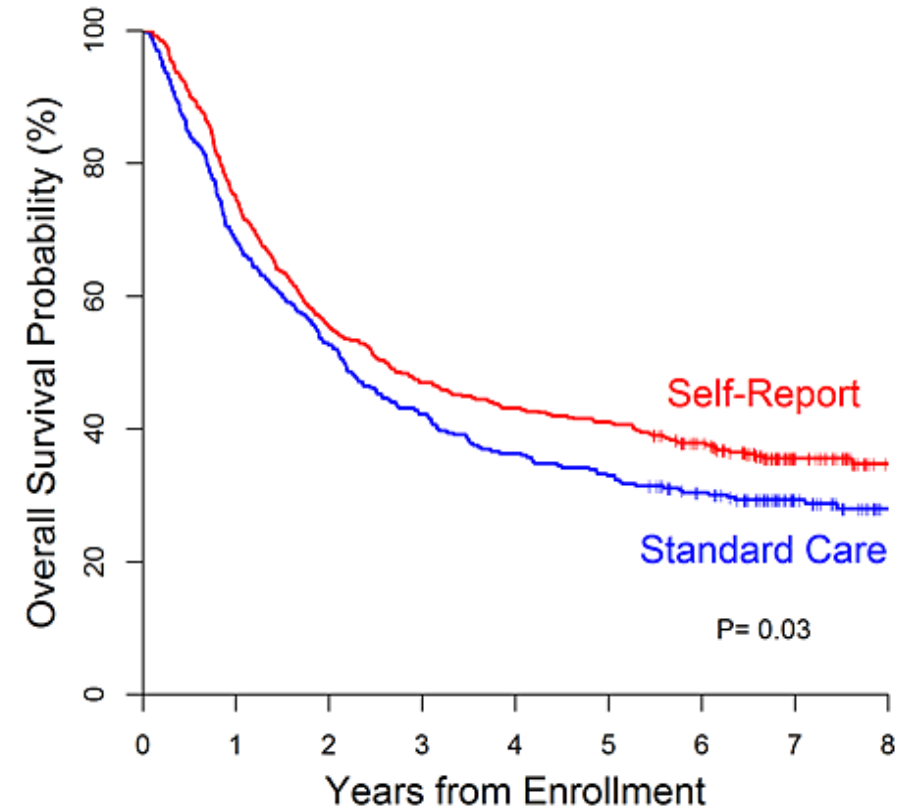


Total	766	554	415	344	308	288
Self-Report	441	331	244	207	190	181
Standard	325	223	171	137	118	107



Overall Survival

- Compared to standard care, median survival was 5 months longer among patients in the self-reporting arm (31.2 vs. 26.0 months) ($P=0.03$)
- Remained significant in multivariable analysis: Adjusted hazard ratio 0.832 (95% CI; 0.696, 0.995)



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Self-Report	441	331	244	207	190	181	148	65	33
Standard	325	223	171	137	118	107	89	50	27

*Randomized Trial Comparing a Web-Mediated Follow-Up via
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Lung Cancer Patients: Final Results*
Abstract #6500

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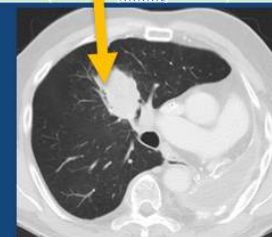
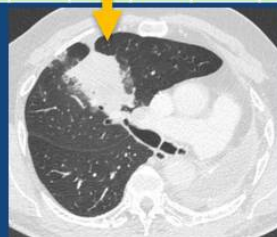
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Tumor Response Assessment Improvement

>1-year immunotherapy duration... and ongoing

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Weakness	1	2	1	1	2	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		1	1	1	2	1	1
Pain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Cough	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0							
Breathlessness	1	1	2	2	2	2	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		0	0	0	0	0	0
Depression	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		2	2	2	2	2	2
Fever	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Face swelling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Lump under skin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Voice changing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Blood in sputum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0

4/2017
Nivolumab
initiated



6/2018
Nivolumab
ongoing

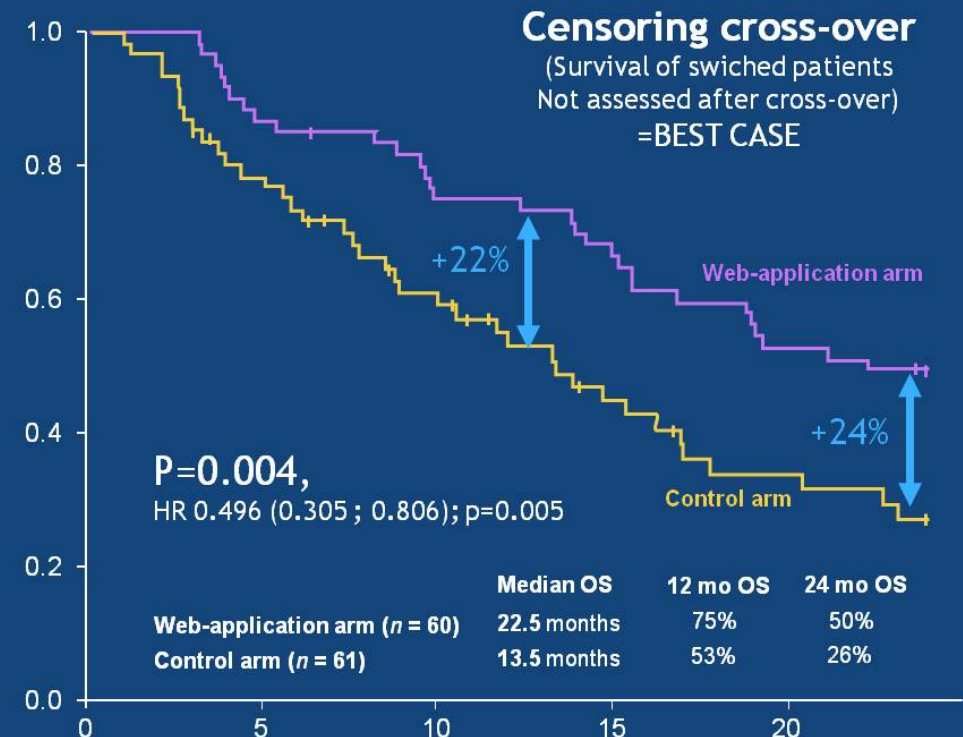
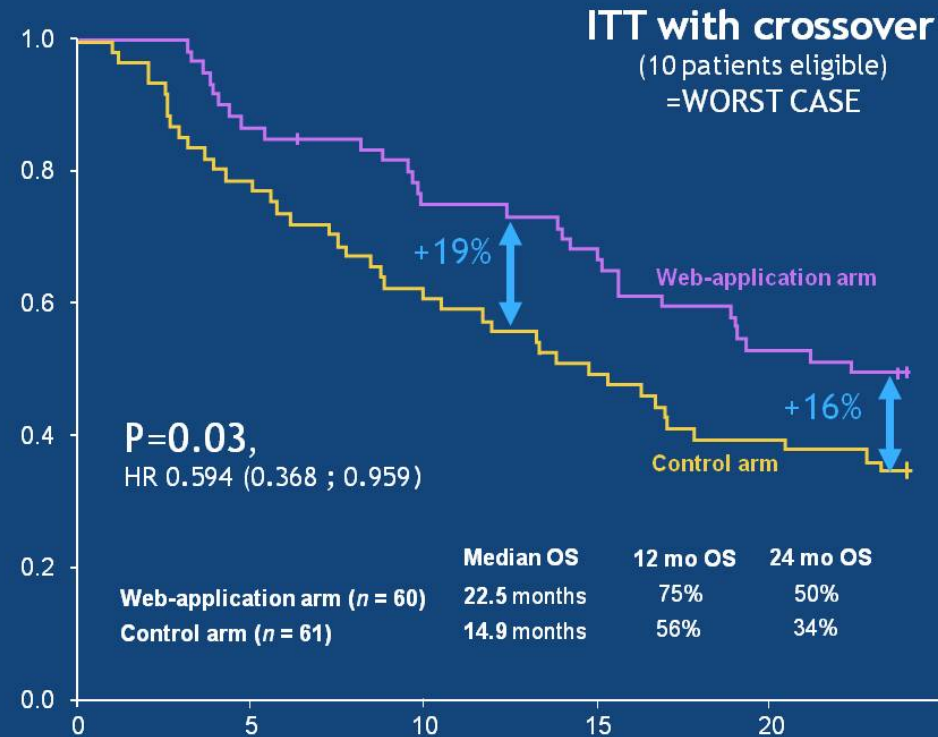
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Final OS analysis (2-Yrs follow-up)



