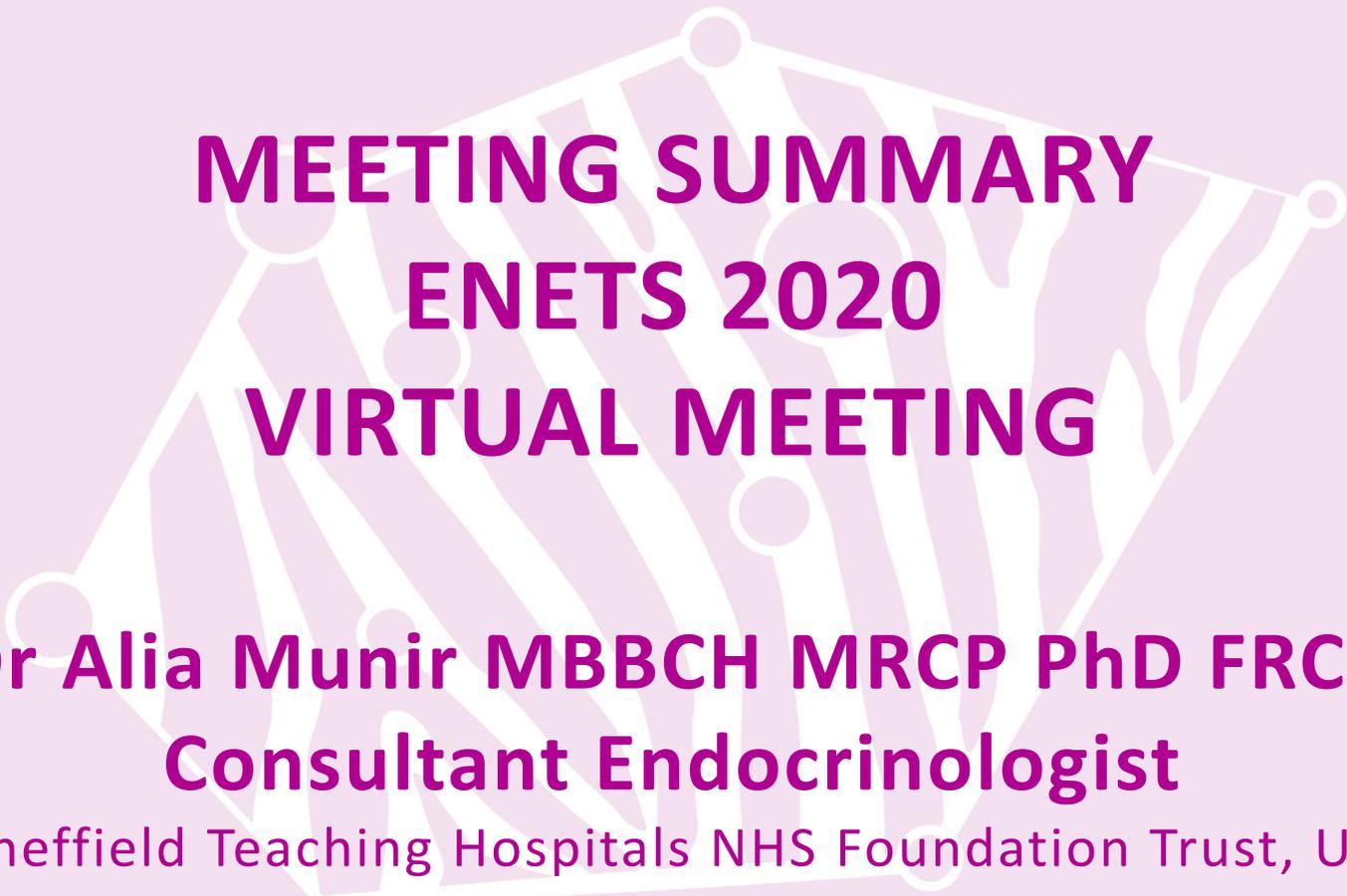




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**PRESIDENTIAL ABSTRACT
CLINICAL SCIENCE:**

