

# What is new in prostate cancer treatment?

# Overview

- Advancement in upfront treatment of metastatic hormone-sensitive prostate cancer (mHSPC):
  - PEACE (2022)
  - ARASENS (2022)
- Updates in PARP inhibitors
- Radiopharmaceuticals: Lu-177 PSMA

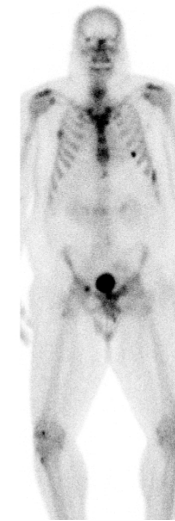
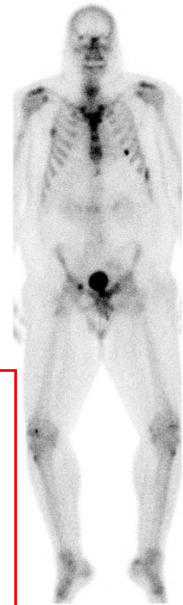
# Case

- 55 y/o male patient
- Good health with no major health issue
- Recently diagnosed with prostate cancer, Gleason 4+5=9
- PSA > 1300
- Staging work-up showed >20 bone metastasis
- What is current treatment approach for this patient?

# Therapeutic Options For Advanced Prostate Cancer 2022

**CASTRATION  
SENSITIVE**

**CASTRATION  
RESISTANT**



**IMMUNOTHERAPY**  
Sipuleucel-T

**M0 CRPC  
AGENTS**

Apalutamide  
Enzalutamide  
Darolutamide

**CRPC with DDR**

Olaparib  
Rucaparib  
PARP inhibitor  
combinations

**ANDROGEN  
DEPRIVATION**

Orchiectomy / GnRH Agonists  
GnRH Antagonist  
Antiandrogens

Docetaxel  
Enzalutamide  
Apalutamide  
Abiraterone+/- Docetaxel  
Darolutamide+ Docetaxel

**Radiopharmaceuticals**

Radium-223  
Lu-177 PSMA

**SECONDARY  
HORMONAL TREATMENTS**

Bicalutamide, flutamide, nilutamide  
Ketoconazole  
DES  
Abiraterone  
Enzalutamide

**CHEMOTHERAPY**

Docetaxel  
Cabazitaxel

DES = diethylstilbestrol

# How did we get here in mHSPC?

- CHAARTED & STAMPEDE (2015-2016):
  - 6 cycles of docetaxel +ADT
  - Improved OS over ADT alone
- LATITUDE & STAMPEDE (2017):
  - Abiraterone+ADT
  - Improved OS over ADT alone
- ENZAMET & ARCHES (2019):
  - Enzalutamide+ADT
  - Improved OS over ADT alone (ENZAMET)
- TITAN (2019):
  - Apalutamide+ADT
  - Improved OS over ADT alone

# PEACE 1 trial

## Key Eligibility Criteria

*De novo* mCSPC

Distant metastatic disease by  $\geq 1$  lesion on bone scan and/or CT scan

ECOG PS 0 -2

## On-Study Requirement

Continuous ADT

## Permitted

ADT  $\leq 3$  months

## Stratification

ECOG PS (0 vs 1-2)

Metastatic sites (LN vs bone vs visceral)

Type of castration (orchidectomy vs LHRH agonist vs LHRH antagonist)

Docetaxel (yes vs no)

Nov 2013 – Dec 2018

**RANDOMIZATION**  
1:1:1:1

n = 1173

SOC  
(n = 296)

SOC+Abiraterone  
(n = 292)

SOC+Radiotherapy  
(n = 293)

SOC+Abiraterone+  
Radiotherapy  
(n = 292)

ECOG PS, Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group performance status