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Integration of patient-reported symptoms into cancer care is associated with clinical benefits

This approach should be considered for inclusion in standard symptom management to improve and measure quality of care

Future efforts should focus on strategies for integrating self-reporting into clinical workflow and electronic health records

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Managing Treatment +
Symptoms and Side Effects

Keeping Healthy During +
Cancer Treatment

Coping With Cancer and +
Your Treatment

HOME



Welcome to the home page of the University of Leeds and Leeds Teaching Hospitals, eRAPID research project funded by a National Institute for Health Research (NIHR) Programme Grant (RP-PG-0611-20008).

eRAPID stands for “Electronic patient self-Reporting of Adverse-events: Patient Information and aDvice”.

The aim is to develop an integrated web-system for patients to report symptoms and side effects during and after cancer treatment. Data that is reported by patients using the web-system (called QTool) will be documented in individual patient electronic health records. Where patients report mild side effects they will receive advice on how to manage them and to seek timely medical advice.

If you have any queries regarding the content of this website, please contact **The Patient Reported Outcomes Group (POG)** on (0113) 20 68968.

Please visit our Patient Reported Outcomes website www.pogweb.org to view our other studies. Our research primarily involves developing and evaluating web based systems for cancer patients to report information about their health and wellbeing.

Patient symptom report- QTool

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL <https://qtool.leeds.ac.uk/TakeQuestionnaire/19a57997-84db-4f44-b951-8950bd00d355/page2>. The page header includes the 'TOOL' logo and navigation links: 'Demo | Home | Account | Log Out'. The main heading is 'eRAPID questionnaire', followed by a progress indicator 'Page 2 of 12' and a progress bar. The question is 'During the past week: Have you felt sick (nauseous or queasy)?'. There are four radio button options: 'No', 'I felt sick but I was able to eat and drink the SAME AMOUNT and type of foods as usual' (which is selected), 'I felt sick and I ate or drank LESS THAN usual or changed what I ate or drank', and 'I felt sick and was not able to eat or drink'. At the bottom of the question area are two buttons: 'Previous page' and 'Next page'.

- Patients log in using a unique username and password
- Answer 12-15 symptom questions
- Nausea, vomiting, bowels, pain, fatigue, etc
- Varies between tumour groups
- Based on CTCAE criteria
- Option to add additional symptoms at the end

Patient symptom report- QTool

Take Questionnaire: eRAPID ques... x +

https://qtool.leeds.ac.uk/TakeQuestionnaire/19a57997-84db-4f44-b951-8950bd00d355/page3

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eRAPID questionnaire

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During the past week:
Have you been sick (vomited)?

- ☐ No
- ☐ I have vomited 1 - 2 times in a 24 hour period
- ☐ I have vomited 3 - 5 times in a 24 hour period
- ☒ I have vomited 6 or more times in a 24 hour period

Is this a current problem or has it now improved?

- ☒ This is a current problem for me
- ☐ I have experienced this problem in the last 7 days but it has now improved

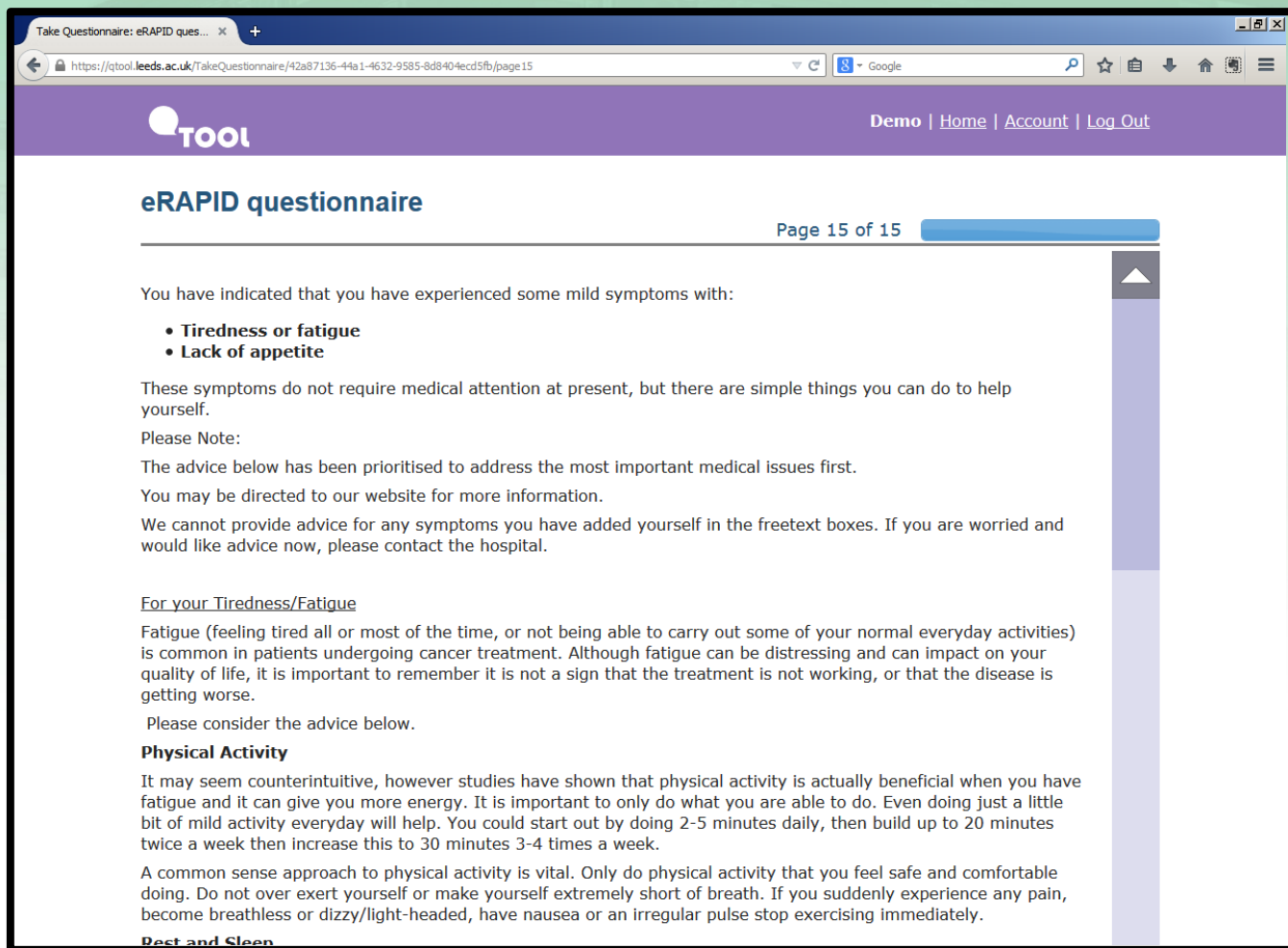
You have indicated a serious problem in this area. We recommend that you contact the hospital now to discuss your symptoms with the medical team (St James's University Hospital 0113 243 3144 and ask for the Oncology Patient Enquiries Bleep Holder).

