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Il Percorso del paziente con neoplasia neuroendocrina nella provincia di Ferrara

La terapia radiometabolica

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Imaging medico nucleare dei NET: *i radiocomposti*

1) Sintesi, immagazzinamento, e rilascio di ormoni

- ^{11}C -idrossi-efedrina (HE) $\beta+$
- ^{123}I -metaiodo-benzil-guanidina (MIBG) γ

2) Produzione di amine e polipeptidi (APUD system)

- ^{11}C -idrossi-triptofano (HTP) $\beta+$
- ^{18}F -diidrossi-fenilalanina (DOPA) $\beta+$

3) Esprimono recettori per la somatostatina: sstr

- ^{68}Ga -DOTA -NOC -TOC -TATE (octapeptidi) $\beta+$ *emettitori*
- ^{111}In -DTPA-octreotide- (Octreoscan®) γ *emettitore*
- $^{99\text{m}}\text{Tc}$ -EDDA-HYNIC-TOC-scan

4) Composti metabolici non specifici

- ^{18}F -fluorodesossiglucosio (FDG) $\beta+$

UTILITA' E INDICAZIONI DELLE INDAGINI RECETTORIALI MEDICO-NUCLEARI NEI NET

¹¹¹In-DTPA-Octreotide (Octreoscan®) SPECT/CT
⁶⁸Ga-DOTA -NOC -TOC -TATE (octapeptidi) PET/CT

- 1) DIAGNOSI, RICERCA PRIMITIVO E STADIAZIONE**
- 2) INDICAZIONE ALLA TERAPIA CON ANALOGHI DELLA SOMATOSTATINA “FREDDI” O “RADIOMARCATI” PEPTIDE RECEPTOR RADIONUCLIDE THERAPY (PRRT)**
- 3) VALUTAZIONE DELLA RISPOSTA ALLA TERAPIA**
- 4) RISTADIAZIONE: malattia residua, recidivante, in progressione**
- 5) INFORMAZIONI PREDITTIVE E PROGNOSTICHE**

¹¹¹In-DTPA-octreotide - Octreoscan®
Scintigrafia planare e SPECT/CT

- **Farmaco approvato in farmacopea e commercializzato: STANDARD DI RIFERIMENTO**
- **Acquisizione a 4 e 24 ore (48 ore)**
- **Corrispondenza molecolare con gli analoghi freddi della somatostatina per terapia**
- Non necessari tomografo PET, generatore e modulo di sintesi del radiofarmaco

⁶⁸Ga-DOTA-peptidi - PET/CT

- **Migliore risoluzione spaziale e rapporto tumore/fondo della PET vs scintigrafia planare e SPECT**
- **Migliore fissazione: inferiore nel fegato e nell'intestino**
- **“patient friendly” (1h vs 4-24h)**
- **Dosimetria e costi favorevoli**
- **Farmaci sperimentali: protocolli di ricerca. TOC: farmacopea EU PREPARAZIONE GALENICA OFFICINALE**

**Potenziali vantaggi della
PET/CT con Ga-DOTA-peptidi vs Octreoscan®**

Costi inferiori

Eur J Nucl Med Mol Imaging, 2011 Sep 17. [Epub ahead of print]

Cost comparison of (111)In-DTPA-octreotide scintigraphy and (68)Ga-DOTATOC PET/CT for staging enteropancreatic neuroendocrine tumours.

Table 6 Comparison of the total costs of ¹¹¹In-DTPA-octreotide scintigraphy and SPECT/CT and ⁶⁸Ga-DOTATOC PET/CT

