


Ovarian Cancer

Epidemiology and Screening





Ovarian Cancer

Key Statistics

- Highest mortality rate of all gynecologic malignancies
 - Fifth in cancer deaths among women
 - 21,410 diagnoses
 - 13,770 deaths
- Overall 5 year survival rate: 46%
 - Confined to the ovary: 95%
 - Stage IV: 18%
- 75% are detected at advanced stage

ACS, CA Cancer J Clin 2009; 59(4): 225-249







Screening for ovarian cancer

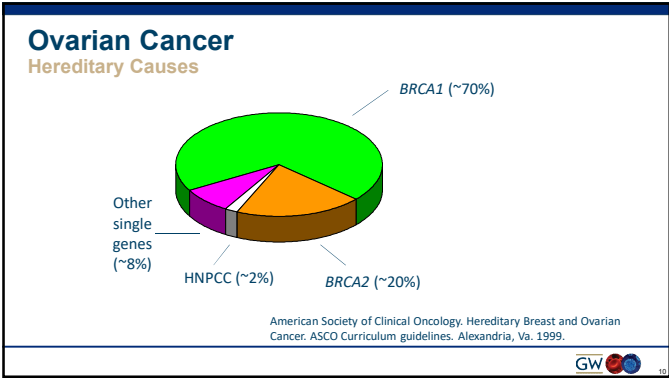
No effective screening test
for the general population!

Risk reducing BSO for women at highest
risk for epithelial ovarian/fallopian tube
cancer

Menon U, et al. Lancet Oncol. March 10, 2009
Menon U et al: Obstet Gynecol 131:909-927, 2018







BRCA Mutations

	Germline	Somatic
Origin	Inherited	Acquired
Prevalence	18%	7%

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Staging and Diagnosis

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FIGO Staging 2014

STAGE I: Tumor confined to ovaries	
IA	Tumor limited to 1 ovary, capsule intact, no tumor on surface, negative washings
IB	Tumor involves both ovaries otherwise like IA
IC	Tumor limited to 1 or both ovaries
IC1	Surgical ooph
IC2	Capsule ruptured before surgery or tumor on ovarian surface
IC3	Malignant cells in the ascites or peritoneal washings
STAGE II: Tumor involves 1 or both ovaries with pelvic extension (below the pelvic brim) or primary peritoneal cancer	
IIA	Extension into the uterus or fallopian tubes
IIB	Extension to other pelvic intraperitoneal tissues
STAGE III: Tumor involves 1 or both ovaries with cytologically or histologically confirmed spread to the peritoneum outside the pelvis and/or metastases to the retroperitoneal lymph nodes	
IIIA	Positive retroperitoneal lymph nodes and/or microscopic metastases beyond the pelvis
IIIA1	Positive retroperitoneal lymph nodes only
IIIA1a	Metastases < 10 mm
IIIA1b	Metastases > 10 mm
IIIB	Microscopic, extrapelvic, below the brim peritoneal involvement & positive retroperitoneal lymph nodes
IIIC	Microscopic, extrapelvic, peritoneal metastases > 2 cm & positive retroperitoneal lymph nodes, includes extension to capsule of liver/spleen
STAGE IV: Distant metastasis excluding peritoneal metastases	
IVA	Pleural effusion with positive cytology
IVB	Hepatic and/or splenic parenchymal metastases, metastases to extracolonic organs including regional lymph nodes and lymph nodes outside of the abdominal cavity

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Ovarian Cancer

Classic Presentation

- Symptoms
 - Pelvic/abdominal pain
 - Abdominal bloating
 - Early satiety
 - Urinary changes
- Evaluation
 - Exam to assess for pelvic mass
 - Imaging of abdominal cavity
 - CA-125

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Ovarian Cancer Treatment

Initial Diagnosis

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- Ovarian Cancer

- Should be done by a gynecologic oncologist
- **Goal:** no residual disease
 - Significant survival advantage
 - Optimal: less than 1 cm residual deposits
 - Suboptimal: More than 1 cm deposits remaining at completion of surgery

Obstet and Gynecol. 2006;107(1) 77-85

Timing of the debulking surgery



Initial therapy recommendations

Bottom line. . .

- Assuming no contraindication, every patient should have one attempt/evaluation at surgical debulking
 - Goal should be no gross residual disease
 - Can be up front or interval (NACT)
- Surgical quality is critical to outcome
 - Well trained gynecologic oncologist
 - Quality of the surgery impacts OS



Brief note on borderline and low grade ovarian tumors. . .



Borderline and low grade tumors

- Borderline tumors
 - Surgery
 - Excellent prognosis even with intra-abdominal spread (85% 5 yr OS)
 - Observation after surgery
- Low grade
 - Better prognosis than high grade
 - Adjuvant platinum based chemotherapy if advanced stage
 - Consider maintenance hormonal therapy after chemotherapy
 - Ongoing trial of chemotherapy versus hormonal therapy in LGS (Phase III; NRG-GY019)

J Clin Oncol 2017;35(10):1103-1111




Initial Management of Ovarian Cancer
Adjuvant Chemotherapy



Ovarian Cancer
Adjuvant chemotherapy (platinum/taxane)


- In everyone **except**:
 - Stage 1A/B grade 1
 - Tumor limited to inside the ovary
 - >95% 5 yr. relapse free survival
- Platinum/taxane
 - Usually carboplatin and paclitaxel
- Response rate: 60-80%
 - As many as 50% have a complete response
 - 75% of these patients will relapse
- Maintenance therapy
 - Bevacizumab
 - PARP inhibitors (Olaparib, niraparib)