Before you contact the hospital and if you feel able, please complete the remaining questions.

[Previous page](#) [Next page](#)

If the patient reports a symptom that needs immediate medical attention, they are immediately advised to contact the oncology bleep holder.

Advice for self-management- QTool



Take Questionnaire: eRAPID ques... x

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eRAPID questionnaire

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You have indicated that you have experienced some mild symptoms with:

- Tiredness or fatigue
- Lack of appetite

These symptoms do not require medical attention at present, but there are simple things you can do to help yourself.

Please Note:

The advice below has been prioritised to address the most important medical issues first.

You may be directed to our website for more information.

We cannot provide advice for any symptoms you have added yourself in the freetext boxes. If you are worried and would like advice now, please contact the hospital.

For your Tiredness/Fatigue

Fatigue (feeling tired all or most of the time, or not being able to carry out some of your normal everyday activities) is common in patients undergoing cancer treatment. Although fatigue can be distressing and can impact on your quality of life, it is important to remember it is not a sign that the treatment is not working, or that the disease is getting worse.

Please consider the advice below.

Physical Activity

It may seem counterintuitive, however studies have shown that physical activity is actually beneficial when you have fatigue and it can give you more energy. It is important to only do what you are able to do. Even doing just a little bit of mild activity everyday will help. You could start out by doing 2-5 minutes daily, then build up to 20 minutes twice a week then increase this to 30 minutes 3-4 times a week.

A common sense approach to physical activity is vital. Only do physical activity that you feel safe and comfortable doing. Do not over exert yourself or make yourself extremely short of breath. If you suddenly experience any pain, become breathless or dizzy/light-headed, have nausea or an irregular pulse stop exercising immediately.

Rest and Sleep

- For less serious symptoms advice for helping patients self-manage these issues is provided.
- Information on all symptoms and side effects is also available on the eRAPID website.

Flexibility- Drop-down Menu or Type in

https://qtool.leeds.ac.uk/TakeQuestionnaire/a55f1b79-81b3-4cf9-9e5a-89805f2a446d/page4

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eRAPID demo questionnaire

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☐ No

☒ Yes

Please tell us about **up to three** of these below. Individual advice for these will not be provided here, but your medical team will be able to see that you have had trouble with these issues next time they check your records.

If you are concerned and would like advice on these now, please contact the hospital.

1)

new and worsening shortness of breath
Sore hands/feet
Tingling/numbness in fingers/toes
Other (please specify)

3)



Patient symptom reports in EHR

Patient reported data is immediately transferred from QTool to PPM

The screenshot shows the PPM interface with the QTool tab selected. The QTool section displays questionnaire responses and a graph of scores for Pain and Vomiting. The graph shows a score of 3 for Pain and 2 for Vomiting. The QTool section also includes a 'Respond to alert' button and a 'Tabulated Results' section.

QTool tab in PPM



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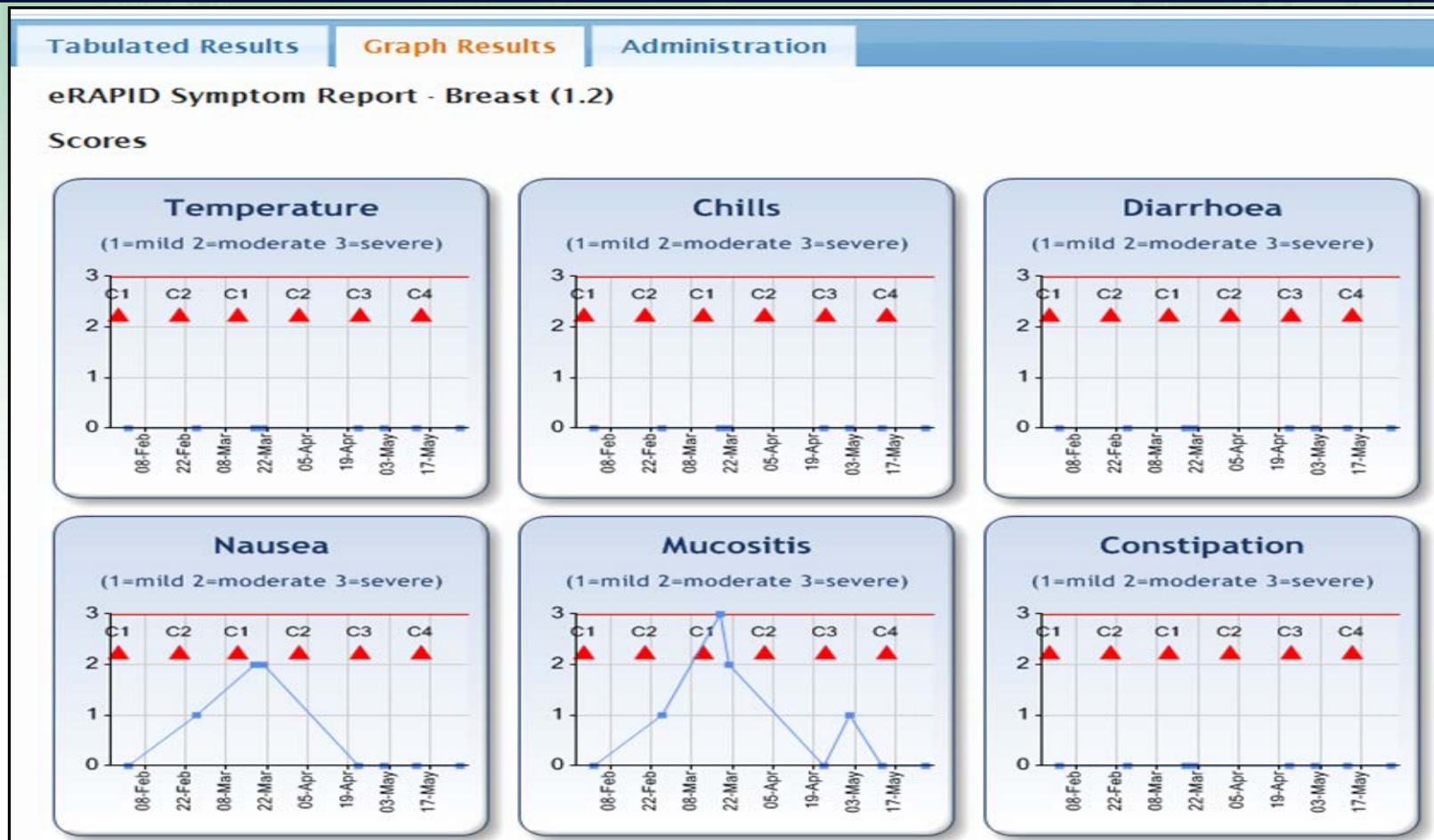
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Clinician view EHR- graphs

