PDUFA Stakeholder Meeting

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About NCCS

- Our mission is to advocate for quality cancer care for all people touched by cancer.
- We represent cancer survivors in public policy efforts to improve cancer treatments and to enhance access to quality cancer care.
- Our goal is to foster a cancer care system that is evidence-based, quality-driven, patient-focused, and affordable and accessible to all.
- We believe in shared decision-making.
- We champion cancer care planning, at diagnosis and at major transition points during treatment and survivorship.



Making Treatment Decisions



Complete this worksheet and use it to help you prepare for your doctor's visit and discuss your wishes with your physician and your family.



MY HOPES > Through cancer treatment, I hope for [cure, control, comfort] -

MILESTONES AND GOALS Milestones and goals that are important to me (examples: graduations, weddings, retirement, trips, accomplishments) -

QUALITY OF LIFE During treatment, I want to When I finish my cancer treatments, I want to be able to... -

SIDE EFFECTS during treatment - Side effects I am afraid of during treatment -

CONCERNS > Other concerns I have about my cancer and treatment (examples: body image, fertility, emotional health, sexuality):

Side effects I am afraid of

- **SUPPORT** Do my family members agree with and support my wishes?
 - Do I need help communicating my wishes?

Support I need from my family and caregivers — day of treatment, managing side effects, etc.

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- What information do I need to help me make a decision about treatment?
- What information do you use to make treatment recommendations for me?
- What are your realistic goals for my treatment?
- What are the chances that I can be **cured**?
- What are my chances of a long-term response with good quality of life?
- Are there clinical trials available to me?

- How will I feel during treatment? Will I be able to **work**? Take care of my family? Travel? Be around young children?
- What help will I need in managing the side effects of treatment? When and for how long?
- Should I consider a second opinion regarding my diagnosis and treatment? Are there different approaches to treating my kind of cancer?



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PDUFA Opportunities

- PDUFA can enhance the scientific expertise, processes, and tools that FDA uses to regulate increasingly complex medical problems and public health.
 - To continue to improve the drug-approval process and to make it more efficient
 - To continue to implement advances in science



PDUFA Opportunities for Oncology

- To advance the understanding of and appropriate use of adaptive clinical trials
- To advance the science of conducting clinical trials for combination therapy
- To continue to advance the work to date in biomarkers



Patients at the Heart of Drug Development

- Patients' experiences matter.
- Patient-reported outcomes (PROs), properly collected and analyzed, can be immensely helpful to patients in shared decision-making.
- There can be tremendous benefit to including PROs, properly collected and analyzed, in the drugdevelopment process.
 - Patients may learn more about what to expect from the drug, including possible side effects.



FDA Questions on PROs

- How can the patient-reported evidence be integrated and evaluated?
- How could individual differences in patient experience of benefit versus harm be considered?



Post-Market Activities

 The need to have effective tools for post-market activities related to oncology drugs