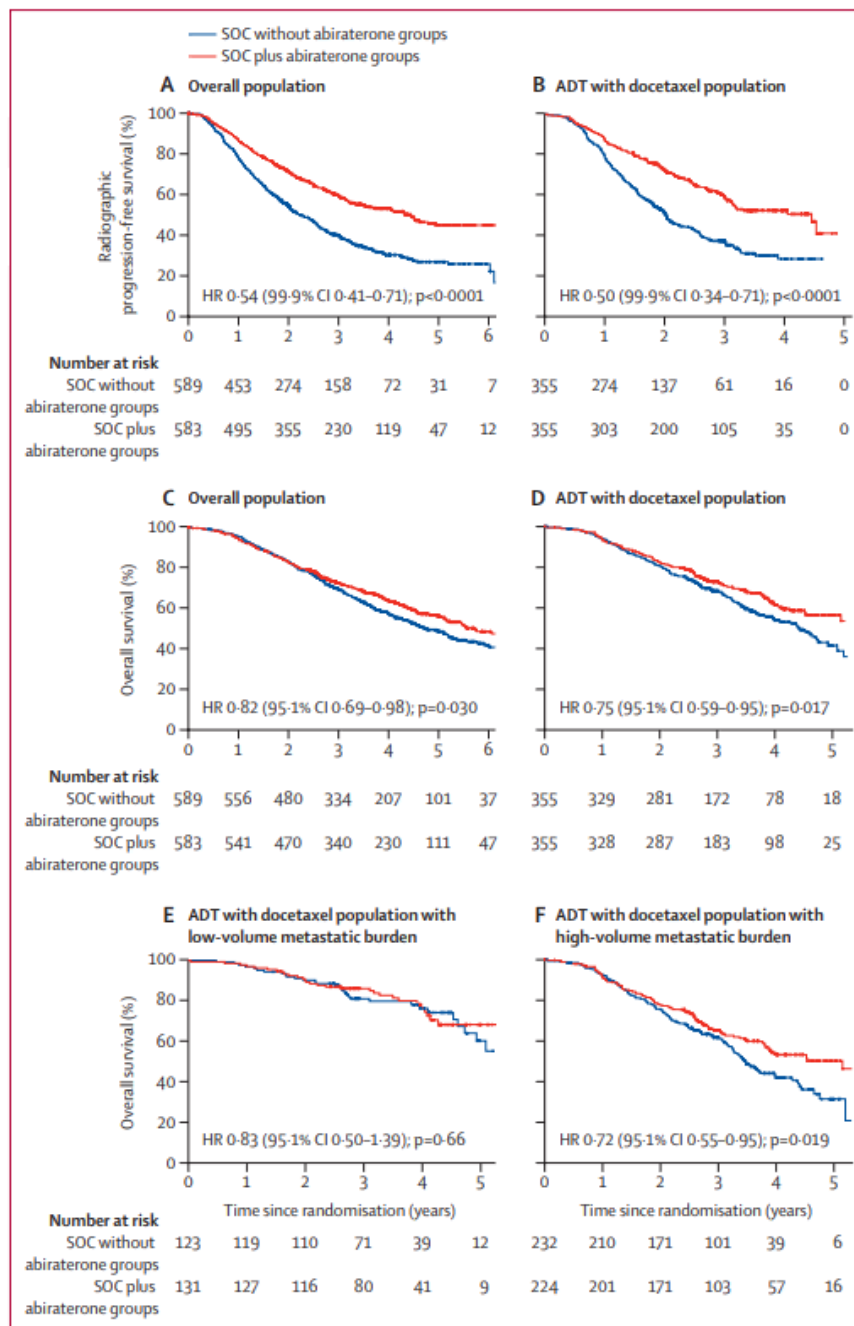


# PEACE 1 trial

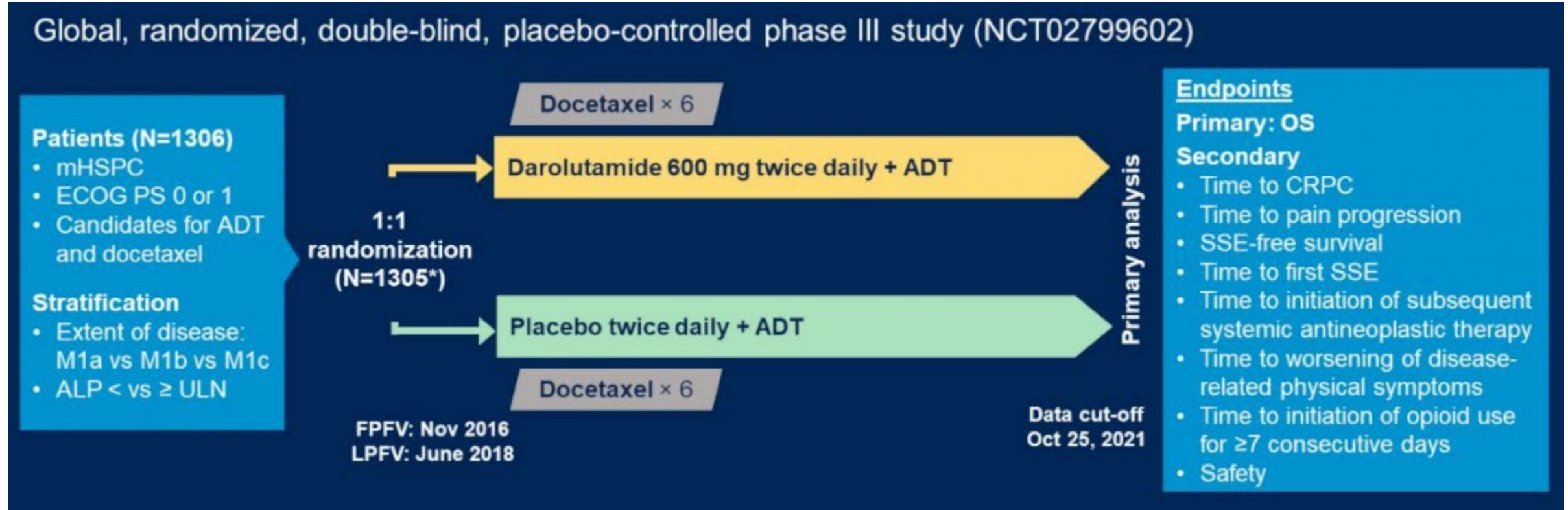
	Patients assessed, n		Median, years		Median difference, years	Hazard ratio	p value
	SOC with abiraterone groups	SOC without abiraterone groups	SOC with abiraterone groups	SOC without abiraterone groups			
<b>Primary outcomes in the overall population</b>							
Overall survival	583	589	5.7	4.7	0.9 (95.1% CI 0.0-2.0)	0.82 (95.1% CI 0.69-0.98)	0.030
Radiographic progression-free survival	583	589	4.5	2.2	2.1 (99.9% CI 0.7-2.9)	0.54 (99.9% CI 0.41-0.71)	<0.0001
<b>Secondary outcomes in the overall population</b>							
CRPC-free survival	583	589	3.8	1.5	2.3 (95% CI 1.6-3.0)	0.40 (95% CI 0.35-0.47)	<0.0001
Prostate-cancer-specific survival	583	589	NR	5.8	NA	0.75 (95% CI 0.61-0.91)	0.0038
<b>Primary outcomes in the ADT with docetaxel population</b>							
Overall survival	355	355	NR	4.4	NA	0.75 (95.1% CI 0.59-0.95)	0.017
Radiographic progression-free survival	355	355	4.5	2.0	2.2 (99.9% CI 0.6-2.8)	0.50 (99.9% CI 0.34-0.71)	<0.0001
<b>Secondary outcomes in the ADT with docetaxel population</b>							
Overall survival in patients with low-volume metastatic burden	131	123	NR	NR	NA	0.83 (95.1% CI 0.50-1.39)	0.66
Overall survival in patients with high-volume metastatic burden	224	232	5.1	3.5	1.1 (95.1% CI 0.2-1.9)	0.72 (95.1% CI 0.55-0.95)	0.019
Radiographic progression-free survival in patients with low-volume metastatic burden	129	122	NR	2.7	NA	0.58 (99.9% CI 0.29-1.15)	0.0061
Radiographic progression-free survival in patients with high-volume metastatic burden	225	231	4.1	1.6	2.2 (99.9% CI 0.6-3.2)	0.47 (99.9% CI 0.30-0.72)	<0.0001
CRPC-free survival	355	355	3.2	1.4	2.0 (95% CI 1.5-3.1)	0.38 (95% CI 0.31-0.47)	<0.0001
Prostate-cancer-specific survival	355	355	NR	4.7	NA	0.69 (95% CI 0.53-0.90)	0.0062

ADT=androgen deprivation therapy. CRPC=castration-resistant prostate cancer. NA=not available. NR=not reached. SOC=standard of care (with or without radiotherapy).

Table 2: Efficacy outcomes in the intention-to-treat population

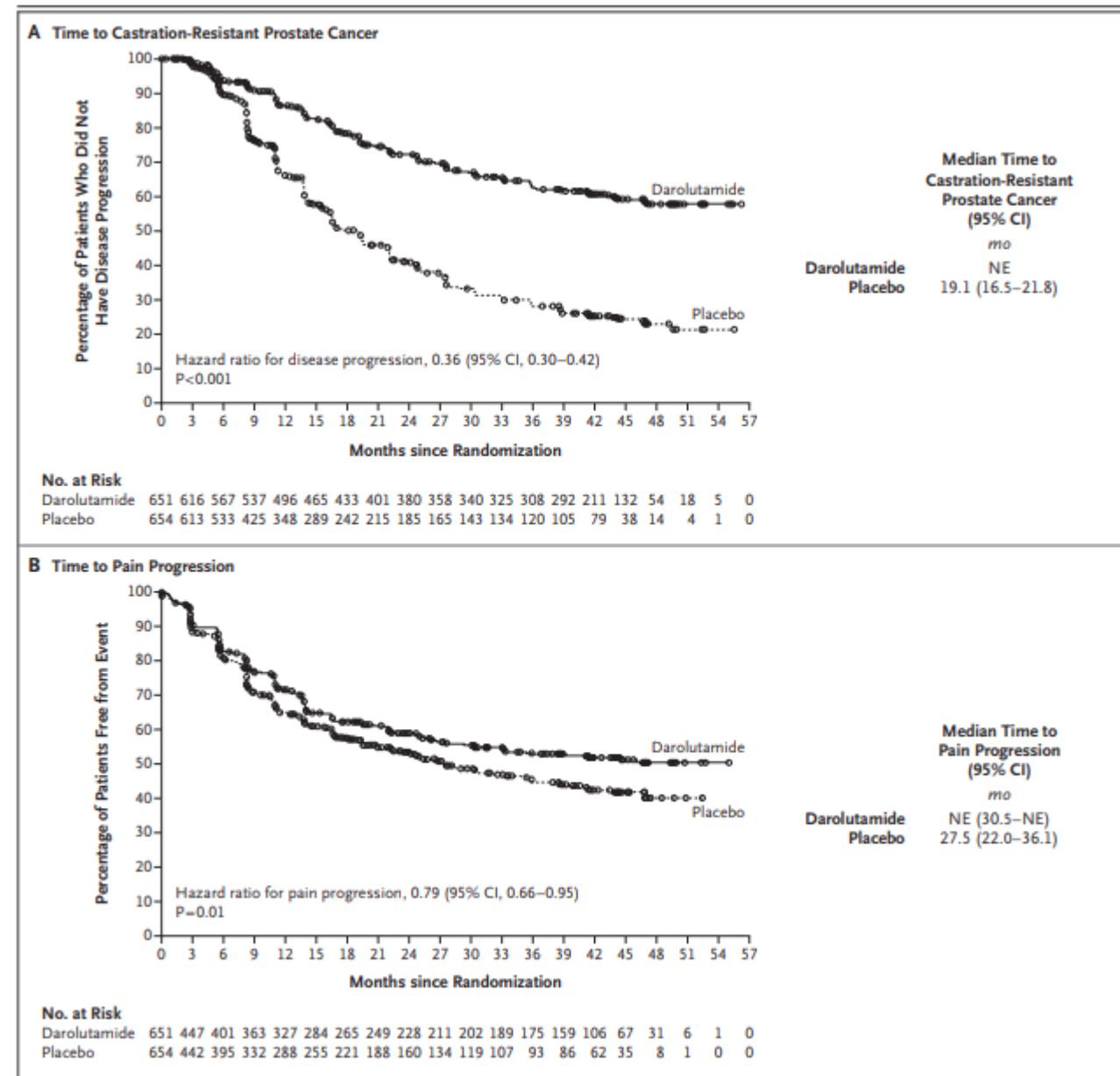
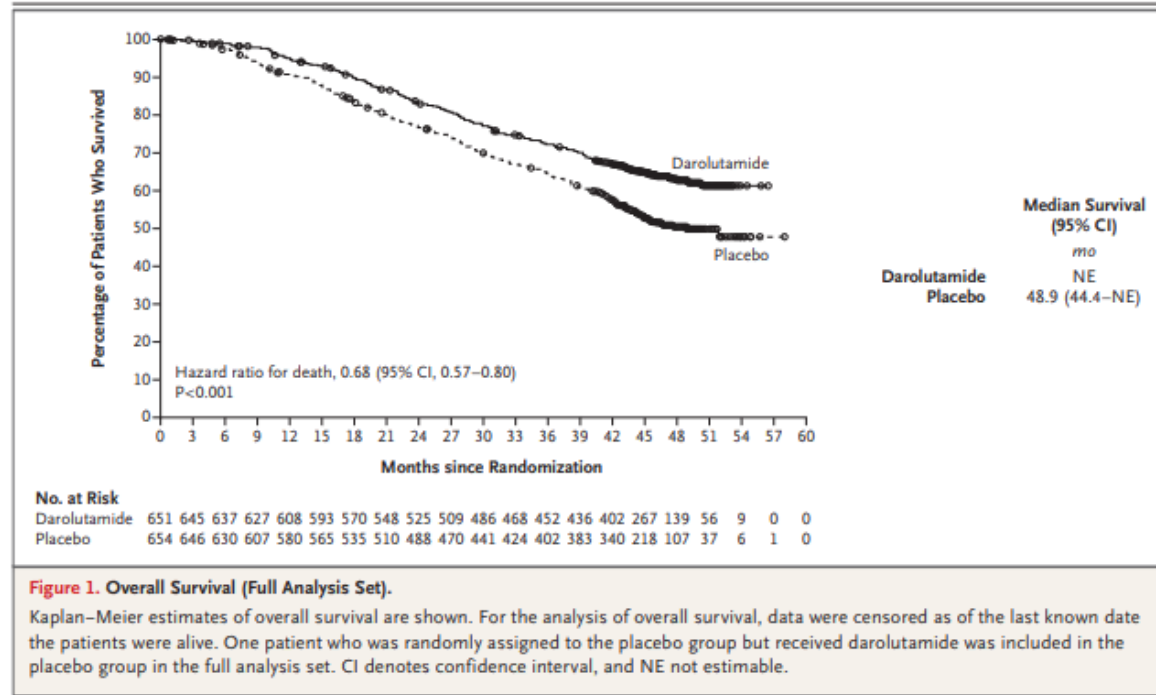


# ARASENS trial





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# What Do We Achieve?