Patient reported data is immediately transferred to EHR



Clinician View in EHR - Table

ient Pathway Manager (Version 1.04.108) - [Trial Browser (using All Diseases)]

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Trial Name or Code (partial) Principal Investigator Trial Type Trial Status

Clinical Trial Episode QTool Documents

Tabulated Results Graph Results Administration

ALERT: 11-Mar-2014, Alert Name: SevereNausea, Alert Level:High, Details: Patient reported severe nausea - eRAPID Toxicity (4.5)
ALERT: 11-Mar-2014, Alert Name: SeverePain, Alert Level:High, Details: Patient reported severe pain - eRAPID Toxicity (4.5)
ALERT: 11-Mar-2014, Alert Name: SeverePhysicalAbility, Alert Level:High, Details: Patient reported severe physical difficulty - eRAPID Toxicity (4.5)

eRAPID Toxicity (4.5)

Scores	12-May-	28-Apr-	14-Apr-	07-Apr-	24-Mar-	11-Mar-
Pain (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe)	2	1	1	0	1	3
Vomiting (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe)	0	0	2	0	0	0
Nausea (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe)	1	0	2	0	2	3
Diarrhoea (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe)	1	0	0	0	0	0
Constipation (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe)	0	1	1	1	1	1
Mucositis (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe)	1	1	1	0	1	2
Temperature (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe)	0	0	0	0	0	2
Chills (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Difficulty with physical abil (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe)	2	1	1	0	2	3
Lack of appetite (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe)	0	0	1	0	1	1
Fatigue (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe)	1	1	1	1	1	2
Difficuly sleeping (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe)	1	1	0	1	1	1
Shortness of breath (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe)						
Sore hands/feet (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe)						
Neuropathy (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe)					1	1



View of free text entered by patients

(1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe 4=very severe)

Anxiety
(1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe)

Question	21-Nov-2016 (Latest)	13-Nov-2016	11-Nov-2016	05-Nov-2016	03-Nov-2016	29-Oct-2016
Site of pain	Bladder		Knees	Knees		
Other symptom		Blood in urine	Nose bleeds	Blood in urine		Blood in urine
Severity (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe 4=very severe)		1	1	1		1
Other symptom		Nosebleeds				Nosebleeds
Severity (1=mild 2=moderate 3=severe 4=very severe)		2				1
Other symptom						

Note

- Results displayed were correct as of 24-Nov-2016 13:33
- All results shown are patient reported unless indicated otherwise
- QTool is checked for new completed questionnaires every 5 minutes
- A cross is displayed on a graph to denote an unanswered question

Refine results

Show results from a range of questionnaire responses Show results from a single questionnaire response

AEs items severity grades and alert thresholds

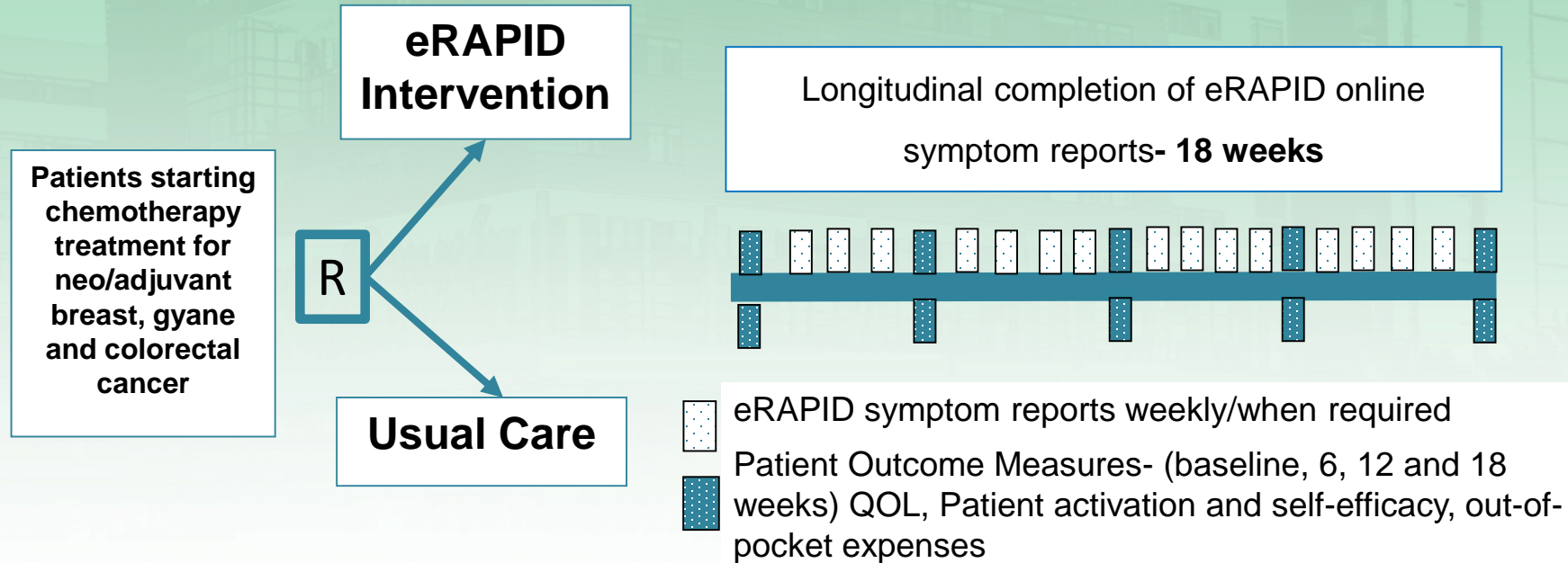
Pain	Have you had pain or discomfort anywhere on your body?	No	Standard	Standard	Standard
		I had mild pain or discomfort	1	1	1
		I had moderate pain or discomfort and I was not able to do some of the things I normally do (e.g. household chores, shopping)	2	2	2
		I had severe pain or discomfort and I was not able to care for myself (e.g. getting out of bed, bathing, dressing)	3	3	3
Nausea	Have you <u>felt</u> sick (nauseous or queasy)?	No	Standard	Standard	Standard
		I felt sick but I was able to eat and drink the same amount and type of foods as usual	1	1	1
		I felt sick and I ate or drank less than usual or changed what I ate or drank	2	2	2
		I felt sick and was not able to eat or drink	3	3	3
Sleep	Have you had difficulty sleeping? OR What was the severity of your difficulty sleeping?	No	Standard	Dropdown	Standard
		I occasionally have difficulty falling asleep, staying asleep or I wake too early	1	1	1
		I often have difficulty falling asleep, staying asleep or I wake too early	1	1	1
		I always have difficulty falling asleep, staying asleep or I wake too early	2	2	2
Neuropathy	Have you had tingling or numbness in your fingers or toes? OR What was the severity of the tingling or numbness in your fingers or toes?	No	Dropdown	Standard	Standard
		I had a bit of tingling or numbness (perhaps when handling cold or hot objects)	1	1	1
		I had tingling or numbness and I was not able to do some of the things I normally do (e.g. buttoning up or using cutlery)	1	1	1
		I had tingling or numbness and I was not able to carry out daily activities (e.g. I had difficulty walking, dropped things or stepped on things by accident)	2	2	2