Administration of carboplatin/paclitaxel

- Generally, regimen of choice (6-9 cycles)
 - Carboplatin AUC6/Paclitaxel 175 mg/m²
- IP Chemotherapy
 - GOG172
 - Stage III, optimally debulked
 - More toxicity
 - Quality of life decreased in IP arm until 12 m

	IV	IP
Regimen	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Paclitaxel 135 mg/m²/24hCarboplatin 75mg/m² IV	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Paclitaxel 135 mg/m²/24 hr D1Carboplatin 100mg/m² IP d2Paclitaxel 100mg/m² IP d8
PFS	24 m	18 m
OS	66 m	50 m



NEJM 2006;354:34-43.

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IV or IP?

- GOG252 – (optimal debulking to 1 cm or less)

		PFS	P value HR (95% CI)
IV Carboplatin	Paclitaxel 80mg/m ² /1h d1,8,15 Carboplatin AUC6 IV d1 Bevacizumab 15mg/kg/IV d1 starting cycle2	26.8 m	Reference arm
IP carboplatin	Paclitaxel 80mg/m ² /1h d1,8,15 Carboplatin AUC6 IP d1 Bevacizumab 15mg/kg/IV d1 starting cycle 2	28.7m	0.416 0.947 (0.808-1.11)
IP cisplatin	Paclitaxel 135mg/m ² /1h IV d1 Cisplatin 75mg/m ² IP d2 Paclitaxel 60mg/m ² IP d8 Bevacizumab 15mg/m ² d1 starting cycle 2	27.8m	0.727 1.01 (0.858-1.18)

Evidence for superior efficacy is not clear
IP chemotherapy causes more toxicity and has a greater impact on QOL
Careful patient selection, less commonly used now

NEJM 2006; 354:34-43

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Trial Design

JGOG 3016- "dose dense"

- Ovarian epithelial, primary peritoneal, or fallopian tube cancer
- FIGO Stage II-IV
- Stratified: residual disease, stage, and histology

RANDOMIZE

Standard Arm: c-TC
Paclitaxel 180 mg/m², day 1
Carboplatin AUC 6, day 1
Q21 days for 6-9 cycles

Experimental Arm: dd-TC
Paclitaxel 80 mg/m² days 1,8, 15
Carboplatin AUC 6 day 1
Q21 days for 6-9 cycles

JGOG 3016

Results

• PFS: 28.2 vs. 17.5m
• 10.7m PFS benefit
(HR 0.76, p=0.0037)

• OS: 100.5 vs. 62.2m
• 38.3m PFS benefit
(HR 0.79, p=0.039)

Lancet Oncol 14(10): 1020-1026, 2013.

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GOG 262
Stage III/IV Disease: Large Volume Residual

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Pacitaxel 80 mg/m² IV every week + Carboplatin AUC 6
IV every 3 weeks x 6 cycles with optional Bevacizumab 15
mg/kg IV starting with cycle 2 until disease progression

Pacitaxel 175 mg/m² IV + Carboplatin AUC 6 IV every 3
weeks x 6 cycles with optional Bevacizumab 15 mg/kg IV
starting with cycle 2 until disease progression

n = 625
Primary Endpoint = Progression free survival
Activated: Sep 27 2010
Study Chair: J Chan

ClinicalTrials.gov Identifier: NCT01167712

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Results

A Progression-free Survival

	No. of Events	Total No. of Patients	Median mos
Weekly paclitaxel	256	346	14.7
Every-3-wk paclitaxel	272	346	14.0

Hazard ratio, 0.89 (95% CI, 0.74-1.06)
P=0.18

B Overall Survival

	No. of Events	Total No. of Patients	Median mos
Weekly paclitaxel	146	346	40.2
Every-3-wk paclitaxel	158	346	39.0

Hazard ratio, 0.94
(95% CI, 0.72-1.23)

No. at Risk

	346	296	84	1
Weekly paclitaxel	346	296	84	1
Every-3-wk paclitaxel	346	200	82	5

No. at Risk

	346	308	241	111	2
Weekly paclitaxel	346	308	241	111	2
Every-3-wk paclitaxel	346	302	247	114	2

NEJM 2016;374:738-748

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Subgroup analysis

C Progression-free Survival without Bevacizumab

	No. of Events	Total No. of Patients	Median mo
Weekly paclitaxel	37	55	14.2
Every-3-wk paclitaxel	47	57	10.3

Hazard ratio, 0.62 (95% CI, 0.40–0.95)
P=0.03

No. at Risk

Month	0	12	24	36
Weekly paclitaxel	55	28	12	1
Every-3-wk paclitaxel	57	20	6	1

D Progression-free Survival with Bevacizumab

	No. of Events	Total No. of Patients	Median mo
Weekly paclitaxel	219	291	14.9
Every-3-wk paclitaxel	225	289	14.7

Hazard ratio, 0.99 (95% CI, 0.83–1.20)
P=0.60

No. at Risk

Month	0	12	24	36
Weekly paclitaxel	291	178	72	0
Every-3-wk paclitaxel	289	160	76	4

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Trial Design

MITO-7

- FIGO IC-IV
- ECOG PS 0-2
- No prior chemotherapy
- Stratified: Center, PS, Residual disease

RANDOMIZE

Control arm: (403 pts.)