- Break the old taboo, which is advanced prostate cancer initially treated with hormone deprivation alone
- Push the bar of OS with more intense upfront treatment in metastatic hormone naïve prostate cancer ( ~3 years → 4+ years)
- There is no one way of treatment; able to offer more options for patients based on their strength, preferences, comorbidities, etc

# What Is Still Not Answered?

- There are still no tools available to match our patients with the right treatment
  - Who benefits from chemo vs NHA (abiraterone, enzalutamide, apalutamide, darolutamide)?
  - Biomarker based patient selection is still missing
- **Using old-school stratification, number of bone mets, presence of visceral disease**
  - **Need a better method in the era of advance imaging, such as PSMA or fluciclovine F 18 PET**
- Still not able to cure people with any of those treatments

# How do I choose treatment for newly diagnosed mHSPC?

Disease Volume	ADT+Docetaxel	ADT+Abiraterone	ADT+Enzalutamide	ADT+Apalutamide	ADT+Abiraterone+Docetaxel	ADT+Daralutamide+Docetaxel (soon)
Low volume	Likely no	Yes	Yes	Yes	Likely no	Likely no
High volume	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Likely Yes	Likely Yes
When I don't use	Poor PS	Poorly control diabetes, or cardiac issues	Drug-drug interaction such as HIV med, DOACs, etc	Drug-drug interaction such as HIV med, DOACs, etc	Poor PS	Poor PS

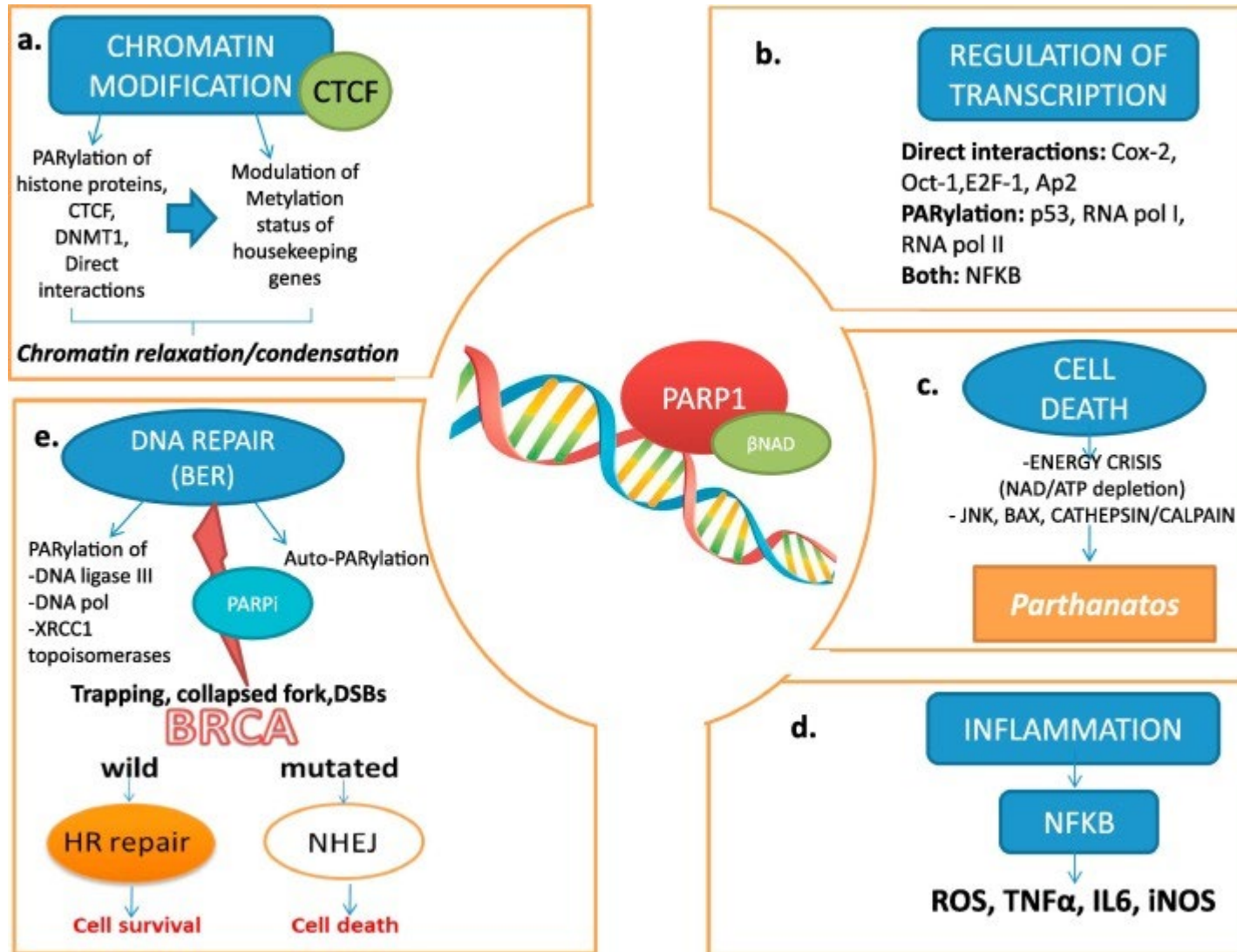
# How do I choose treatment for newly diagnosed mHSPC?

All agents look similar, lack of biomarker:

- Cost: Docetaxel (~ 75\$ per vial)
- Poor performance status: Abiraterone or Enzalutamide or Apalutamide
- Compliance issue: Docetaxel (IV vs PO)
- Chemotherapy anxiety: Abiraterone or Enzalutamide or Apalutamide
- Consider comorbidities, such as diabetes, seizure disorder
- Several adverse features: Triplet
- PATIENT PREFERENCE

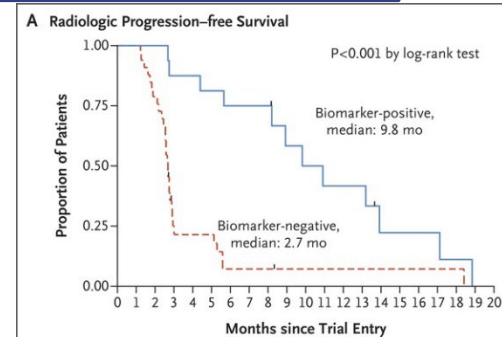
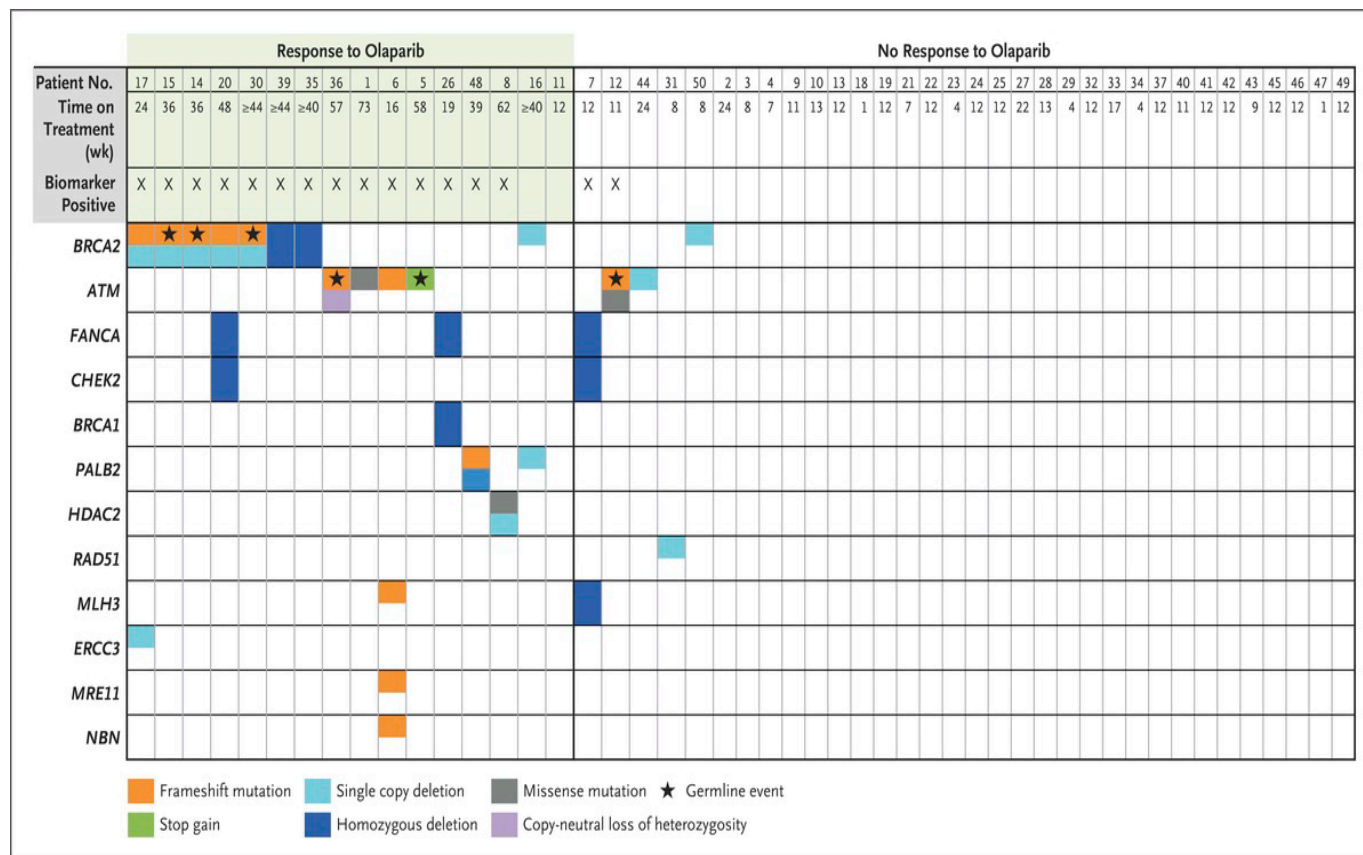
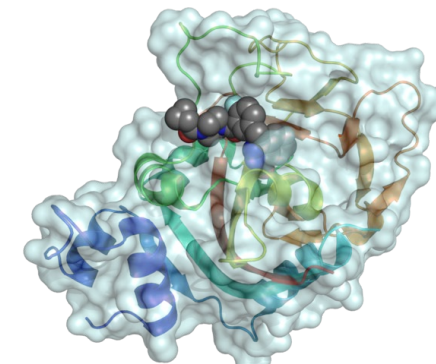