**SOMATOSTATIN ANALOGS (SSA) IN
PATIENTS WITH SYMPTOMATIC
DIFFUSE IDIOPATHIC PULMONARY
NEUROENDOCRINE CELL
HYPERPLASIA (DIPNECH)**

Al-Toubah T, et al. ENETS 2020. Abstract #H01

- **DIPNECH is a very rare lung disorder considered a precursor of tumourlets and typical/atypical carcinoids¹**
- A typical patient is a **middle aged non-smoking woman** presenting with **decades of chronic cough and dyspnoea**
- Radiological signs include:
 - Multifocal pulmonary nodules
 - Mosaic attenuation with air trapping
 - Ground glass appearance
 - Endobronchial wall thickening
 - Atelectasis
- This multi-institution **retrospective chart review** on outcomes of **SSA treatment in DIPNECH**

DIPNECH, diffuse idiopathic pulmonary neuroendocrine cell hyperplasia; SSA, somatostatin analogues

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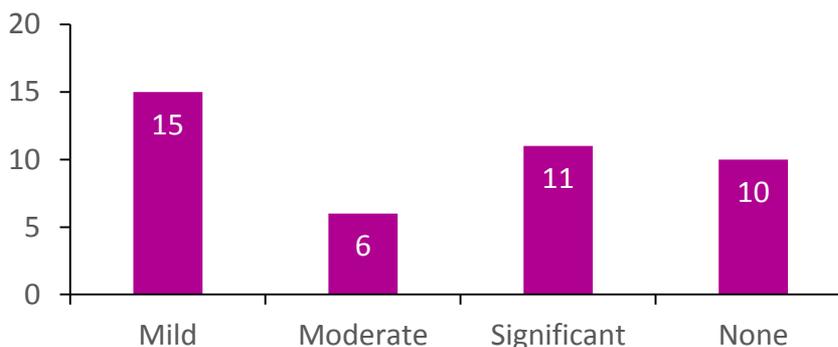
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KEY RESULTS

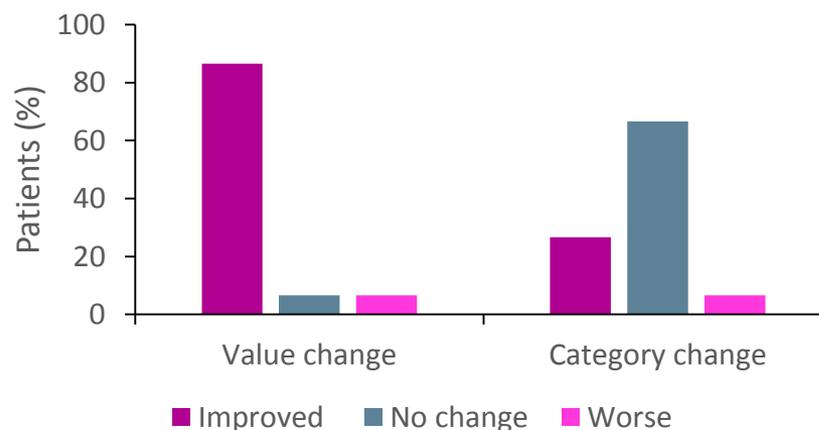
PATIENT CHARACTERISTICS

	N (%)
Sex	
Female	40 (95.2)
Male	2 (4.8)
Age	
<50	4 (9.6)
50-59	13 (30.9)
60-69	10 (23.8)
70+	15 (35.7)
Ki-67% (on biopsy or surgical specimen)	
Not reported	25 (59.5)
≤2%	16 (38.1)
3-20%	1 (2.4)
Smoking history	
Yes	10 (23.8)
No	32 (76.2)
Other therapies for respiratory symptoms	
0	11 (26.2)
1	9 (21.4)
2-3	18 (42.9)
>3	4 (9.5)
Baseline symptoms	
Cough	34 (80.9)
Dyspnea	27 (64.2)
Fatigue	6 (14.3)
Wheezing	5 (11.9)
Palpitations	4 (9.5)
Chest tightness	2 (4.7)
Hot flashes	1 (2.4)
Hirsutism	1 (2.4)
Abdominal pain	1 (2.4)