Carboplatin AUC 6 d1 q21

Paclitaxel 175 mg/m² d1 q21

6 cycles

Experimental arm: (405 pts.)

Carboplatin AUC 2 d1,8,15 q21

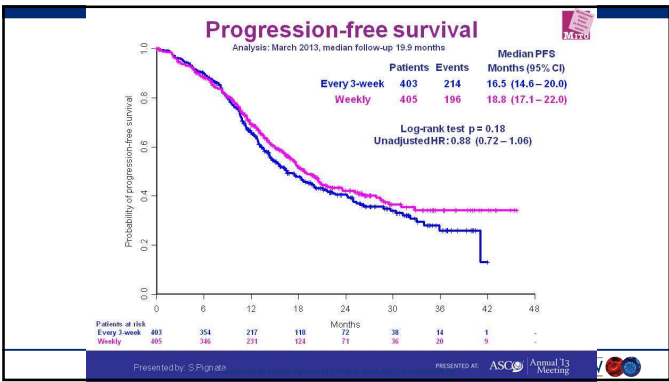
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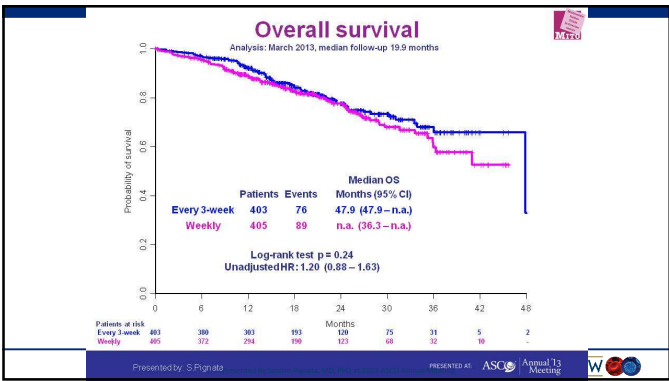
6 cycles

Primary endpoint: PFS , QoL

Secondary endpoints: QoL, OS, Toxicity, RR

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Board Pearls

Initial therapy

- Combination of surgery and chemotherapy
 - Usually initial debulking unless contraindication
 - Platinum/taxane doublet unless stage IA grade 1
 - Generally at least 6 cycles
 - Can consider 3 in earlier stage
- Platinum doublet
 - Generally every three week carboplatin/paclitaxel
 - Abraxane if paclitaxel reaction
 - IP can be considered
 - Look for a contraindication
 - Weekly regimens also an option
 - Dose dense (more cytopenias)
 - MITO-7 (tends to be better tolerated in elderly)
- Consider maintenance therapy



Initial Maintenance Therapy



Maintenance Therapy

- Two main options
 - Bevacizumab
 - Given with the chemotherapy and continued
 - Initial therapy
 - Platinum sensitive recurrence
 - Platinum resistant recurrence
 - PARP inhibitors
 - Given after completion of platinum based chemotherapy
 - After initial therapy
 - Need to respond to initial platinum doublet
 - After platinum sensitive recurrence
 - Need to respond to most recent platinum therapy



Maintenance Therapy

Paclitaxel

- Paclitaxel maintenance
 - GOG 178/SWOG 9701
 - 262 women
 - CR after plt/taxane
 - 175 mg/m² paclitaxel q 28d for 3 vs. 12m
 - PFS 22 vs. 14m p=0.006
 - OS 53 vs. 48m p=0.34
 - Significant neurotoxicity, alopecia etc.

J Clin Oncol 2003;21:2460-2465; Gynecol Oncol 2009;114:195-198. GW

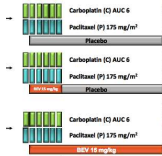
Bevacizumab in Ovarian Cancer

Initial Therapy

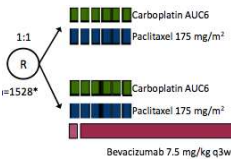
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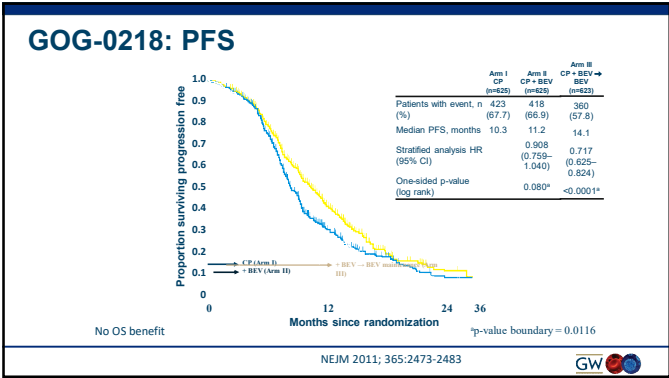
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ICON 7 Results

Parameter	Protocol defined analysis	Post hoc analysis High risk disease
PFS	HR= 0.87; p=0.039	
CP	17.4m	
CP + Bev and Bev maintenance	19.8m	
OS	HR=0.84, p=0.099	HR=0.64; p=0.002
CP	45.5m	34.5m
CP + Bev and Bev maintenance	44.6m	45.5m

High risk: Stage IV, suboptimally debulked (>1cm) stage III, inoperable stage III