Clinical algorithms- Overview

Algorithm	Summary	Immediate advice message in QTool
A1	One or more Level 3 problem, current - contact the hospital now	You have indicated a serious problem in this area. We recommend that you contact the hospital now to discuss your symptoms with the medical team (St James's University Hospital 0113 243 3144 and ask for the Oncology Patient Enquiries Bleep Holder).
A2	Level 3 problem(s) which improved, contact the team when convenient	You have reported that you have been experiencing some serious problems which have now improved. If you have not already been in contact with your medical team, we recommend that you contact them to discuss your symptoms when convenient, or mention them at your next clinic appointment (if in the next 1-2 weeks). If you have already been in touch with your medical team regarding your symptoms, please follow the advice they have given you.
B	Three or more Level 2 medically important problems; contact the team when convenient	If your symptoms are new or have changed recently, please either contact the hospital when convenient to discuss your symptoms with the medical team or mention them at your next clinic appointment (if in the next 1-2 weeks).
C	Mild symptoms, do not require medical attention at present, self-management advice	Follow self management advice
D	No problems reported	No advice

eRAPID Systemic RCT diagram



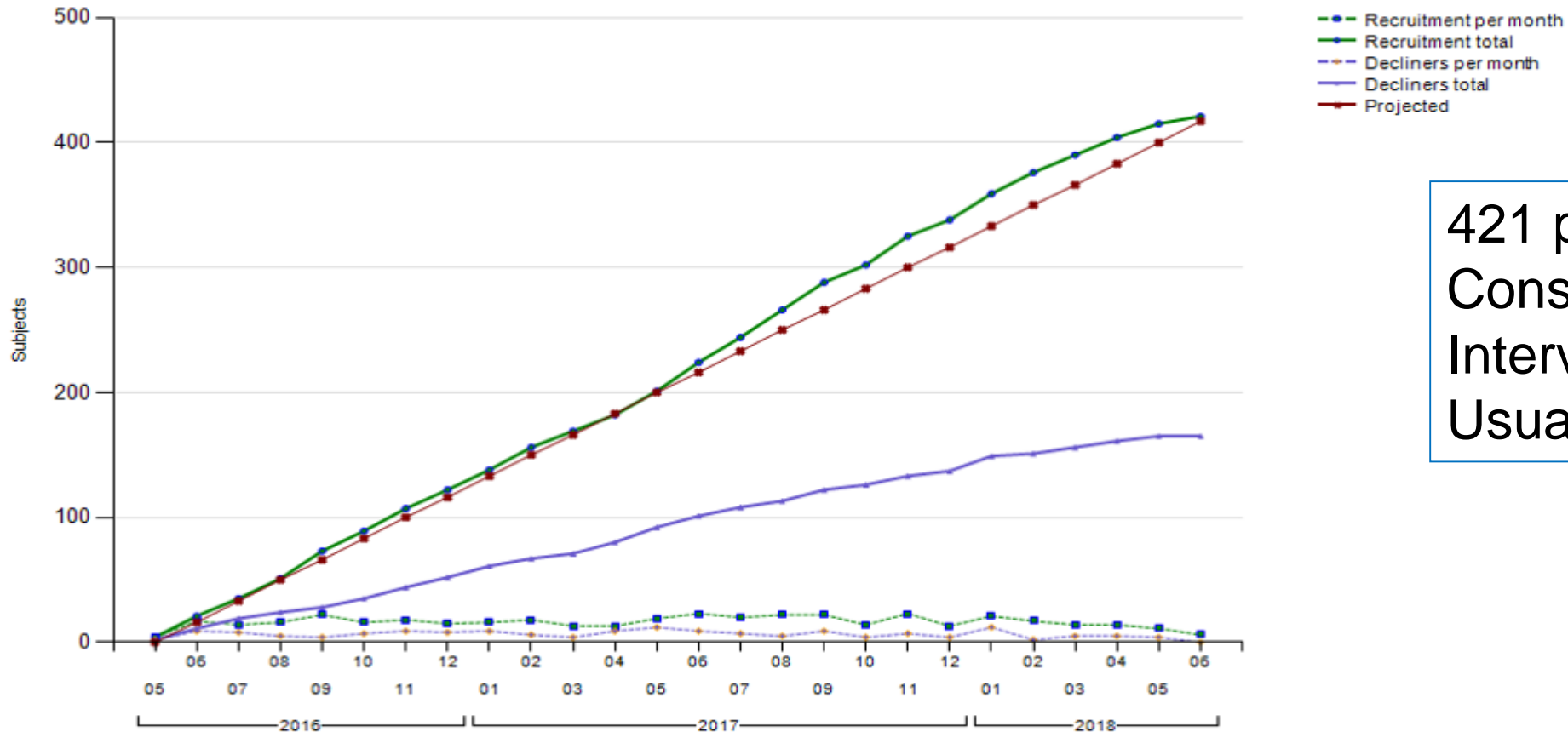
Endpoints and analysis

- Recruitment, attrition, missing data
- Quality of life (FACT-G), EORTC QLQ-C30
- Clinical process measures- number of hospital contacts, alerts and hospital admissions, clinician records of symptoms, changes to treatment
- Use of resources- hospital and community contacts, medications and treatment related expenses
- End of study interviews with participants and clinical staff



Recruitment graph– Main trial (18/05/2016 – 11/06/2018)

Recruitment Accrual Report
eRAPID RCT in systemic cancer treatment (Main trial)



421 patients consented
Consent rate 72%
Intervention N = 212
Usual care N=209



Pilot Study- Activation of clinical algorithms

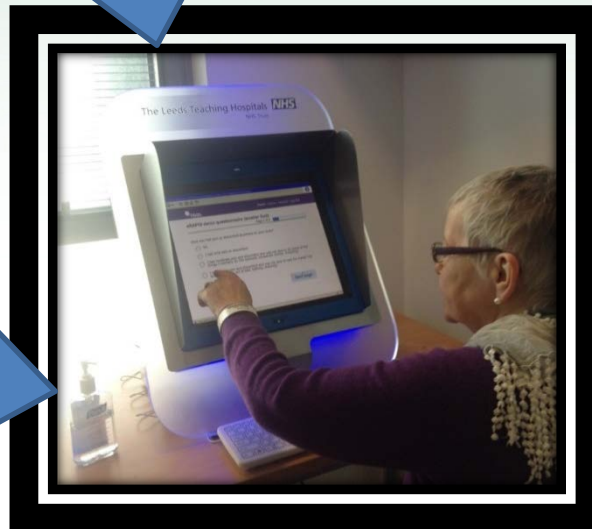
Algorithm	Breast	Ovarian	Colorectal
Total Online completions	382	73	85
Alert -contact the hospital immediately	2%	0	0
Serious symptoms improved, contact when convenient	10%	10%	5%
3 or more moderate symptoms, contact when convenient	17%	22%	4%
Mild symptoms, self-management advice	69%	67%	91%
No problems	1%	1%	1%

Feedback from patients and staff

...puts your mind at ease as you can have a lot of questions or problems regarding your illness and with one click they can be answered ...No waiting till your next appointment.