# PARP Inhibitors

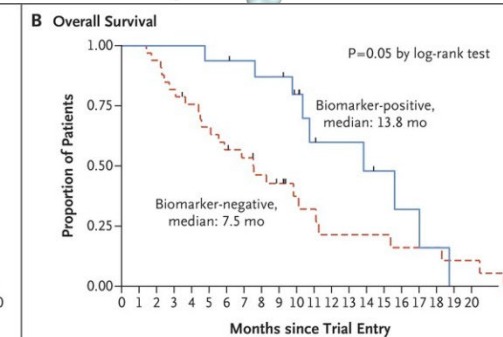


# DNA-Repair Defects and Olaparib in Metastatic Prostate Cancer

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<b>No. at Risk</b>																					
Biomarker-negative	33	33	26	7	6	6	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	
Biomarker-positive	16	16	16	14	14	13	12	12	12	7	6	5	5	5	2	2	2	2	1	0	0
<b>No. of Events</b>																					
Biomarker-negative	0	7	17	1	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Biomarker-positive	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	

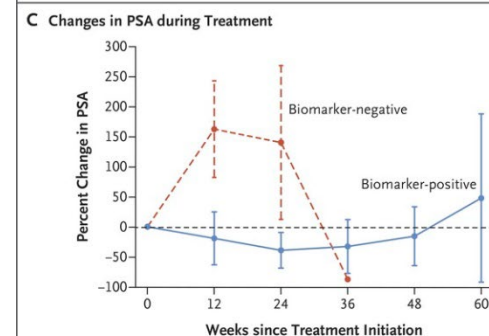


**No. at Risk**

Biomarker-negative	33	33	31	27	24	21	18	16	13	11	7	6	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	2	2
Biomarker-positive	16	16	16	16	15	15	14	13	10	6	5	5	4	3	2	2	1	0	0	0	0

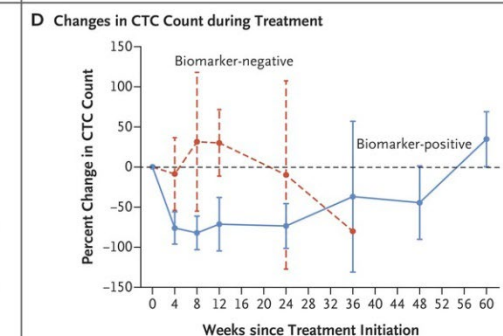
**No. of Events**

Biomarker-negative	0	2	4	2	3	3	1	2	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	—
Biomarker-positive	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	—



**No. of Patients**

Biomarker-negative	33	28	9	1	—	—
Biomarker-positive	16	16	14	11	5	4



**No. of Patients**

Biomarker-negative	33	31	26	23	5	1	—	—
Biomarker-positive	16	16	16	15	13	10	5	3

# How did we get here in PARP inhibitors?

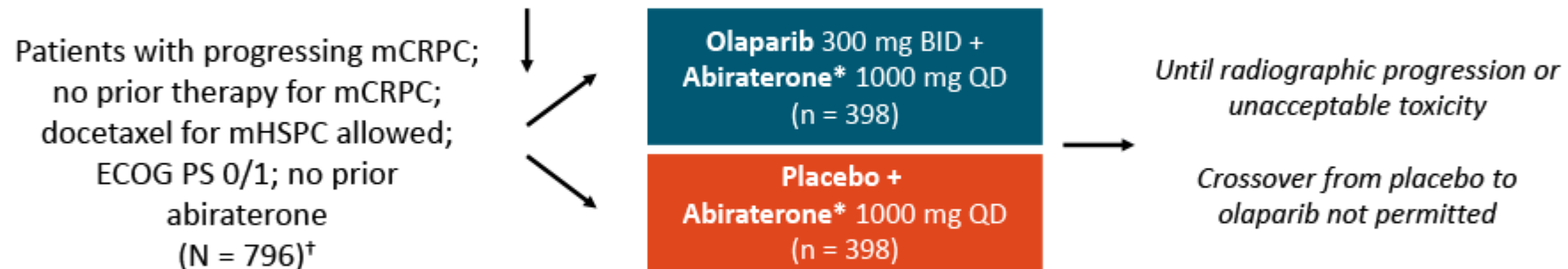
- PROFOUND (2020):
  - Phase 3: Olaparib vs physician's agents of choice
  - Cohort A: *BRCA1*, *BRCA2*, *ATM*
  - Cohort B: Other DDR alterations
  - OS and rPFS improvement
  - FDA approved broadly
- TRITON 2 (2020):
  - Single arm, phase 2
  - Post NHA, and Taxane
  - *BRCA1/BRCA 2* cohort
  - Positive ORR
  - FDA approval for *BRCA1/2*

# PROpel trial

## PROpel Trial: First-line Olaparib + Abiraterone in mCRPC

- Ongoing, randomized, double-blind, international phase III study

*Stratified by metastatic disease (bone only vs visceral vs other); docetaxel for mHSPC (yes vs no)*



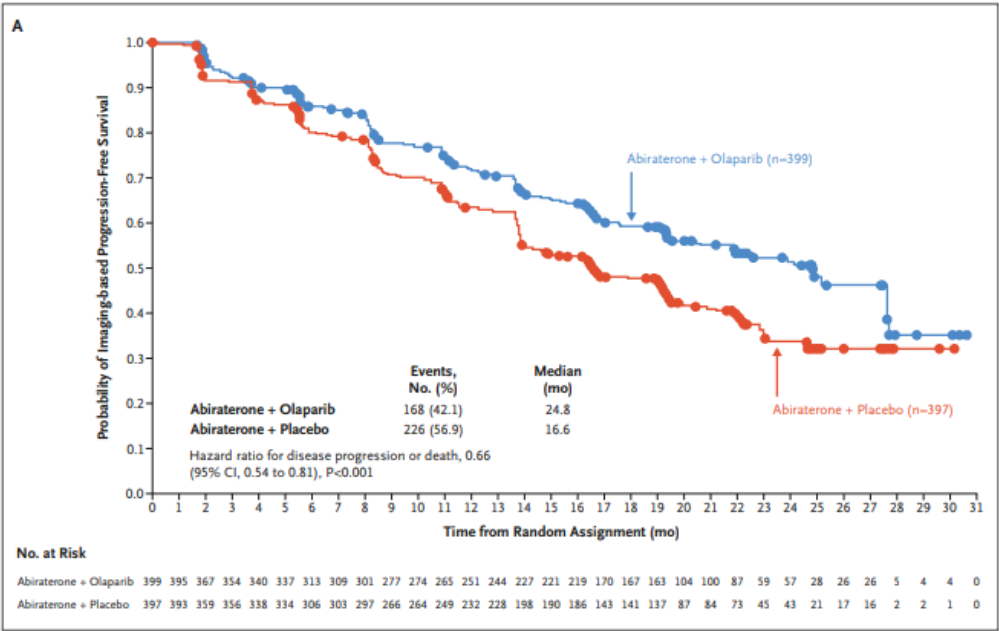
\* Prednisone/prednisolone (5 mg) given with abiraterone.

<sup>†</sup> An additional 108 patients will be randomized 1:1 in China.