Lancet Oncol. 2015;16:928-36

Bevacizumab in front line therapy

- FDA approved June 2018
 - Front line in combination with carboplatin/paclitaxel and maintenance therapy in stage III and IV debulked ovarian/fallopian/primary peritoneal cancer
- Recent update:
 - Can also use PARPi maintenance therapy (will discuss in few slides)
- FDA approval of adding olaparib to the maintenance therapy after front line treatment based on PAOLA-1 clinical data (if HRD)
 - (PFS advantage, but no olaparib only arm on the trial)

NEJM 2019; 381:2416-2428

Bevacizumab

Platinum Sensitive Disease

Platinum sensitive recurrence

- Recurrence of 6 months or more after completion of prior platinum regimen
- Retreat with a platinum doublet
 - Carboplatin/paclitaxel
 - Carboplatin/liposomal doxorubicin
 - Carboplatin/gemcitabine
- Generally a minimum of 6 cycles

Ovarian Carcinoma

OCEANS Trial

Platinum sensitive ovarian, primary peritoneal and fallopian tube cancers

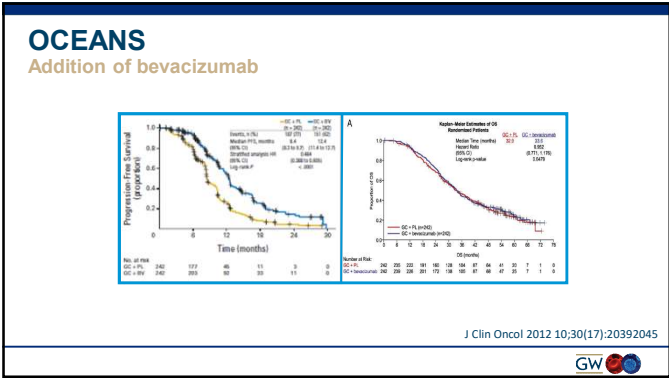
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→ Carboplatin/gemcitabine

→ Carboplatin/gemcitabine + bevacizumab followed by bevacizumab maintenance

N = 484

Proc ASCO 2011; LBA5007; J Clin Onc 2012;30(17):



OCEANS

Addition of bevacizumab

Parameter	Gem/Carbo	Gem/Carbo Bev	
Patients	242	242	
Response Rate	57.4%	78.5%	P<0.0001
Median PFS	8.4 mos	12.4 mos	HR 0.484, p<0.001
Median OS	29.9 mos	35.5 mos	HR 0.751, p=0.094

J Clin Oncol 2012 10;30(17):2039-2045

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Bev after Bev?

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Ovarian Carcinoma

MITO16B – MaNGO OV2B – ENGOT OV17

▪ Stages IIIB-IV in first relapse after frontline chemo/bev

▪ PFI ≥6 mos

▪ PS 0-2

▪ RECIST progression +/- measurable disease

▪ Normal organ function

▪ Tumor samples for molecular analysis

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Platinum-Based Chemotherapy

Chemotherapy plus Bevacizumab

Bevacizumab Maintenance

▪ Primary Endpoint: PFS

▪ Patients: 400 (265 events)

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Ovarian Carcinoma (PFS)

MITO16B – MaNGO OV2B – ENGOT OV17

Kaplan-Meier survival estimates

	Standard	Experimental	Log Rank P
# events	161	143	
Median PFS	8.8 mos	11.8 mos	<0.001
HR* (95%CI)	0.51 (0.41-0.65)		

Indicated by:

age, PS, cancer size, bevacizumab at relapse, chemo backbone, residual disease at initial surgery

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Ovarian Carcinoma (OS)

MITO16B – MaNGO OV2B – ENGOT OV17

Probability of Survival

	Chemo	Chemo/Bev	Log Rank P
Event	68	79	
Med OS	27.1 mo	26.6 mo	0.98
HR (95% CI)		0.97 (0.75-1.25)	

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Bev after Bev: Response

MITO16B – MaNGO OV2B – ENGOT OV17

	Chemo	Chemo/Bev	P value
Patients	143	130	
Responders	94 (65.7%)	97 (74.6%)	0.14
CR	9 (6.3%)	20 (15.4%)	
PR	85 (59.4%)	77 (59.2%)	

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Summary

Bevacizumab

• Bevacizumab an active agent in ovarian carcinoma

• Induces responses and improves PFS

• Can be used in front line and platinum sensitive and resistant recurrences

• Can be used repeatedly

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PARP Inhibitors

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PARP inhibitors (PARPi)

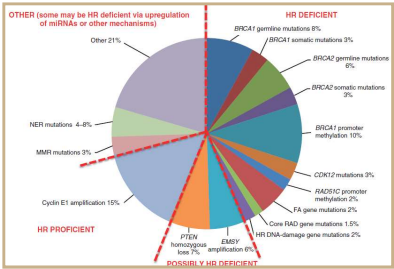
Background

- PARPi prevent repair of ssDNA breaks in tumors with HR deficiencies, leading to cell death
- 10-15% of epithelial ovarian cancer are deficient in HR due to germline BRCA1 or BRCA2 mutations
- Up to 50% of patients with high grade serous ovarian cancer could have deficient HR



PARP inhibitors

HR deficiencies in ovarian cancer



Cancer Discovery 5(3):1137, 2015



PARP inhibitors

Agents and Indications in Ovarian Cancer

Agent	Maintenance therapy*	Monotherapy
Olaparib (Lynparza)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Front line (BRCAm)• Front line HRD positive in combination with bevacizumab• Recurrent platinum sensitive	Third recurrence with gBRCA
Rucaparib (Rubraca)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Recurrent platinum sensitive	Second recurrence gBRCA or sBRCA
Niraparib (Zejula)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Front line (all women)• Recurrent platinum sensitive	Third recurrence with HRD