Informative as patient completed through cycle so I was able to see progress

It's like a life line when you feel isolated when you're at home and feeling poorly

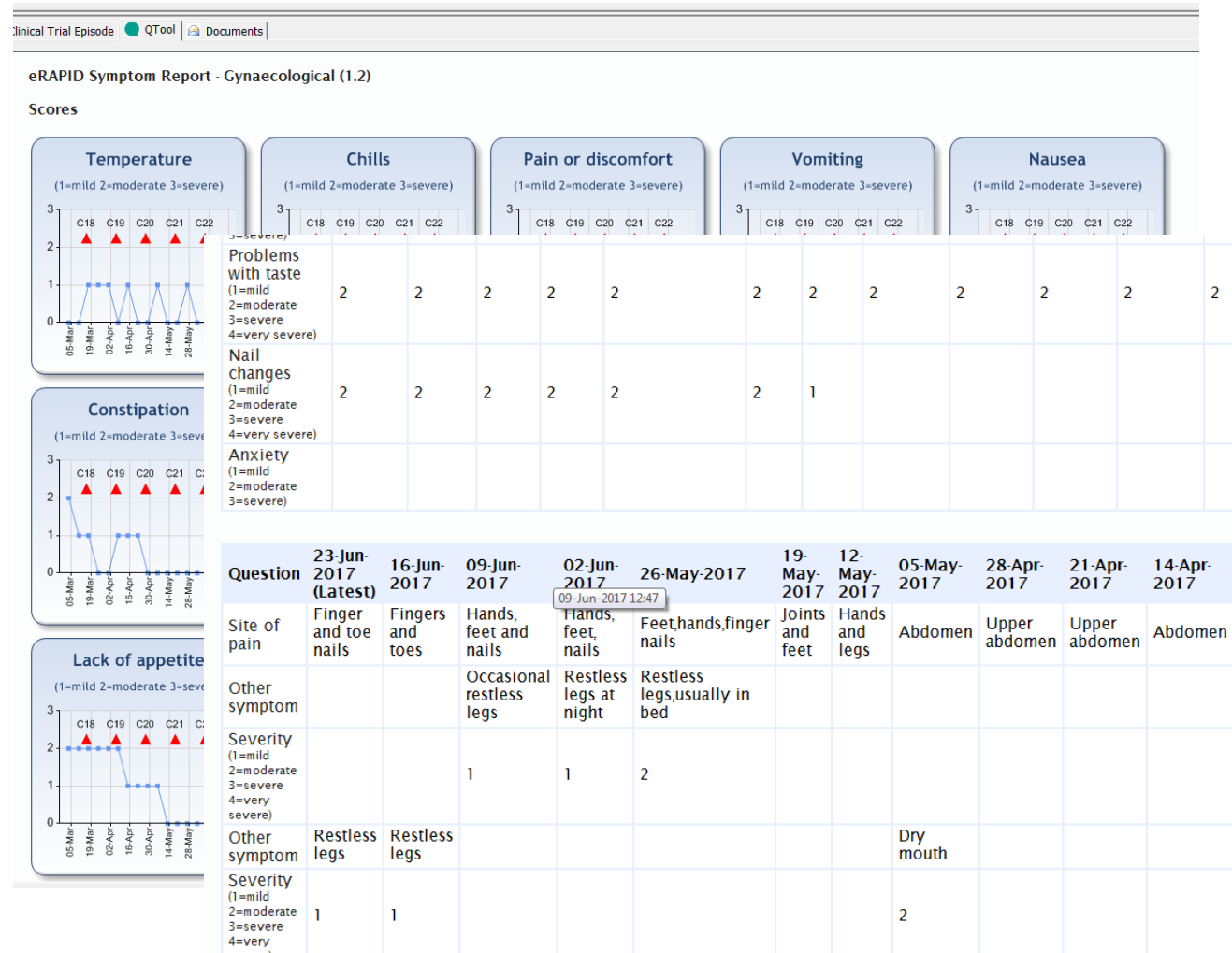


Very valuable, good graphical values, very easy to interpret



Case study-ovarian cancer, patient-reported CTCAE items

- 75 year old lady
- 2011 - Stage 3c/4 high grade serous ovarian adenocarcinoma. No pathogenic gBRCA mutation
- Chemotherapy with interval debulking surgery
- 2012-2017 - 7 lines of systemic treatment incl. bevacizumab, Tamoxifen, Carbo, paclitaxel, Caelyx.
- **Feb - Jun 17: Low-dose weekly paclitaxel/carboplatin x 6. Lymph nodes, peritoneal disease, ascites**
- **Partial response on CT and CA125 - normalised**



Brief Conclusions

- **HRQOL and PROs in clinical trials**
 - Provide important additional information
- **New PRO concepts in cancer clinical trials**
 - Tolerability of cancer treatments is important
 - Tools for tolerability assessment
 - NCI PRO-CTCAE items
 - EORTC Item Library
- **PROs in routine oncology practice**
 - Benefits for patient care

Available resources

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International Society for Quality of Life Research

**User's Guide to Implementing
Patient-Reported Outcomes Assessment in
Clinical Practice
(2015)**

[http://www.isoqol.org/UserFiles/
2015UsersGuide-Version2.pdf](http://www.isoqol.org/UserFiles/2015UsersGuide-Version2.pdf)

**User's Guide to Integrating
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EORTC guidelines

European Journal of Cancer 68 (2016) 73–81

Available online at www.sciencedirect.com

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Review

The use of EORTC measures in daily clinical practice—
A synopsis of a newly developed manual

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EORTC Quality of Life Group Item Library

The Item Library is a database of items used in fully and partially validated EORTC quality of life questionnaires.