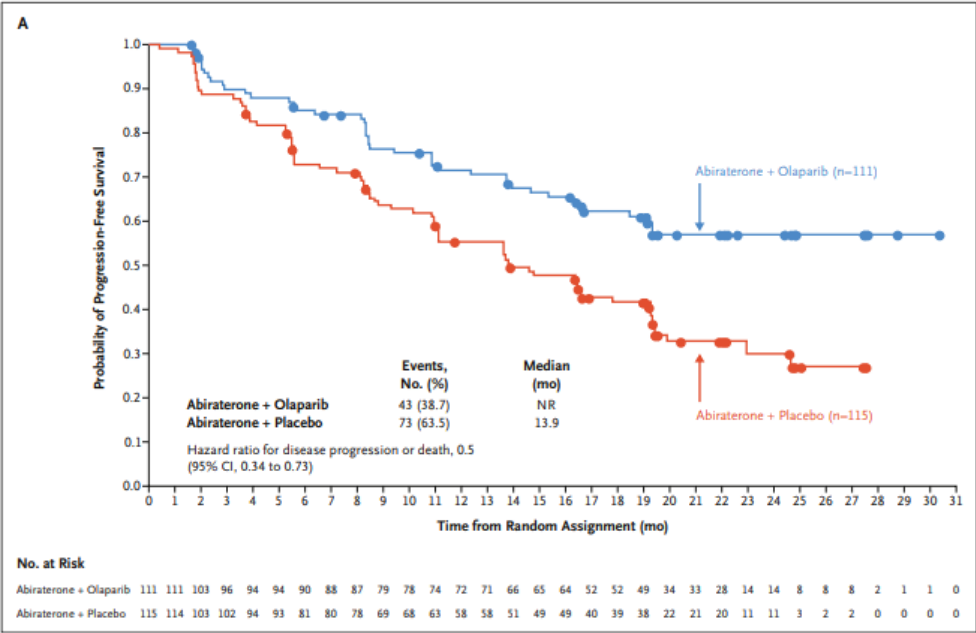
- Primary endpoints: rPFS by investigator
- Key secondary endpoints: OS, time to subsequent therapy or death, time to pain progression

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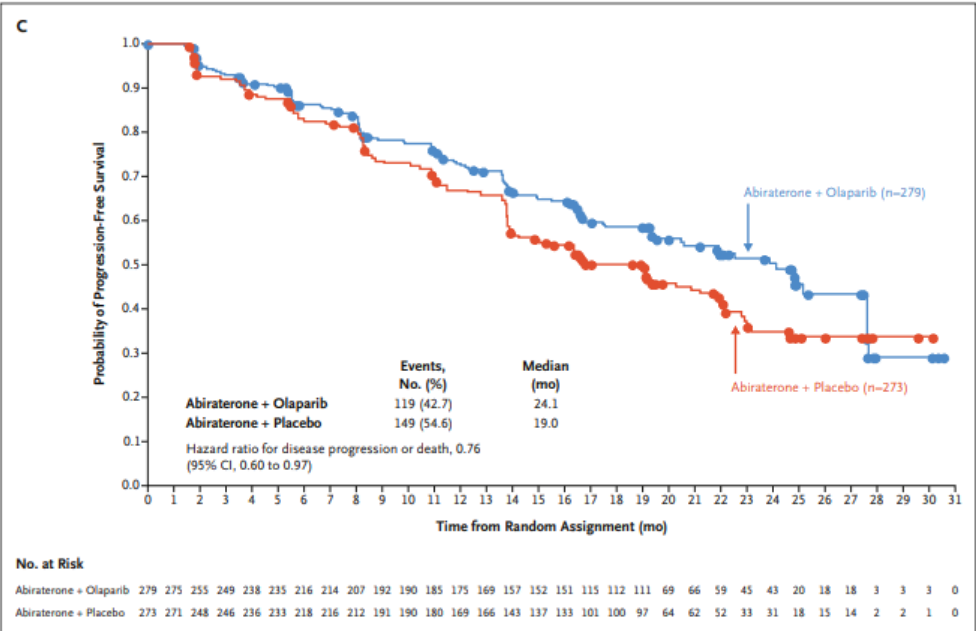
# PROpel trial: rPFS