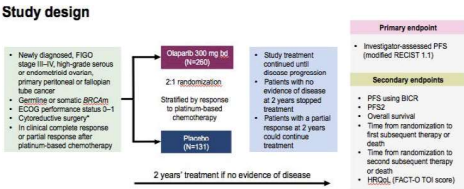
* Must have had a response on current therapy

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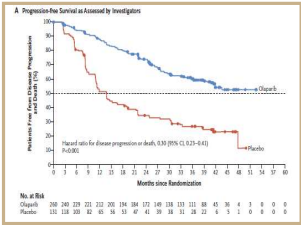
PARPi in Front Line Therapy

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Olaparib
Front line maintenance

- FDA APPROVAL 12/2018
- Maintenance treatment of adult patients with *gBRCAm* or *sBRCAm* advanced epithelial ovarian, fallopian tube or primary peritoneal cancer who are in complete or partial response to first-line platinum-based chemotherapy
- Not given during the chemotherapy (unlike bev)



PRIMA

PRIMA Trial Design

Patients with newly-diagnosed OC at high risk for recurrence after response to 1L platinum-based chemotherapy

2:1 Randomization

Niraparib

Placebo

Endpoint assessment

Primary Endpoint: Progression-free survival by BICR
Key Secondary Endpoint: Overall Survival
Secondary Endpoints: PFS2, TFS2, FRO, Safety

Patients were treated with niraparib or placebo once daily for 30 months or until disease progression

Excluded stage III no visible residual after CRS and BEV maintenance.
Residual tumour after CT \leq 2 cm
Normal CA125 or CA125 decrease by $>90\%$ during front-line therapy

Stratification Factors

• Neoadjuvant chemotherapy administered: Yes or no

• Best response to first platinum therapy: CR or PR

• Tissue homologous recombination test status: deficient or proficient/not-determined

• Body weight ≥ 77 kg and platelets $\geq 150,000/\mu\text{L}$ started with 300 mg QD

• Body weight ≥ 77 kg and/or platelets $\geq 150,000/\mu\text{L}$ started

Biomedical PFS Testing

• Patients with homologous recombination deficient tumors followed by the overall population

• Statistical assumption: a hazard ratio benefit to PFS of

• 0.5 in homologous recombination deficient patients

• 0.65 in the overall population

$>90\%$ statistical power and one-sided type I error of 0.025

50% had tumors with HR deficiency

NEJM 2019 381:2391-2402

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PRIMA

Niraparib maintenance

PRIMA Primary Endpoint by BICR: HR-deficient Population

Progression-free survival (%)

Months since Randomization

Hazard ratio: 0.43 (95% CI, 0.31-0.59)
p<0.001

57% reduction in hazard of relapse or death with niraparib

Niraparib (n=547)

Placebo (n=158)

Median PFS

months

(95% CI)

11.9

10.4

(9.3-14.9)

(8.1-12.1)

Patients without PD or death (%)

6 months

86%

68%

12 months

72%

42%

18 months

59%

35%

Initiation of PRIMA after completion of 1L CT

Niraparib

Placebo

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PRIMA subgroups

Exploratory analyses

- BRCA mutation
 - 22.1m versus 10.9m (HR 0.40 CI:0.27-0.62)
- BRCAwt/HRD⁺
 - 19.6m versus 8.2m (HR 0.50 CI:0.31-0.83)
- BRCAwt/HRD⁻
 - 8.1m versus 5.4m (HR 0.68 CI:0.49-0.94)
- PR to platinum
 - 8.3m vs 5.3m (HR 0.60)
- CR to platinum
 - 16.4m vs 5.6m (HR 0.60)

NEJM 2019 381:2391-2402

Niraparib Maintenance Therapy

- April 29, 2020
 - Niraparib approved for the maintenance treatment of adult patients with advanced epithelial, fallopian tube, primary peritoneal cancer who are in complete or partial response to first-line platinum base chemotherapy.
 - The recommended niraparib dose for first-line maintenance treatment of advanced ovarian cancer is based on body weight or platelet count. For patients weighing less than 77 kg (170 lbs) OR with a platelet count of less than 150,000/ μ L, the recommended dose is 200 mg taken orally once daily. For patients weighing greater than or equal to 77 kg (170 lbs) AND who have a platelet count greater than or equal to 150,000/ μ L, the recommended dose is 300 mg taken orally once daily.

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PAOLA-1

Olaparib and bevacizumab

First Line: Surgery (upfront or interval) + Platinum-taxane based chemotherapy + ≥ 23 cycles of bevacizumab?

Randomization: N=806

Maintenance therapy: Olaparib (300 mg BID) x2 years vs Placebo x2 years, both with or without bevacizumab.