EORTC Quality of Life Home Instrument Development ▾ EORTC CAT

CHES platform

Electronic data collection infrastructure for
EORTC Quality of Life Group projects



**PRO instrument
development platform**



**EORTC CAT
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**PRO monitoring in
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Patient-Reported Outcomes version of the
Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events

<http://appliedresearch.cancer.gov/pro-ctcae>

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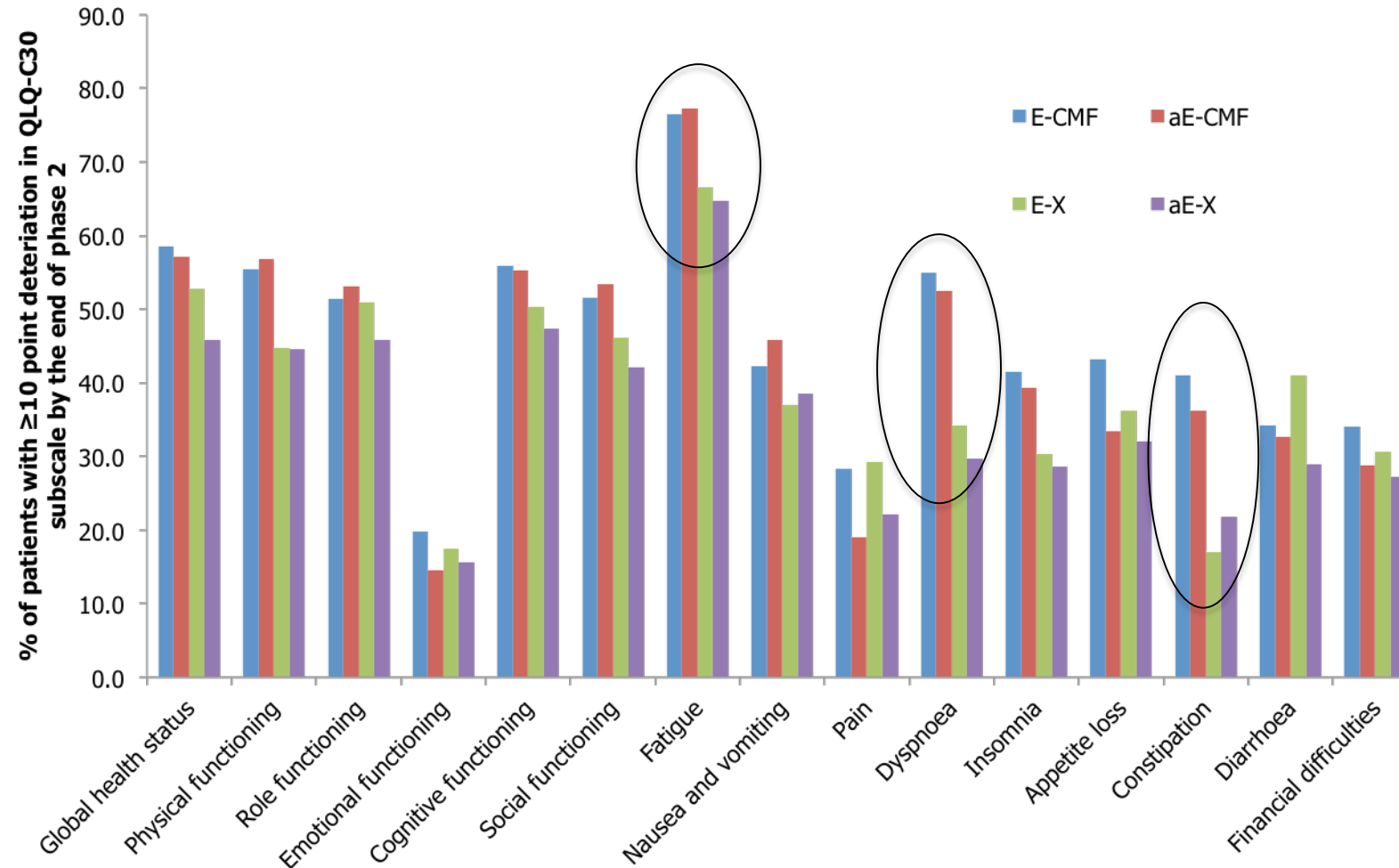
Reserve slides

Longitudinal modelling

Subscale	p-value	Subscale	p-value
QLQ-C30		QLQ-BR23	
Global health status	0.96	Body image	0.45
Physical functioning	0.79	Sexual functioning	0.62
Role functioning	0.97	Sexual enjoyment	0.06
Emotional functioning	0.92	Future perspective	0.07
Cognitive functioning	0.66	Systemic side-effects	0.08
Social functioning	0.33	Breast symptoms	0.98
Fatigue	0.98	Arm symptoms	0.81
Nausea and vomiting	0.02*	Hair loss	0.33
Pain	0.77		
Dyspnoea	0.69	HADS total score	0.90
Insomnia	0.34		
Appetite loss	0.12	Wu Fatigue score	0.25
Constipation	0.61*		
Diarrhoea	0.44	FSI Composite score	0.26
Financial difficulties	0.02		

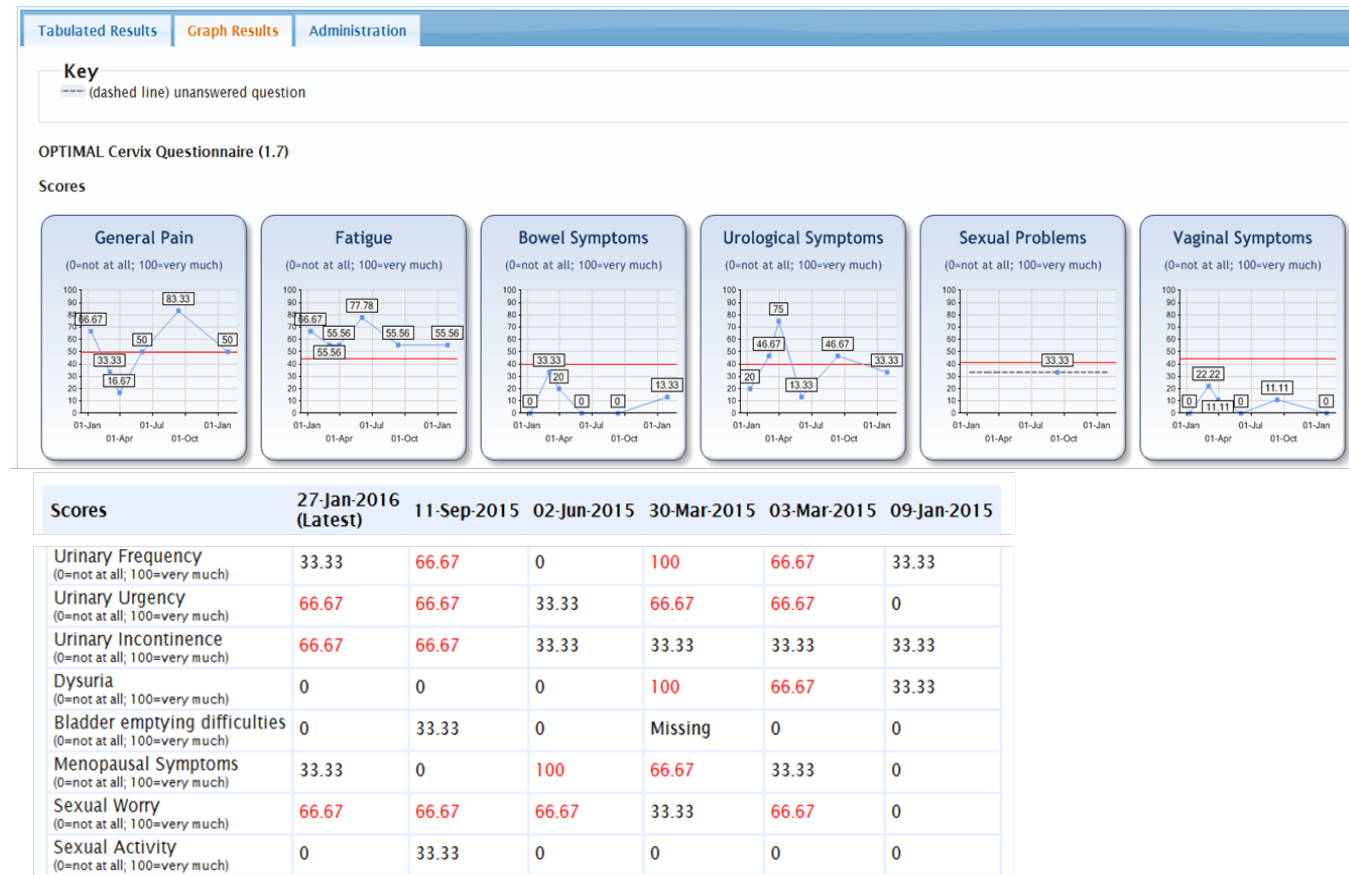
“Responder analysis”