SYMPTOM IMPROVEMENT



CHANGE IN FEV1 TEST RESULTS^a



^a15 patients had pre and post treatment FEV1 data

DIPNECH, diffuse idiopathic pulmonary neuroendocrine cell hyperplasia; FEV1, forced expiratory volume in 1 second; SSA, somatostatin analogues. Al-Toubah T, et al. ENETS 2020. Abstract #H01 (Oral presentation)

CONCLUSION

- This was the largest cohort study of SSA therapy for DIPNECH
- SSA therapy was effective at palliating symptoms
 - 76% had a degree of improvement
 - 26% reported significant improvement
- 13 of 15 (87%) showed an improvement in PFTs
- **The mechanism of SSA remains uncertain**
 - Inhibit PNEC autocrine/paracrine secretion
 - Diminished airway reactivity
- **Malignant/metastatic transformation of DIPNECH is rare**
- **SSA should be considered standard of care in DIPNECH patients**
- Further work to investigate aetiology and larger clinical studies are needed

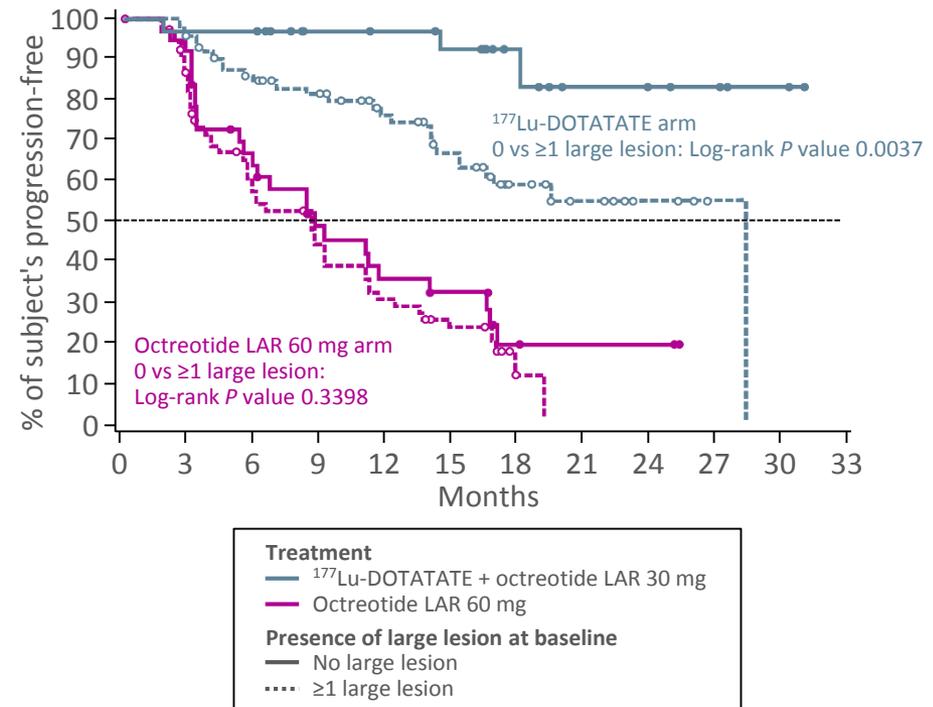
**^{177}Lu -DOTATATE PLUS ^{166}Ho -
RADIOEMBOLIZATION IN PATIENTS WITH
NEUROENDOCRINE
TUMOURS; A SINGLE CENTER,
PROSPECTIVE, INTERVENTIONAL, NON-
COMPARATIVE, OPEN LABEL, PHASE II
STUDY (HEPAR PLuS STUDY)**