Primary endpoint: Investigator-assessed PFS (RECIST v1.1)

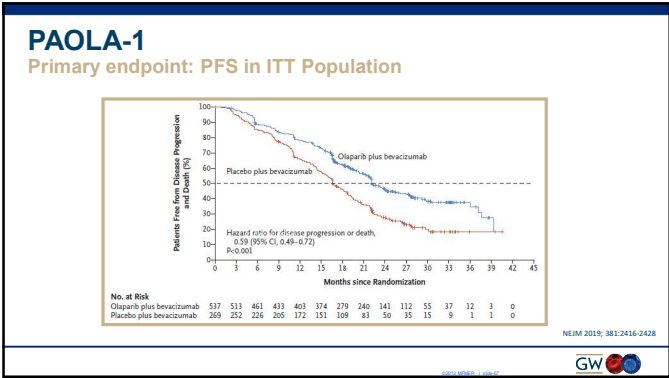
Sensitivity analysis: PFS by BICR

Secondary endpoints: TTST, PFS2, TSST, OS, HRQoL, Safety and tolerability

No olaparib only arm

ESMO 2019; NEJM 2019; 381:2416-2428

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PAOLA-1
Olaparib and bevacizumab

	PFS	HR (95% CI)
ITT	22.1m v. 16.6m	0.59 (0.49-0.72)
BRCA	37.2m v. 21.7m	0.31(0.20-0.47)
HRD (w/o BRCA)	28.1m v. 16.6m	0.43 (0.28-0.66)
HRP	16.6m v. 16.2m	HR 1.00 (0.75-1.35)

NEJM 2019; 318:2416-2428

PAOLA-1
Conclusions

- Bevacizumab and olaparib can safely be given together
- Improvement in PFS (22.1m vs. 16.6m; HR 0.59)
 - Most notable in BRCAm
- No olaparib only arm
- No OS results available yet
- May 8, 2020
 - FDA approval of the combination who have had a CR/PR after platinum based adjuvant therapy associated with HRD positive status

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PARP Inhibitors

Front line maintenance clinical data summary

Trial	Subgroup	PFS	HR (95% CI)
SOLO-1	BRCA 1/2	56.0m vs. 13.8m	0.3 (0.23-0.41)
PRIMA	ITT	13.8m v. 8.2m	0.62 (0.5-0.76)
	HRD	21.9m v. 10.4m	0.43 (0.31-0.59)
	HRP	8.1m v. 5.4m	0.68 (0.49-0.94)
PAOLA-1	ITT	22.1m v. 16.6m	0.59 (0.49-0.72)
	gBRCA	37.2m v. 21.7m	0.31(0.20-0.47)
	HRD	37.2m v. 17.7m	0.33 (0.25-0.45)
	HRP	16.6m v. 16.2m	HR 1.00 (0.75-1.35)

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PARPi in first line therapy

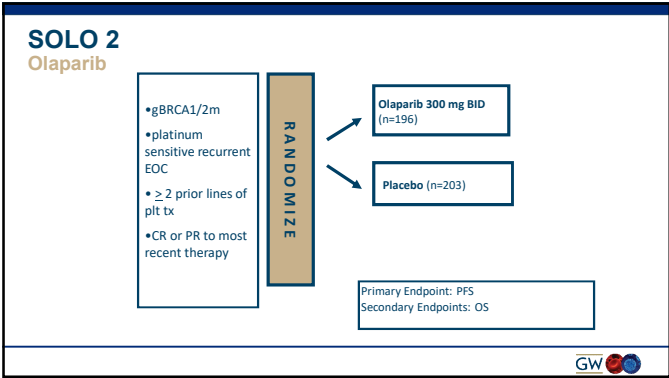
- Two options
 - Olaparib
 - FDA approved for BRCAm (germline or somatic) who have responded to first line therapy
 - Twice daily dosing
 - Also in combination with bevacizumab in HRD
 - Niraparib
 - FDA approved for all women who have responded to first line therapy
 - Once daily dosing
- Not without side effects. . .
 - Nausea, fatigue
 - AML/MDS

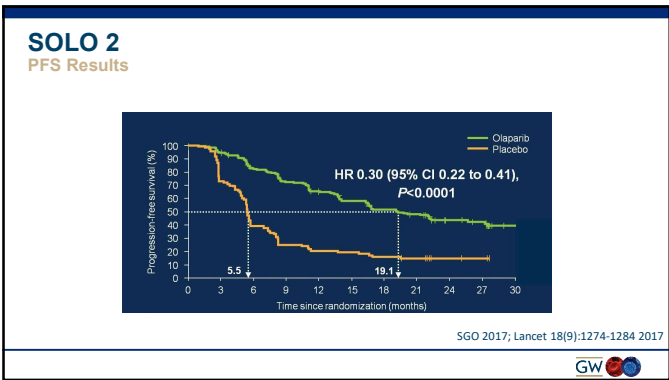
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PARPi Maintenance: Recurrent platinum sensitive

Olaparib, Rucaparib, and Niraparib

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SOLO 2

Overall survival

	Olaparib n=196	Placebo n=99
Cumulative exposure of ≥ 5 years	43 (22.1%)	9 (9.1%)
OS events	116 (59%)	65 (65%)
Median OS, months	51.7	38.8
HR (95% CI)	0.74 (0.54-1.00)	
P value	0.0537	

Journal of Clinical Oncology 2020 38:15_suppl, 6002-6002

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ARIEL 3

Trial Design

- Platinum sensitive recurrent EOC
- HGS and endometrioid histology
- ≥ 2 prior lines of plt tx
- CR or PR to most recent therapy

RANDOMIZED:1

Rucaparib 600 mg BID

Placebo

Primary Endpoint: PFS

Secondary Endpoints: OS

PARPi Maintenance therapy

ARIEL 3 (Rucaparib)