	Octreotide scan	Per patient (n=22)	DOTATOC PET/CT	Per patient (n=29)
I.1 Staff costs	13 × 110.09 € 9 × 100.19 € = 2332.88 €	106.04 €	29 × 88.79 € = 2574.91 €	88.79 €
II.1 Proportionate investment costs and costs for disposables	22 € × 720.47 = 15,850.34 €	720.47 €	29 × 459.67 € = 13,330.43 €	459.67 €
Total costs (without supplementary imaging tests)	18,183.22 €	826.51 €	15,905.34 €	548.46 €
I.2 Staff costs for supplementary imaging tests	10 × 41.63 € (MRI) 11 × 36.70 € (CT) = 820 €	37.27 €	2 × 41.63 € (MRI) = 83.26 €	2.87 €
II.2 Proportionate investment costs and costs for disposables for supplementary imaging tests	10 × 244.76 € (MRI) 11 × 24.51 € (CT) = 2717.21 €	123.51 €	2 × 244.76 € (MRI) = 489.52 €	16.88 €
Total costs for supplementary imaging	3537.21 €	160.78 €	572.78 €	19.75 €

⁶⁸Ga-DOTA-Tyr³-Octreotide PET in Neuroendocrine Tumors: Comparison with Somatostatin Receptor Scintigraphy and CT

Michael Gabriel¹, Clemens Decristoforo¹, Dorota Kendler¹, Georg Dobrozemsky¹, Dirk Heute¹, Christian Uprimny¹, Peter Kovacs², Elisabeth Von Guggenberg¹, Reto Bale², and Irene J. Virgolini¹

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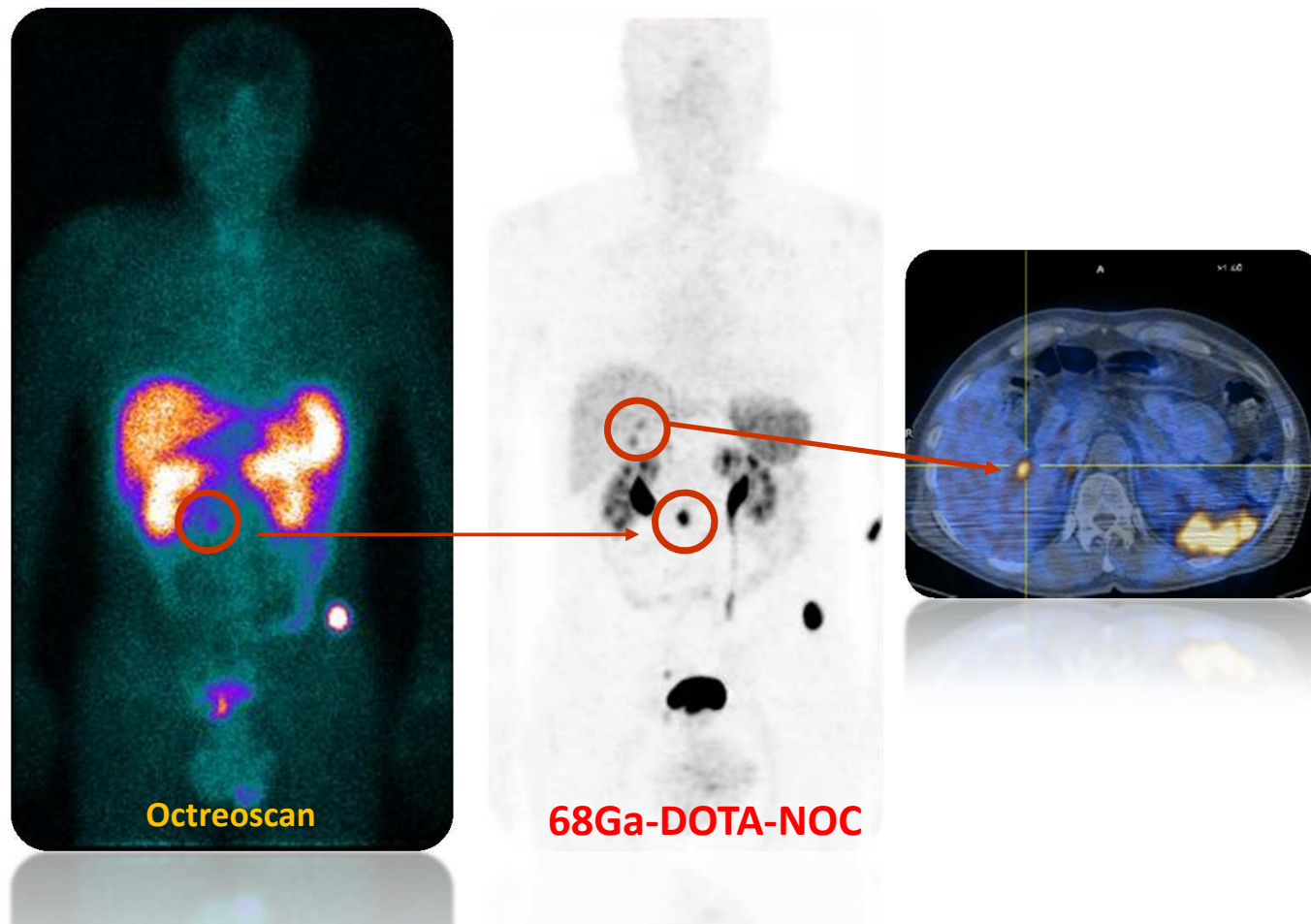
THE JOURNAL OF NUCLEAR MEDICINE • Vol. 48 • No. 4 • April 2007