Braat A, et al. ENETS 2020. Abstract #K04

BACKGROUND

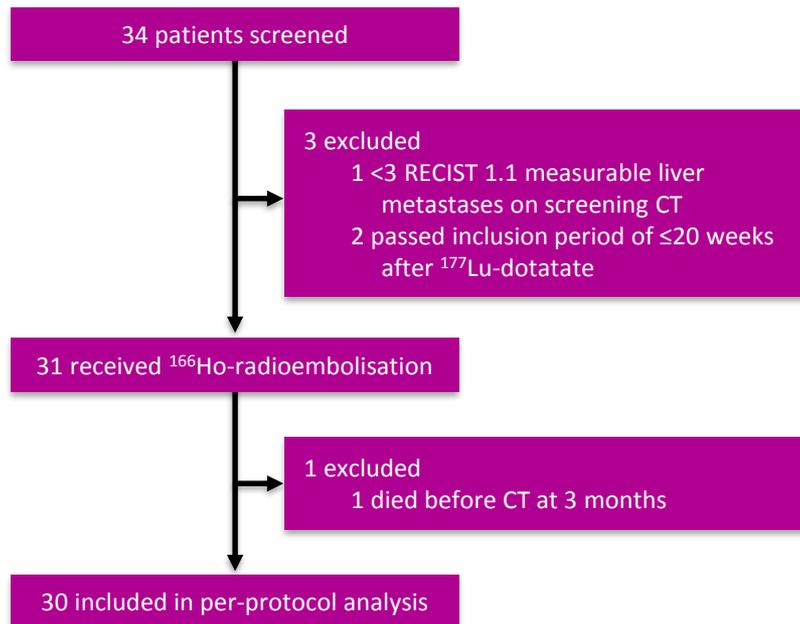
- Liver disease in NENs is a major factor which impacts survival¹
- Treatment options include¹:
 - Surgical resection
 - TAE
 - PRRT
- In general clinical practice **PRRT outcomes are good but could be better¹**
- **HEPAR PLuS is the first prospective single arm phase II trial of combination ¹⁷⁷Lu-DOTATATE PRRT and ¹⁶⁶Ho-radioembolization in NEN**

BULKY LIVER METASTASES (>30 mm) DECREASES SURVIVAL²



STUDY ENROLMENT AND KEY DISEASE CHARACTERISTICS

PATIENT DISPOSITION



TUMOUR CHARACTERISTICS

	N (%)
Primary tumour	
Pancreas	9 (30)
Ileum or jejunum	9 (30)
Unknown	5 (17)
Colon, caecum, or rectum	4 (13)
Bronchus or lung	3 (10)
Functioning neuroendocrine neoplasms	9 (30)
Neuroendocrine neoplasm grade	
1	12 (40)
2	18 (60)
Fractional liver involvement	
<25%	22 (73)
25 to 50%	6 (20)
>50 to 70%	2 (7)
Extrahepatic disease	
Yes	24 (80)
No	6 (20)

PRIMARY EFFICACY ENDPOINT

- Efficacy outcomes
 - Additional durable CR/PR after PRRT (mRECIST)
- Clinical toxicity
 - Similar to radioembolisation of other tumour types in salvage setting
- Biochemical toxicity
 - Peak in liver enzymes at 3 weeks
- QoL reductions peaked at 3-6 weeks
 - Peak in fatigue at 3 weeks
 - Resolution at 3 months

PRIMARY EFFICACY OUTCOMES

	3 months		6 months	
	Liver-specific response	Patient-based response	Liver-specific response	Patient-based response
RECIST 1.1 (n=30)				
Complete response	0	0	0	0
Partial response	13 (43%)	12 (40%)	14 (47%)	10 (33%)
Stable disease	15 (50%)	14 (47%)	11 (37%)	13 (43%)
Progressive disease	2 (7%)	4 (13%)	4 (13%)	6 (20%)
NA	0	0	1 (3%)	1 (3%)
mRECIST (n=30)				
Complete response	3 (10%)	–	2 (7%)	–
Partial response	15 (50%)	–	15 (50%)	–
Progressive disease	0	–	1 (3%)	–
NA	4 (13%)	–	5 (17%)	–