ARIEL3 Analysis Population	PFS by Investigator Review (Primary Endpoint)		PFS by Blinded Independent Central Review (Key Secondary Endpoint)	
Primary Analyses	Hazard Ratio	Median PFS (months) Rucaparib vs. Placebo	Hazard Ratio	Median PFS (months) Rucaparib vs. Placebo
BRCAmut (n=196)	0.23, p<0.0001	16.6 vs. 5.4	0.20, p<0.0001	26.8 vs. 5.4
HRD-positive (n=354)	0.32, p<0.0001	13.6 vs. 5.4	0.34, p<0.0001	22.9 vs. 5.5
Intent-to-Treat (n=564)	0.36, p<0.0001	10.0 vs. 5.4	0.35, p<0.0001	13.7 vs. 5.4
Exploratory Analyses				
BRCAmut/HRD-positive (n=154)	0.44, p<0.0001	9.7 vs. 5.4	0.55, p=0.0135	11.1 vs. 5.6
BRCAmut/HRD-negative (n=151)	0.58, p=0.0049	6.7 vs. 5.4	0.47, p=0.0003	8.2 vs. 5.3

Lancet 390(10106):1949-1961, 2017

ESMO 2017, ESGO 2017

Niraparib Maintenance Therapy

21.0 vs 5.5 mo

No. at Risk
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Placebo 81 57 38 25 12 4 1 1 1 1 1 1 1

Niraparib Maintenance Therapy

12.9 vs 3.8 mo

No. at Risk
Niraparib 136 101 76 64 52 40 29 18 11 4 2
Placebo 76 42 25 15 9 6 3 1 1 1 1 1

Niraparib Maintenance Therapy

9.3 vs 3.9 mo

No. at Risk
Niraparib 124 100 142 111 88 75 57 41 21 11 1 1
Placebo 125 89 52 33 20 10 8 4 4 1 1 1

HRD-negative: 6.9 mo vs 3.8 mo

Mirza MR, et al. N Engl J Med. 2016;375:2154-64

PARP inhibitors in recurrent platinum sensitive ovarian cancer

- Three FDA approved options:
 - Olaparib
 - Rucaparib
 - Niraparib
- Should see a response to the platinum regimen prior to the maintenance therapy
- PFS advantage seen with all three agents



PARPi as Treatment



PARP inhibitors
Agents and Indications in OVARY

Agent	Maintenance therapy*	Monotherapy
Olaparib (Lynparza)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Front line (BRCAm)• First recurrence, platinum sensitive	Third recurrence with gBRCA
Rucaparib (Rubraca)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• First recurrence, platinum sensitive	Second recurrence gBRCA or sBRCA
Niraparib (Zejula)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Front line (all women)• First recurrence, platinum sensitive	Third recurrence with HRD



Secondary Debulking
Recurrent Platinum Sensitive Disease

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DESKTOP III
Trial Design

• First recurrence platinum sensitive EOC
• + AGO score

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Cytoreductive surgery (n=204)

No Cytoreductive surgery (n=203)

Platinum-based chemotherapy* (n=181)

Platinum-based chemotherapy* (n= 185)

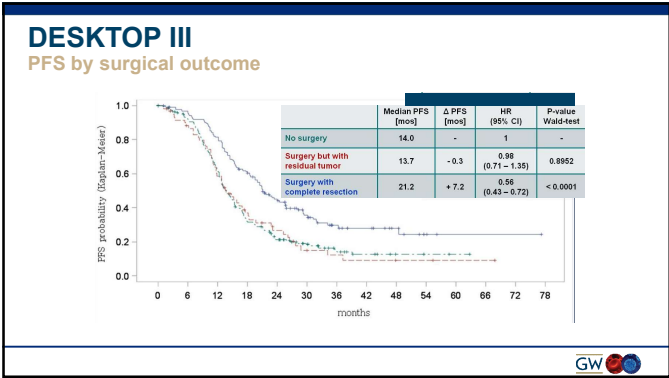
Primary Endpoint: OS
Secondary Endpoints: PFS, resection rate

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DESKTOP III
Results: Progression Free survival

	Surgery	No surgery
Median PFS	19.6 mos	14.0 mos
Δ median PFS	5.6 mos	
HR (95% CI)	0.66 (0.52 – 0.83)	
P-value	< 0.001	

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DESKTOP III
Conclusions

- Secondary cytoreductive surgery in PSROC resulted in a PFS and TTNT advantage
 - Benefit only seen in women who had complete resection
- Stresses the importance of selecting the appropriate patients and institution
- OS results presented at ASCO 2020
 - Survival advantage
 - (Not seen with GOG213) N Eng J Med 2019; 381:1929-1939.
- Consider secondary debulking in a platinum sensitive recurrence (referral to a gynecologic surgeon for evaluation)

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Platinum sensitive disease recurrence

- Consider secondary debulking in select population
- Platinum doublet
 - Taxane, gemcitabine, PLD
 - Consider bevacizumab
- Maintenance therapy
 - Bevacizumab (if started with the chemotherapy)
 - PARPi (if not had prior, start after response seen with platinum doublet)
 - Olaparib, rucaparib, niraparib

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Platinum Resistant Disease

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Platinum Resistant Ovarian Cancer

Overview

- Disease recurrence within 6 months of completion of platinum therapy
- Often use single agent therapy with an average response rate of 15-20%*
 - Gemcitabine
 - Topotecan
 - Liposomal Doxorubicin (PLD)
 - Docetaxel
 - Etoposide