TABLE 5
Comparison of 3 Imaging Modalities: PET, SPECT, and CT

Parameter	PET (%)	SPECT (%)	CT (%)
Sensitivity	97 (69/71)	52 (37/71)	61 (41/67)
Specificity	92 (12/13)	92 (12/13)	71 (12/17)
Accuracy	96 (81/84)	58 (49/84)	63 (53/84)

Number of patients is in parentheses.

Potenziati vantaggi della
PET/CT con 68Ga-DOTA-peptidi vs 111In-pentetreotide Octreoscan®



^{68}Ga DOTA -NOC -TOC -TATE PET/CT
 ~~^{111}In -DTPA-Octreotide SPECT/CT~~



^{18}F -FDG PET/CT



Quale ruolo riveste?

FDG-PET in oncologia

Criteria per un uso appropriato

Carcinoide

Scenario clinico	Categoria di appropriatezza
stadiazione	Inappropriato
<i>follow up</i>	Inappropriato

Tumori neuroendocrini

Scenario clinico	Categoria di appropriatezza
stadiazione	Inappropriato
valutazione della risposta al trattamento al termine della terapia	Inappropriato

⁶⁸Ga DOTA -NOC -TOC -TATE PET/CT
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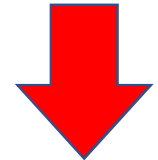
¹⁸F-FDG PET/CT



Quale ruolo riveste?