PRIMARY SAFETY OUTCOMES

	Grade 1–2	Grade 3	Grade 4	Grade 5
Related toxicity				
Radioembolisation-induced liver disease	0	0	0	1 (3%)
Abdominal pain	21 (68%)	3 (10%)	0	0
Fatigue	18 (58%)	1 (3%)	0	0
Nausea	19 (61%)	1 (3%)	0	0
Vomiting	13 (42%)	0	0	0
Malaise	8 (25%)	0	0	0
Subfebrile	4 (13%)	0	0	0
Shivering	3 (10%)	0	0	0
Oedema	2 (6%)	0	0	0

CR, complete response; NA, not applicable; PR, partial response; QoL, quality of life; RECIST, response evaluation criteria in solid tumours; mRECIST, modified RECIST

CONCLUSIONS SO FAR..

- **Additional ^{166}Ho -radioembolization**
 - Effective in bulky liver disease after PRRT
 - Is safe and effective after PRRT1
 - Toxicity profile comparable to literature²
- **QoL** was temporarily decreased and fully recovered at **3 months**
- OS and PFS have not been reached, long term follow up is needed
- Dosimetric analysis results are very exciting

¹⁶⁶Ho, holmium-166; OS, overall survival; PFS, progression-free survival; PRRT, peptide receptor radionuclide therapy; QoL, quality of life

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ASSESSING RESPONSE TO PRRT

Prasad V, et al. ENETS 2020

- **Assesses the efficacy of drugs in clinical trials** in order to avoid or reduce
 - **Cost** of drug development
 - **Unnecessary public health risk** by early identification of **drug failure** and reduction of **biases and statistical errors**
- In NETs, the **Gold Standard is pre- and post-therapy tumour tissue sampling**
- Response assessment criteria vary by cancer type
- Both clinical endpoints and surrogate biomarkers can be used to assess response
 - Biomarker endpoints
 - Measured objectively
 - Surrogate for clinical endpoints
 - Clinical endpoints
 - Variables of subjects health and well-being
 - Valuable to assess OS and QoL

NET, neuroendocrine tumour; OS, overall survival; QoL, quality of life

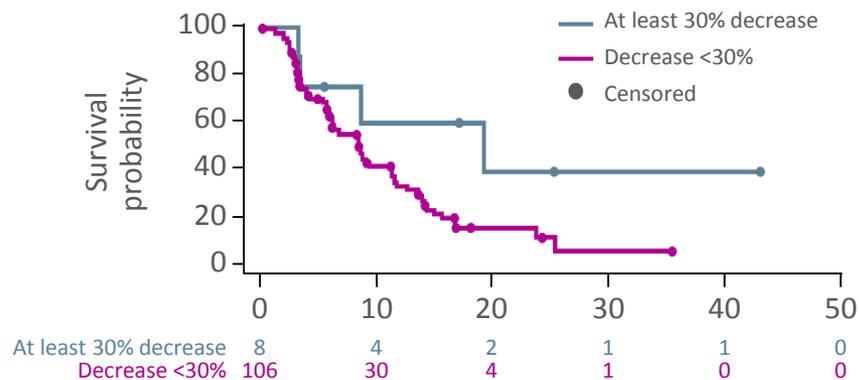
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RESPONSE ASSESSMENT IN NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOURS

REDUCED TUMOUR SIZE AS AN OUTCOME

- Reduction in tumour size can act as an objective response measure¹

KAPLAN-MEIER CURVE OF PFS IN RELATION TO TUMOUR RESPONSE



CgA, chromogranin A; MR; minor response; NET, neuroendocrine tumour; PD, disease progression; PR, partial response; PRRT, peptide receptor radionuclide therapy; SD, stable disease

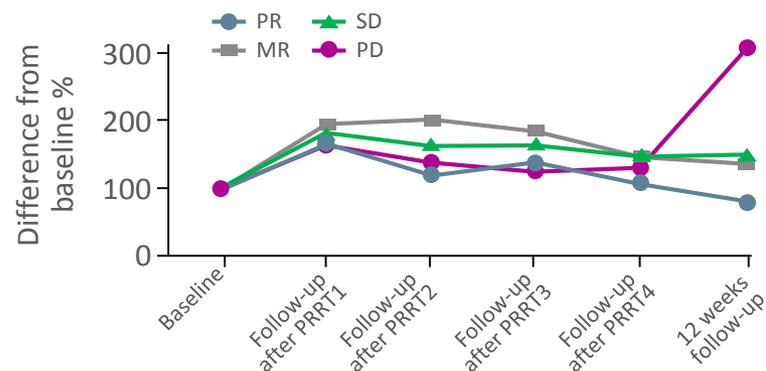
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RESPONSE ASSESSMENT IN NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOURS

RADIOLOGY AND PSEUDO-PROGRESSION

- Progression markers like CgA may be caused by radiology-induced cell damage²
 - Liver function parameters and CgA should be interpreted with caution
- Transient increase in metastasis size ($\geq 10\%$) may occur post-PRRT
 - True progression is almost always reflected by new metastases

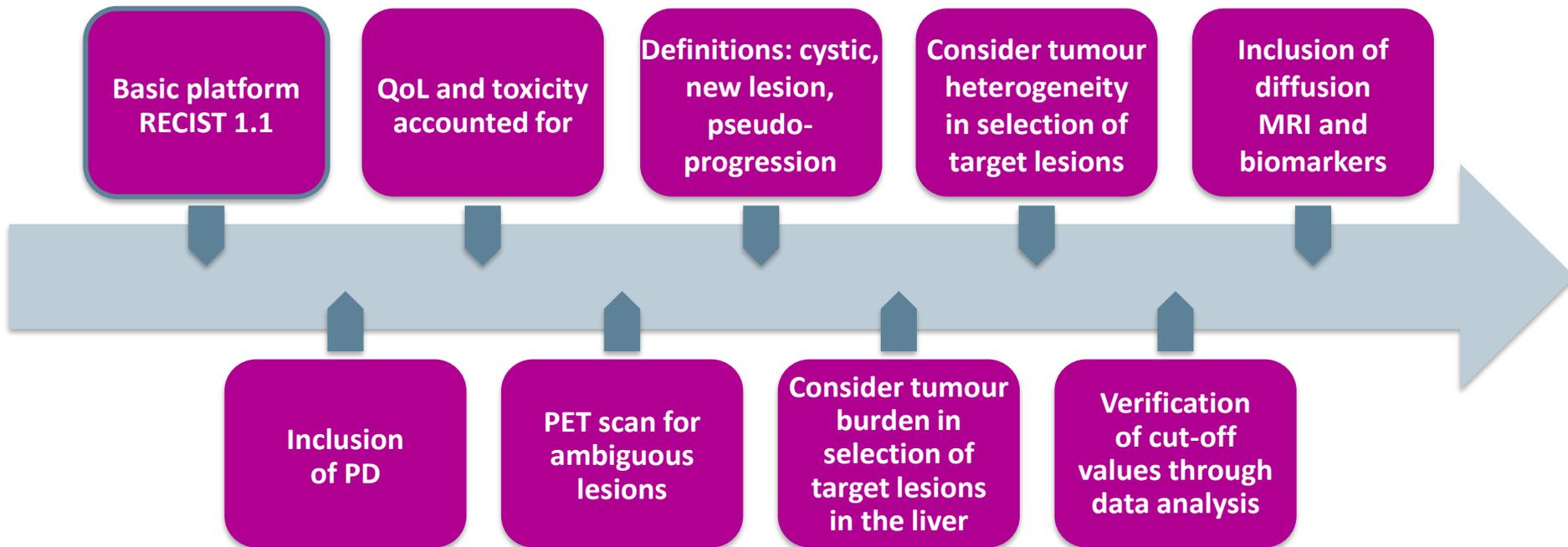
TRANSIENT INCREASE IN CgA POST-THERAPY



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ROAD MAP TO NEW RESPONSE IN PEPTIDE RECEPTOR RADIONUCLIDE THERAPY



CONCLUSION

- **Optimal criteria for the response of PRRT is a challenge**
- Process requires a **collective effort collect to prospectively study and real world data** to find the best response criteria for PRRT
- **PET must be included in the response assessment of PRRT**

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