Proportion of patients with ≥ 10 point deterioration by the end of phase 2, by treatment arm



Case study-Cx cancer chemoradiotherapy, QLQ-C30 and Cx module

- 31 year old lady, bleeding 27 weeks pregnancy
- Poorly differentiated SCC, MRI - 5x3x4cm tumour extending into the left parametrium
- Planned 48Gy in 28 fractions of radiotherapy with 5 cycles of weekly concurrent cisplatin chemotherapy
- Planned to proceed with intracavity brachytherapy 21Gy in 3 fractions
- Instead - external beam phase 2 boost to the residual tumour volume (18Gy in 10 fractions with two further concurrent cisplatin cycles)
- Potential for increased toxicity
- Complete remission on MRI and PET at 3 months
- 18 months follow-up – neuropathy, radiation cystitis and bowel toxicity
- EORTC QLQ-C30 and CX module



NIHR eRAPID Multi-centre programme in systemic therapy, radiotherapy and surgery

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eRAPID is a complex intervention

(NIHR programme grant)

Patients- Symptom items

Self-reporting of side effects with severity grading

Electronic platform

- Functional in Real-time
- Confidential
- Well-supported

eRAPID
Intervention

Patients - Advice and alerts

- Mild self-management advice
- Serious Alerts to patients and clinicians

Integration in patient care pathways

- Staff training
- Patient training



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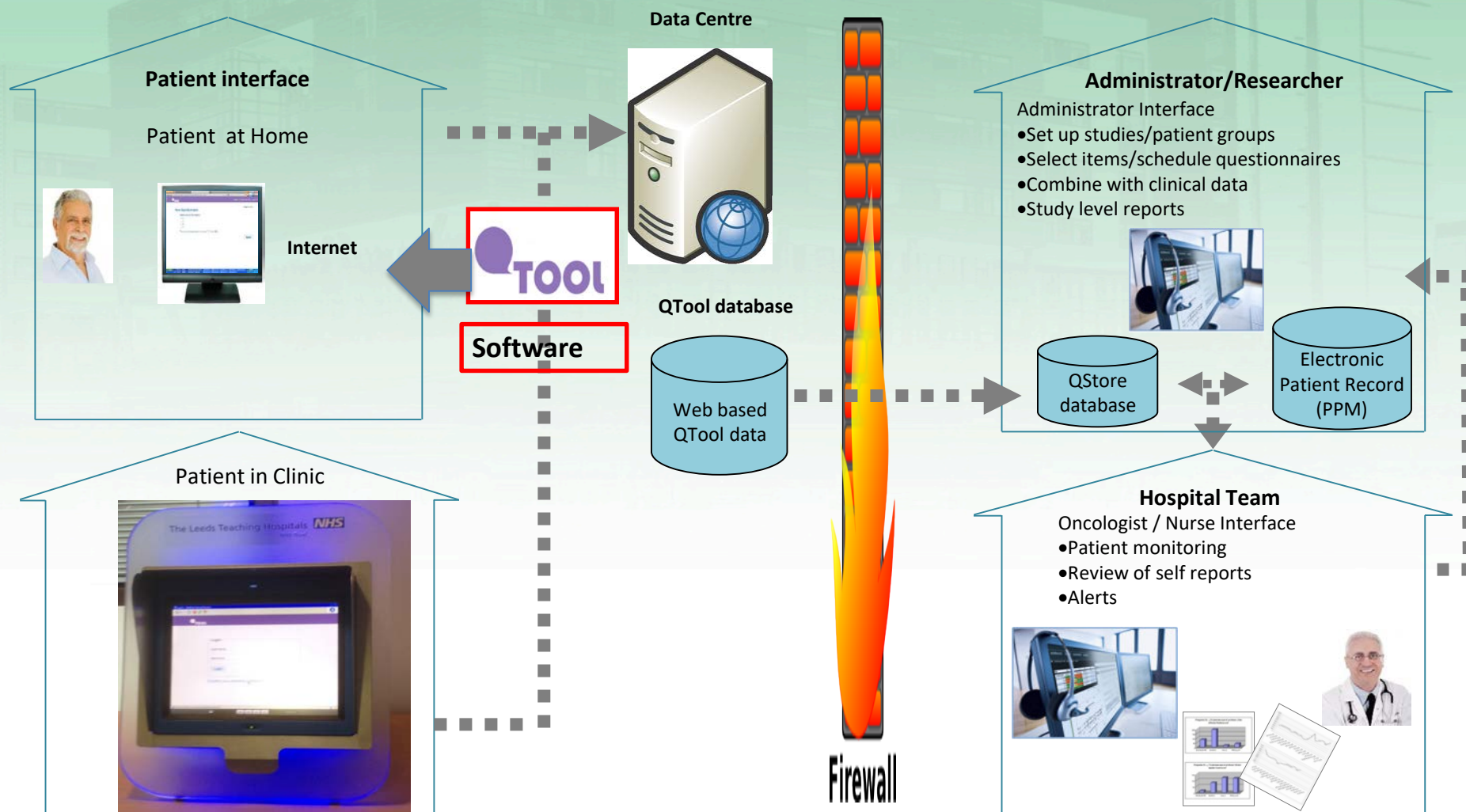
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Electronic platform – QTool EHR System



CTCAE-Patient self-reporting format

CTCAE Item	Patient self-report item
Mucositis oral Definition: A disorder characterized by inflammation of the oral mucosal. Attributes: Severity, Interference	Have you had a sore mouth or tongue?
	No
Grade 1. Asymptomatic or mild symptoms; intervention not indicated	My mouth was a bit sore
Grade 2. Moderate pain; not interfering with oral intake; modified diet indicated	My mouth was quite sore but I was still able to drink and eat soft foods
Grade 3. Severe pain; interfering with oral intake	My mouth was very sore and I was not able to eat or drink