rPFS



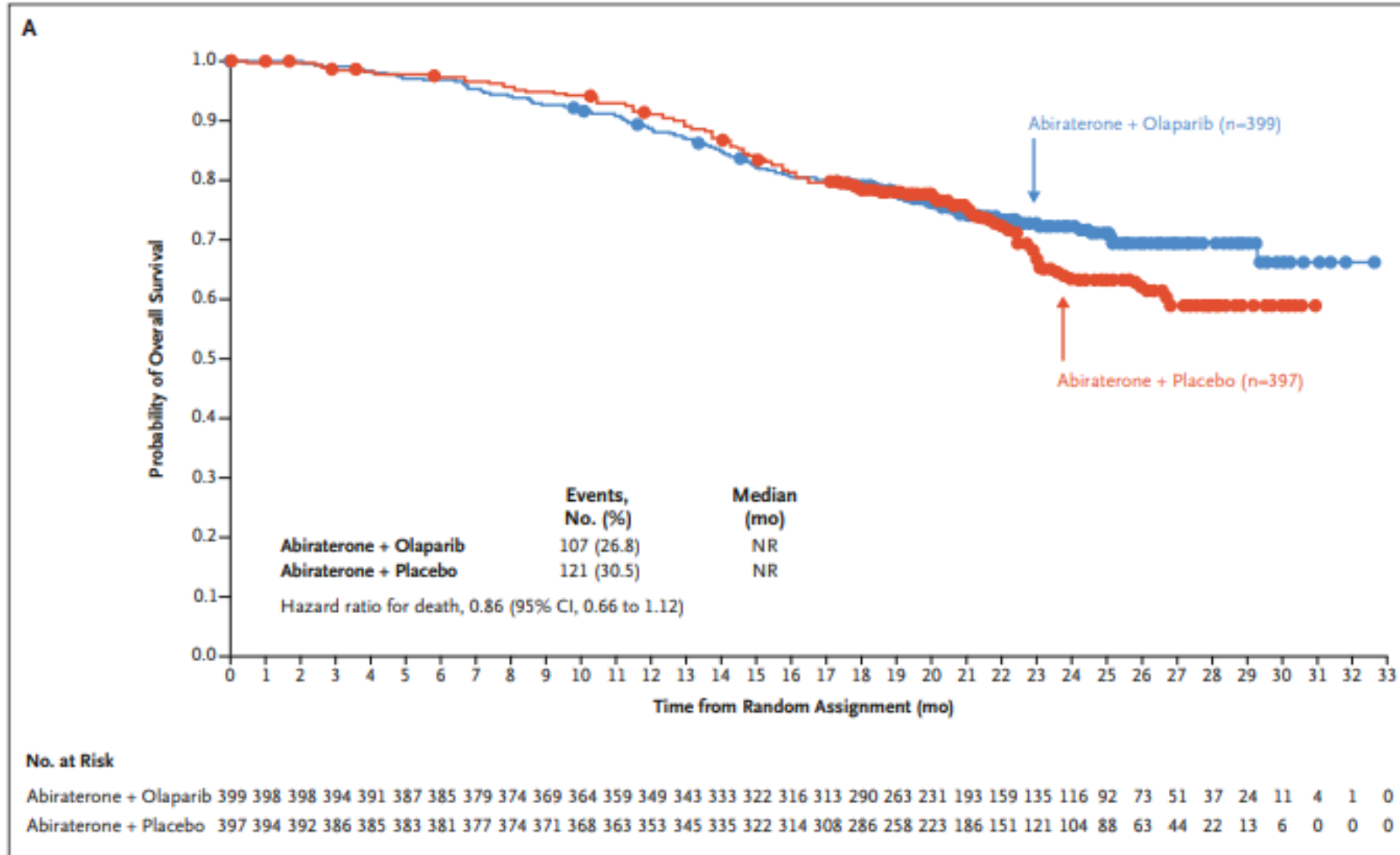
rPFS in HRR+



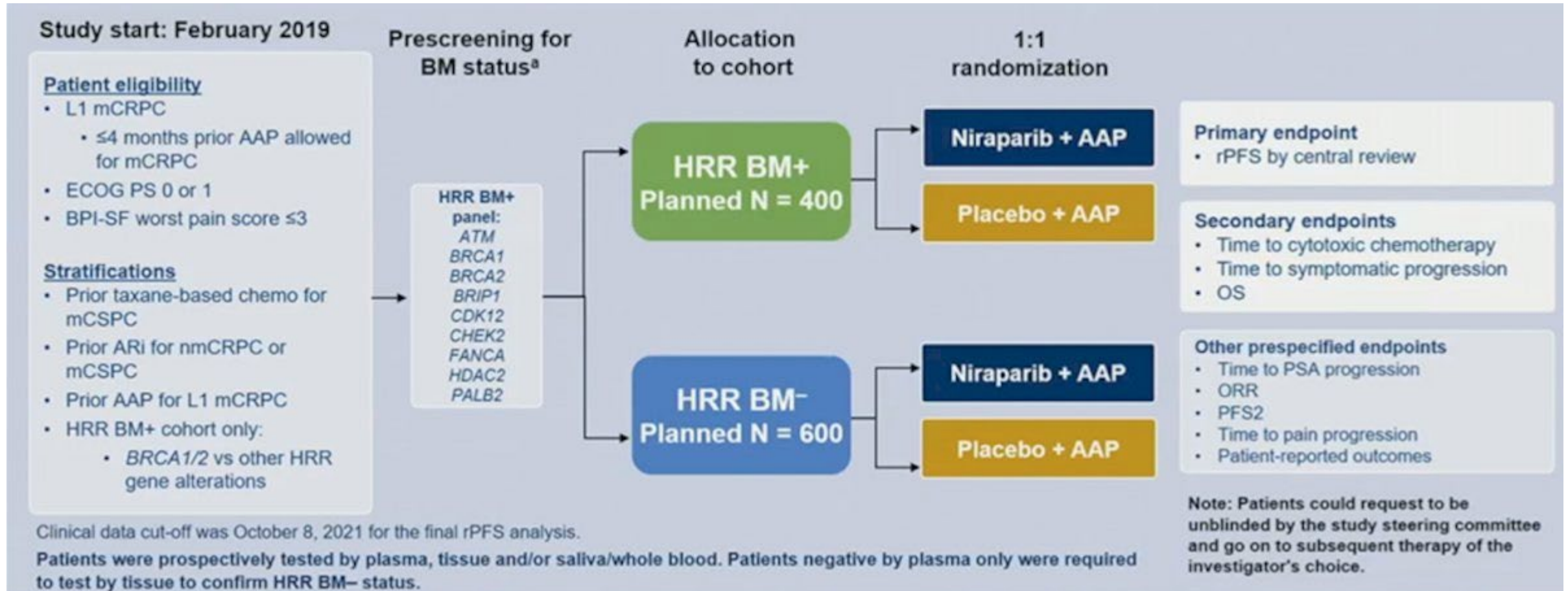
rPFS in HRR-



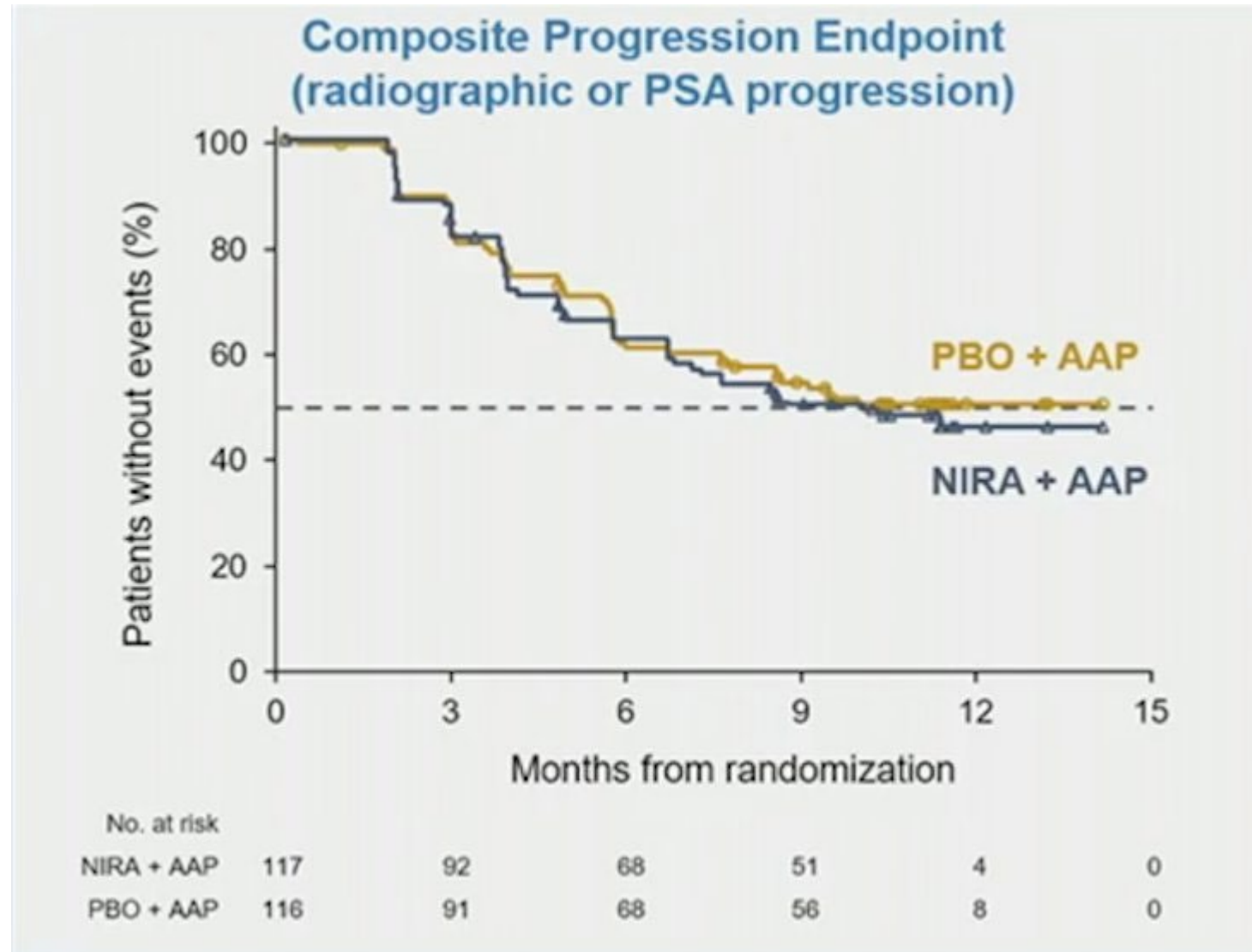
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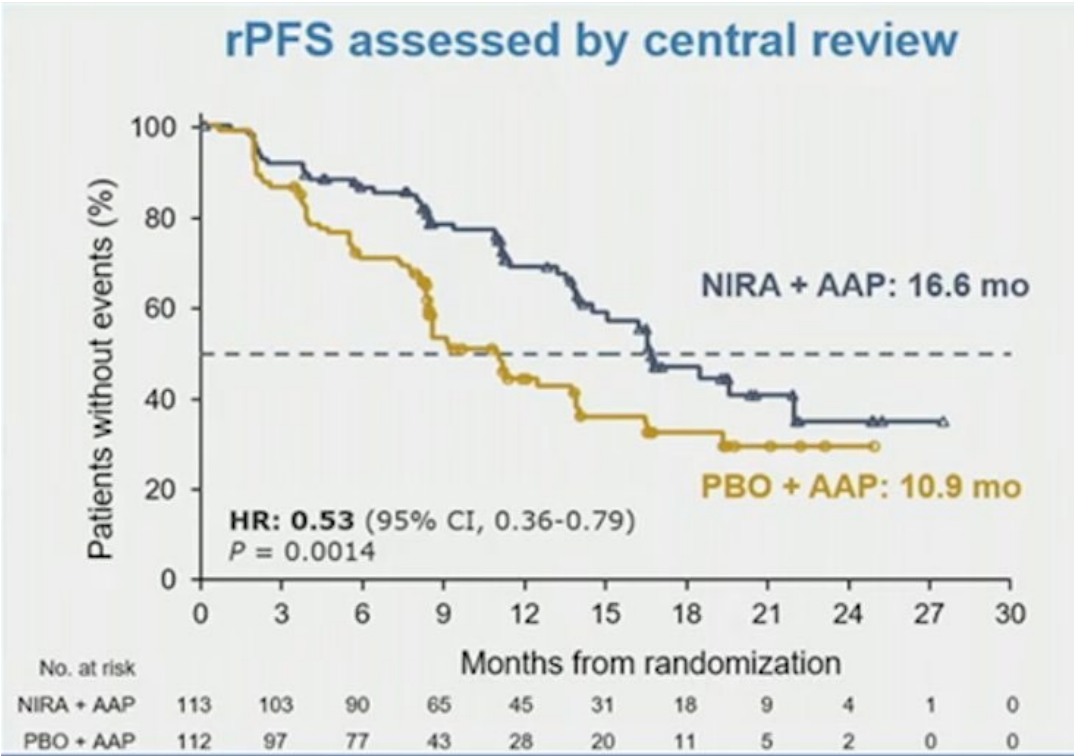
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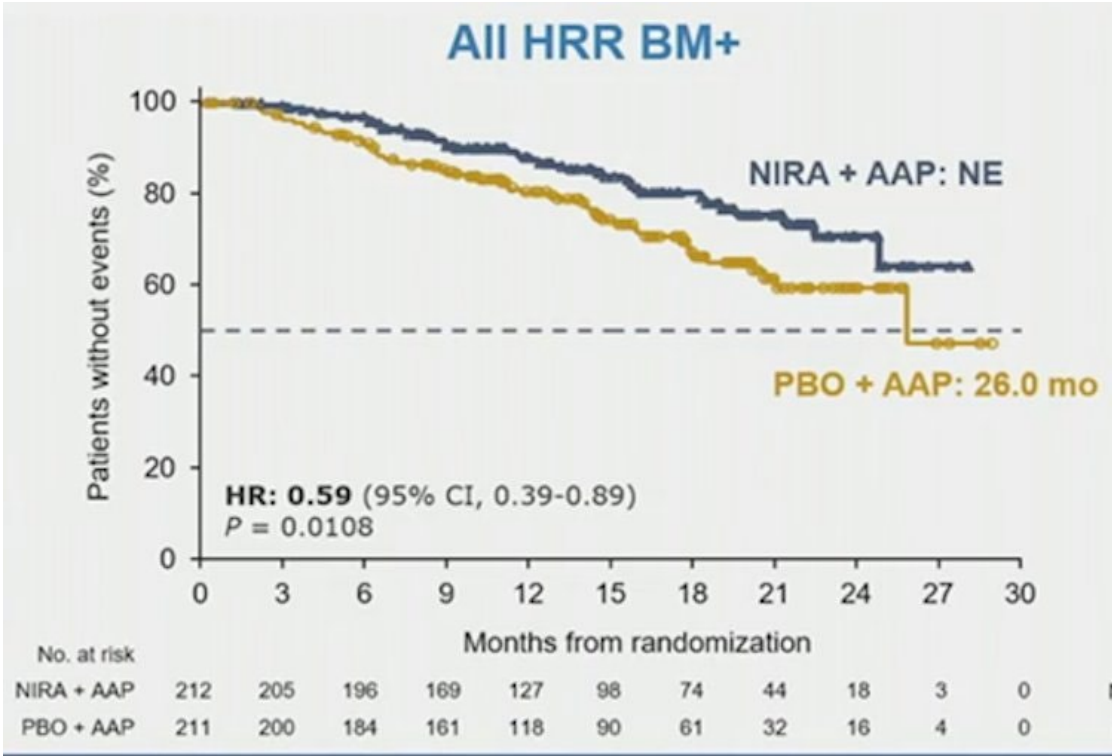
# MAGNITUDE trial