*Current Oncology Reports 2006;6:448-54

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Trial Design

AURELIA

- Platinum-resistant OC
- ≤ 2 prior regimens
- No hx of BO, fistula, rectosigmoid involvement

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Chemotherapy

PD/Toxicity

Optional BEV monotherapy

Chemotherapy & BEV 15mg/kg q3wks

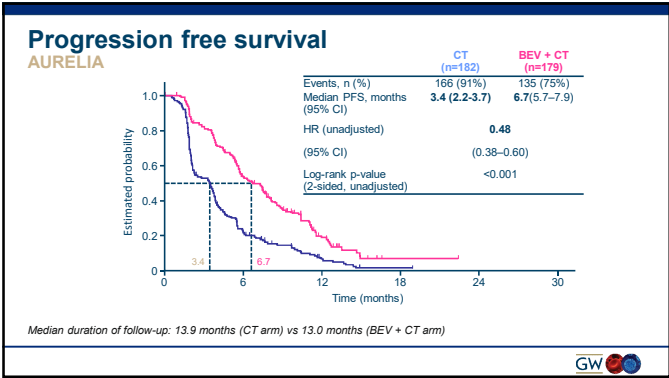
PD/Toxicity

Investigator's choice (without BEV)

Chemotherapy options:

- Paclitaxel 80mg/m² days 1,8,15,22 q4wk
- Topotecan 4mg/m² days 1,8,15 q4wk
- PLD 40mg/m² day 1 q4wk

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Ovarian Cancer Recurrence

Key Take home points

- Disease recurrence
 - CA-125 usually goes up prior to disease on imaging
 - No benefit in OS or QOL to treat a rising CA-125
- Assess the treatment free interval (initial chemotherapy)
 - Platinum sensitive (more than 6 months)
 - Consider secondary debulking
 - Platinum based chemotherapy
 - Carboplatin
 - Paclitaxel, gemcitabine, liposomal doxorubicin
 - Consider bevacizumab or PARPI maintenance
 - Platinum resistant (less than 6 months)
 - Single agent therapy
 - PLD, topotecan, etoposide, gemcitabine, docetaxel
 - Consider addition of bevacizumab
- No current approval for immunotherapy (RR 8%-KEYNOTE100)

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Nonepithelial Cancers of the Ovary

- 10% of ovarian cancers
- Two major subtypes
 - Germ cell
 - Sex cord stromal


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Malignant Germ Cell Tumors



Malignant Germ Cell Tumors

- Account for 1-2% of ovarian cancers
 - Rare, most benign
- Younger women (median age 16-20)
- Often diagnose early stage
 - Rapid growth with associated symptoms
- Excellent prognosis overall 5yr OS 85%
- Fertility sparing surgery appropriate in most cases
- Elevated HCG or AFP in some cases, can follow



Ovarian germ cell tumors

NON-DYSGERMINOMAS

- Endodermal sinus tumor
 - (yolk sac)
- Immature teratomas
- Mixed germ cell
- Choriocarcinoma
- High risk of recurrence if not stage I , but chemosensitive


- Management
 - Surgery
 - Systemic therapy*
 - BEP

DYSGERMINOMAS

- More likely to be bilateral
 - Usually stage 1 at diagnosis

- Management
 - Stage I, completely resected
 - Consider observation
 - Adjuvant chemotherapy
 - BEP

Observation for stage 1, grade 1 immature teratoma



Management

- Consider fertility sparing procedure
- No adjuvant chemotherapy
 - Stage 1 dysgerminomas
 - Stage 1, grade 1 immature teratomas
- All others: adjuvant chemotherapy
 - BEP (3-4 cycles)
 - Adjuvant and no gross residual disease: 3 cycles
 - Gross residual disease: 4 cycles

J Clin Oncol. 1994 Apr;12(4):701-6



Sex Cord-Stromal Tumors



Ovarian sex cord-stromal tumors (MSCST)

- Develop from the sex cord
 - Sertoli cell tumor
 - Granulosa cell tumor
- Develop from stromal cells
 - Fibroma
 - Thecoma
 - Leydig
- Both
 - Sertoli-leydig
- Generally, lower grade, lower stage at diagnosis
- Account for less than 8% of ovarian cancers
- Some secrete androgens or estrogens or other steroid hormones



Granulosa cell tumor

- Most common type of MSCST
 - 2-5% of all ovarian cancers
 - 90% of malignant SCSTs
 - Usually an indolent growth pattern
 - Inhibin, particularly inhibin B may be elevated
 - Frequently produce estrogen
 - Endometrial bx, if uterus not removed
- 2 subtypes
 - Adult type: 95% (*FOXL2 somatic mutation*)
 - Juvenile type: 5%
- Adult type
 - Median age 52
 - 80-90% diagnosed stage I
 - 10-30% recur



Treatment

MSCST

- Surgery
 - Hysterectomy and bilateral salpingo-oophorectomy
 - Early stage
 - Can consider fertility sparing procedure if confined to ovary
- Post operative management
 - Observation (can recur late)
 - Stage II-IV (category 2B)
 - BEP versus carboplatin/paclitaxel (ongoing phase II trial; NCT02429700)
 - Hormonal therapy
 - Radiation therapy for limited disease
 - Can follow inhibin levels



Recurrence

MSCST

- Potential surgery
- Cisplatin based chemotherapy
- Hormone therapy
 - Granulosa cell tumors
- Angiogenesis inhibitors
 - Bevacizumab (GOG Phase 2 RR 16.7%)
- Radiation therapy