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BRCA1/2 Subgroup



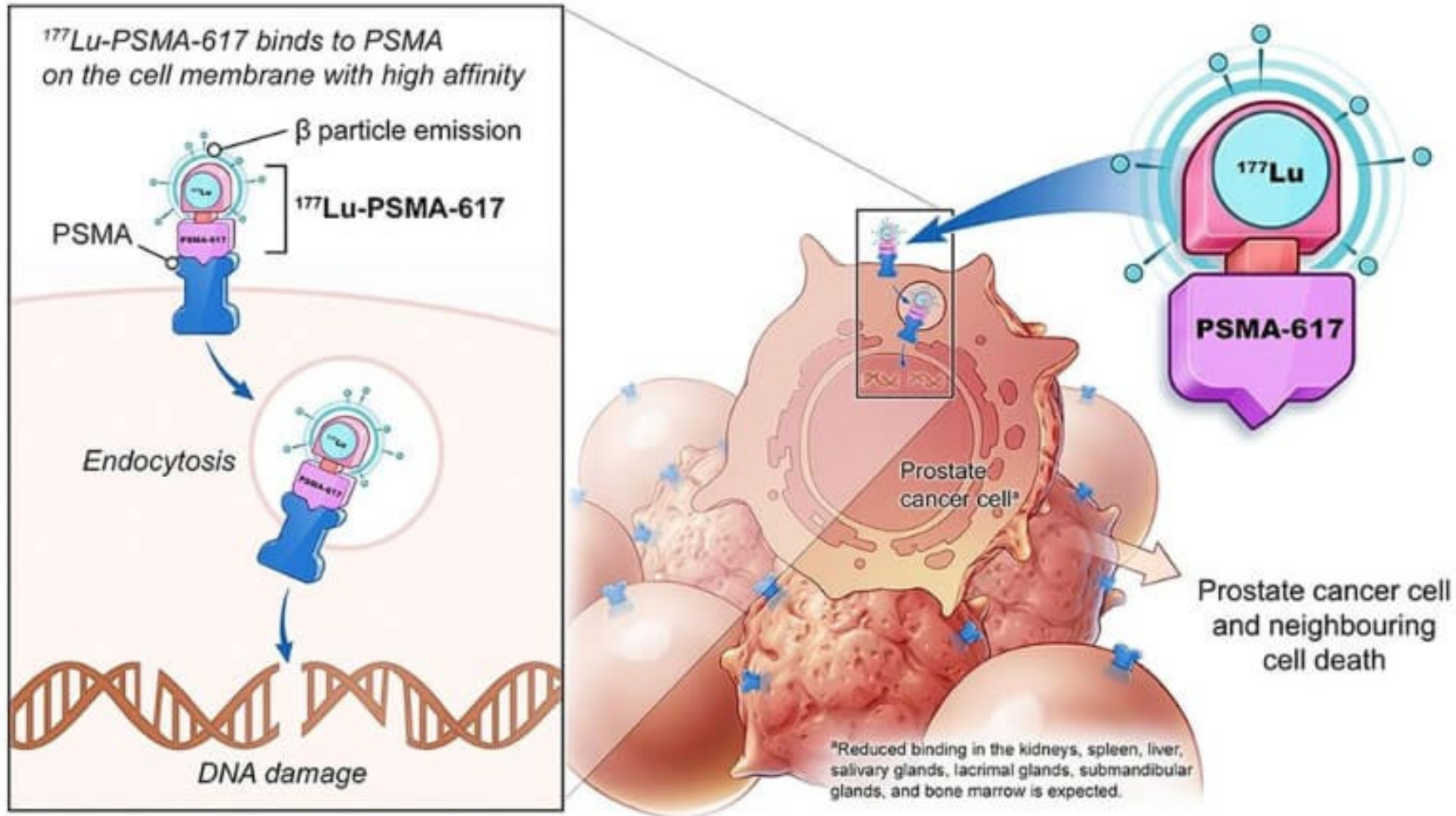
All HRR

# PARP inhibitors

- DNA repair gene alterations are seen in metastatic prostate cancer
  - Both germline and somatic testing is required
- PARP inhibitors have demonstrated efficacy in mCRPC
  - Olaparib and rucaparib are now FDA approved
- PROPEL and MAGNITUDE trials tested PARP inhibitors +NHA
  - PROPEL + in rPFS regardless of HRR status
  - MAGNITUDE only for patients with HRR+
  - Although OS is secondary end point, still pending
  - Drug and financial toxicity need to be considered



# Radiopharmaceuticals: Lu-177 PSMA



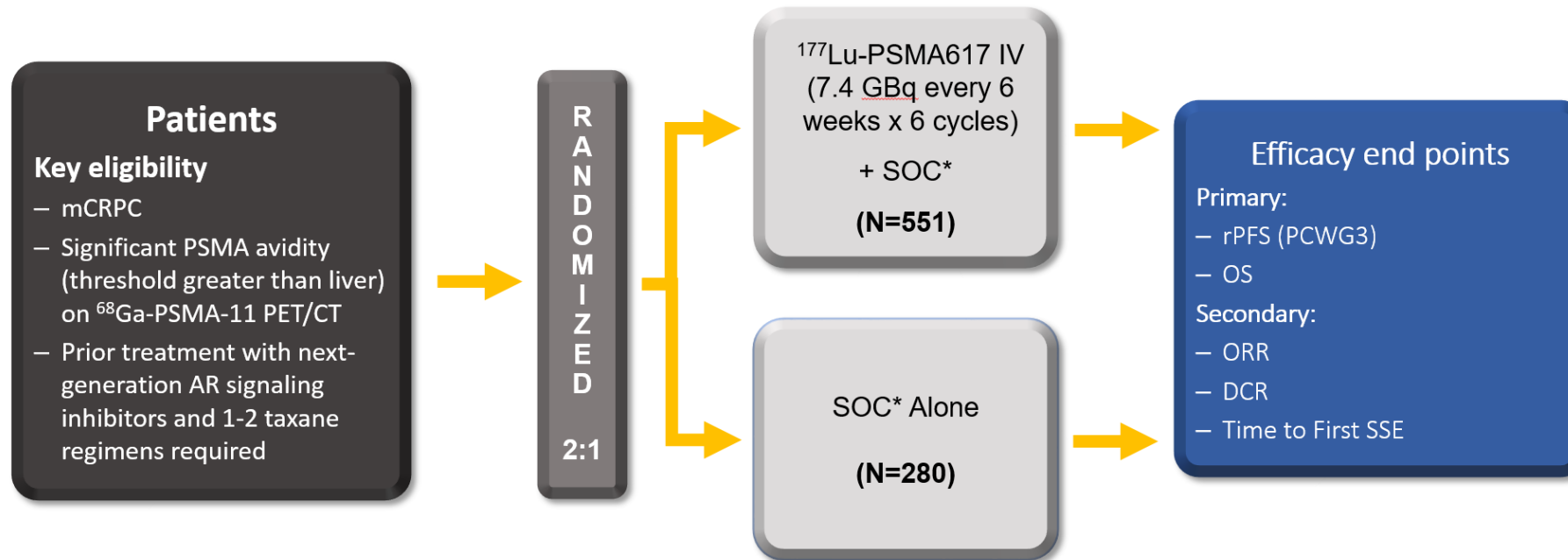
# VISION Trial: Lu-177 PSMA

ASCO Annual Meeting 2021, Abstract #LBA4

## Phase III study of lutetium-177-PSMA-617 in patients with metastatic castration-resistant prostate cancer (VISION).

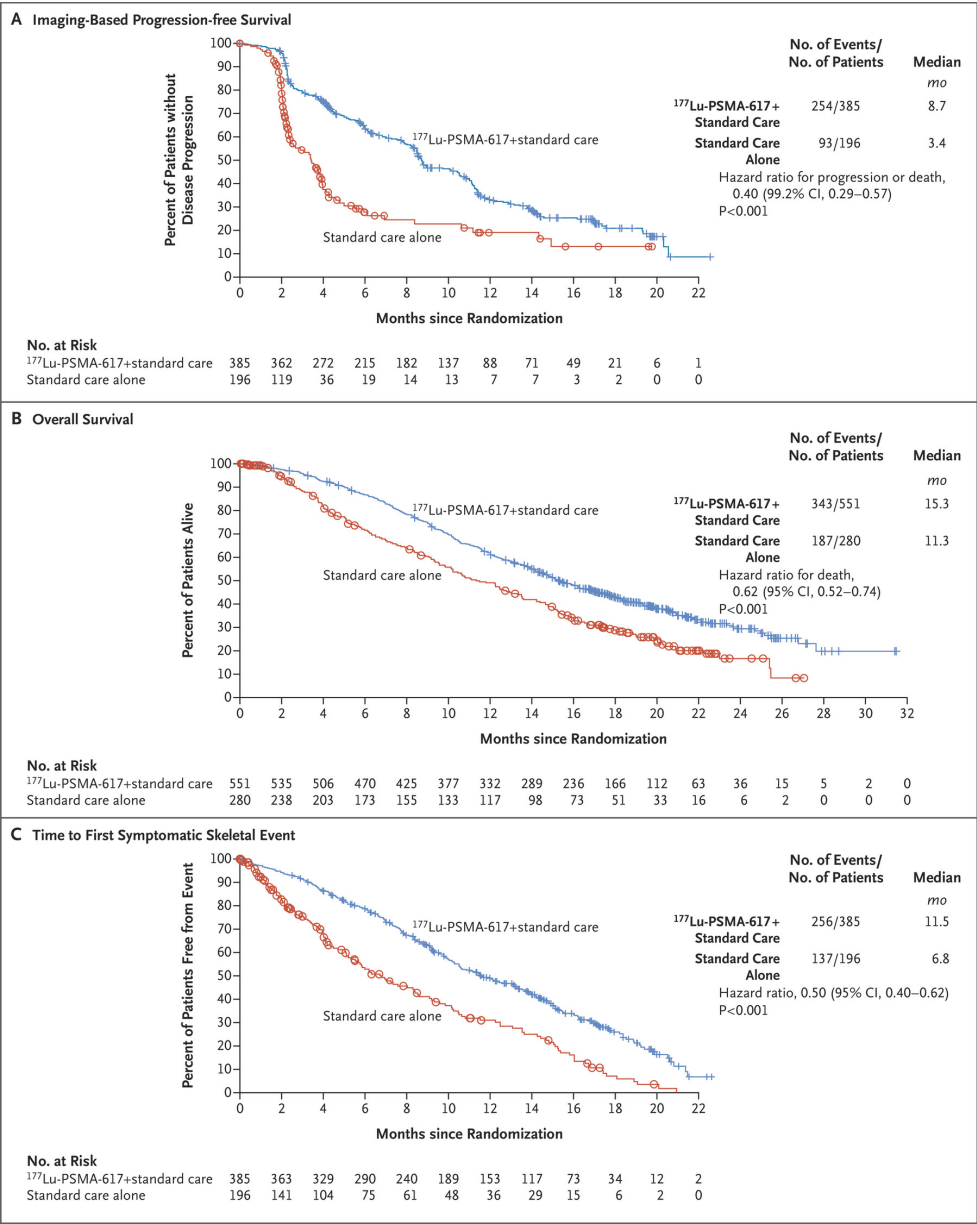
Presenting Author: Michael J. Morris, MD

**Hypothesis:** To investigate the clinical benefit of  $^{177}\text{Lu}$ -PSMA-617 plus SOC treatment in men with advanced-stage PSMA-positive mCRPC.



\*SOC was investigator determined but excluded cytotoxic chemotherapy and radium-223

# VISION Trial: Lu-177 PSMA



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**Table 2. Adverse Events.\***

Event	<sup>177</sup> Lu-PSMA-617 plus Standard Care (N = 529)		Standard Care Alone (N = 205)	
	All Grades	Grade ≥3	All Grades	Grade ≥3
	number of patients (percent)			
Any adverse event	519 (98.1)	279 (52.7)	170 (82.9)	78 (38.0)
Adverse event that occurred in >12% of patients				
Fatigue	228 (43.1)	31 (5.9)	47 (22.9)	3 (1.5)
Dry mouth	205 (38.8)	0	1 (0.5)	0
Nausea	187 (35.3)	7 (1.3)	34 (16.6)	1 (0.5)
Anemia	168 (31.8)	68 (12.9)	27 (13.2)	10 (4.9)
Back pain	124 (23.4)	17 (3.2)	30 (14.6)	7 (3.4)
Arthralgia	118 (22.3)	6 (1.1)	26 (12.7)	1 (0.5)
Decreased appetite	112 (21.2)	10 (1.9)	30 (14.6)	1 (0.5)
Constipation	107 (20.2)	6 (1.1)	23 (11.2)	1 (0.5)
Diarrhea	100 (18.9)	4 (0.8)	6 (2.9)	1 (0.5)
Vomiting	100 (18.9)	5 (0.9)	13 (6.3)	1 (0.5)
Thrombocytopenia	91 (17.2)	42 (7.9)	9 (4.4)	2 (1.0)
Lymphopenia	75 (14.2)	41 (7.8)	8 (3.9)	1 (0.5)
Leukopenia	66 (12.5)	13 (2.5)	4 (2.0)	1 (0.5)
Adverse event that led to reduction in <sup>177</sup> Lu-PSMA-617 dose	30 (5.7)	10 (1.9)	NA	NA
Adverse event that led to interruption of <sup>177</sup> Lu-PSMA-617†	85 (16.1)	42 (7.9)	NA	NA
Adverse event that led to discontinuation of <sup>177</sup> Lu-PSMA-617†	63 (11.9)	37 (7.0)	NA	NA
Adverse event that led to death‡	19 (3.6)	19 (3.6)	6 (2.9)	6 (2.9)

\* Shown are data for all the patients who underwent randomization and received at least one dose of their assigned treatment (standard care, with or without <sup>177</sup>Lu-PSMA-617). Adverse events during the treatment period were those that occurred on or after the start of randomized treatment and up to 30 days after the last administration of the randomized treatment (standard care or <sup>177</sup>Lu-PSMA-617, whichever was later) or before subsequent anticancer treatment. Adverse events were coded with the use of Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events, version 5.0, and terms from the *Medical Dictionary for Regulatory Activities*, version 23.1. NA denotes not applicable.

† Patients who had been randomly assigned to receive <sup>177</sup>Lu-PSMA-617 plus standard care and who did not receive <sup>177</sup>Lu-PSMA-617 but did receive standard care were included in the control group (standard care alone) of the safety population; 3 patients had adverse events during cycle 1 of <sup>177</sup>Lu-PSMA-617 therapy that led to the interruption (in 2 of 205 patients [1.0%]) or discontinuation (in 1 [0.5%]) of that therapy.

‡ Five adverse events that led to death in the <sup>177</sup>Lu-PSMA-617 group were considered by the investigators to be related to the drug: pancytopenia (in 2 patients), bone marrow failure (in 1), subdural hematoma (in 1), and intracranial hemorrhage (in 1).

# Radiopharmaceuticals: Lu-177 PSMA

- Lu-PSMA is FDA approved as of March 2022 for patients with PSMA positive mCRPC who received NHA and taxane based chemo
- As of July 2022, it is available at Emory; the eligibility criteria include:
  - Ga-68 PSMA scan (initially, later plan to expend PyL PSMA PET scan)
  - Any systemic anti-cancer therapy within 28 days
  - Radionuclide therapy (Strontium-89, Samarium-153, Rhenium-186, Rhenium-188, Radium-223, hemi-body irradiation) within 6 months
  - Unmanageable urinary tract obstruction or hydronephrosis;
  - Progressive deterioration of organ function (GFR < 30 mL/min or creatinine > 2-fold upper limit of normal (ULN); liver enzymes > 5-fold ULN).
  - Myelosuppression: a. Total white cell count less than  $2.5 \times 10^9$  /L b. Platelet count less than  $75 \times 10^9$  /L
- This opens new era with different combinations, such as IO, and also coming to front line



# Future Directions

- PSMA- BITE: AMG 160 trial
- PSMA- ADC: ARX-517 trial
- Novel immunotherapy combinations:
  - For CRPC: Nivolumab+ TLR, XL092+Atezolizumab
  - For HSPC: Dual PD1/CTLA4 antibody+ standard of care
- CAR-T cell: BP-012 trial (PSCA-CAR-T cells)
- TROP2-ADC: DS-1062a

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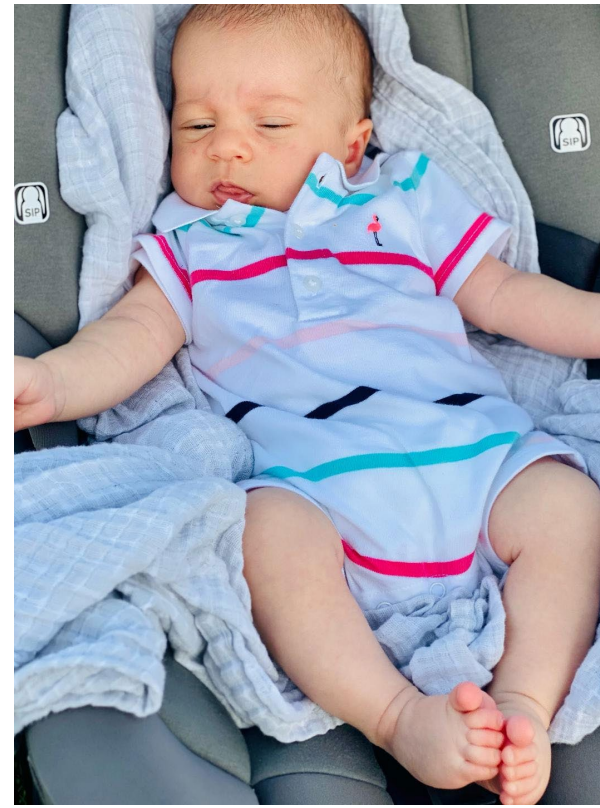
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