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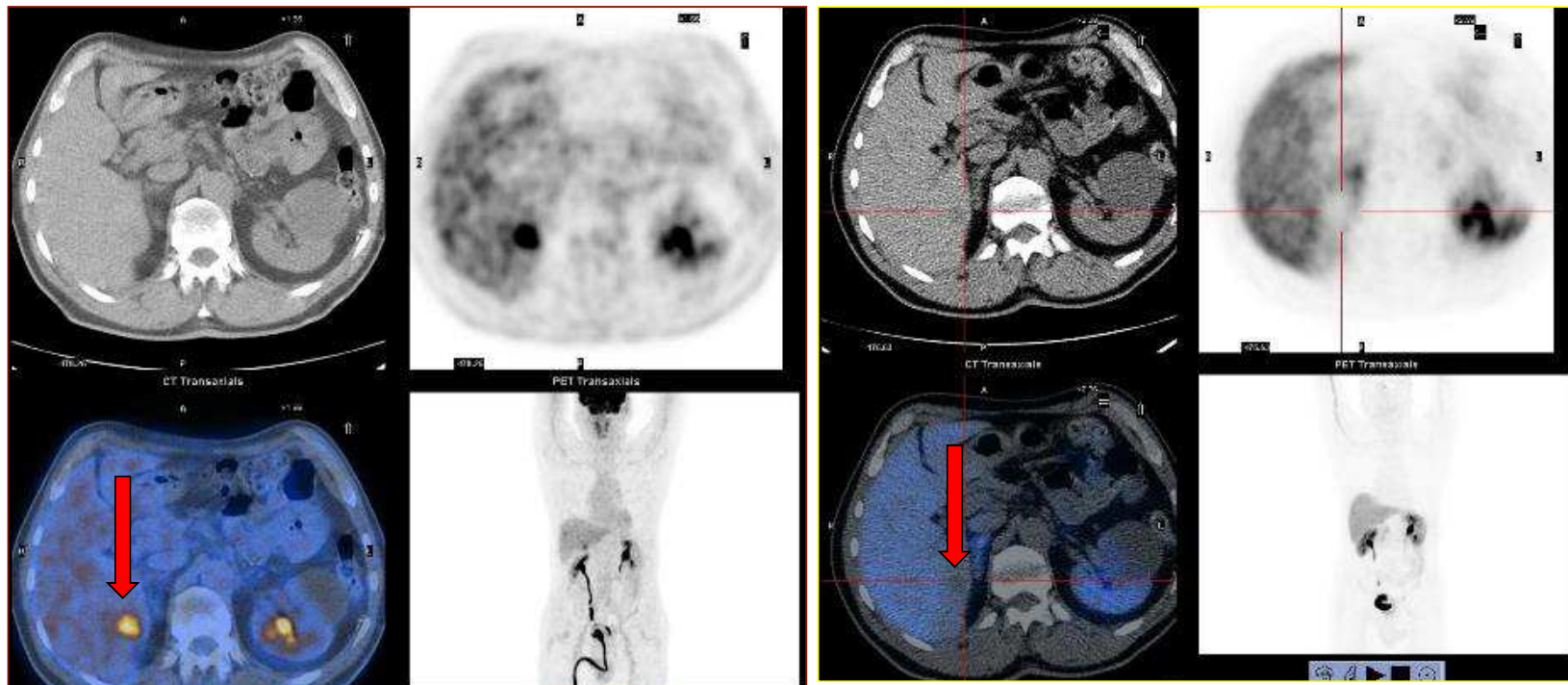
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Ga68-DOTA e 18F-FDG

Metastasi epatiche da NET dell'ileo Ki67 20%

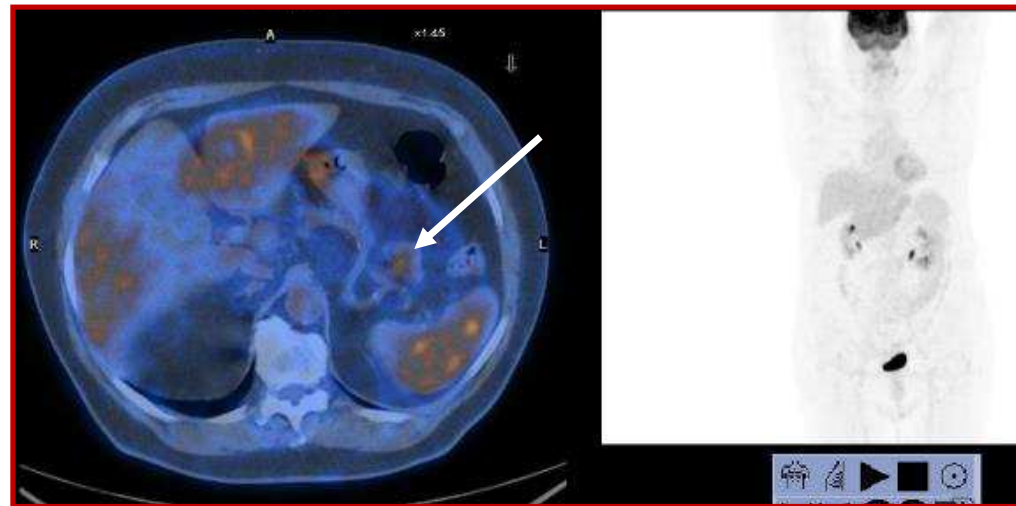
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Ga68 DOTA TOC

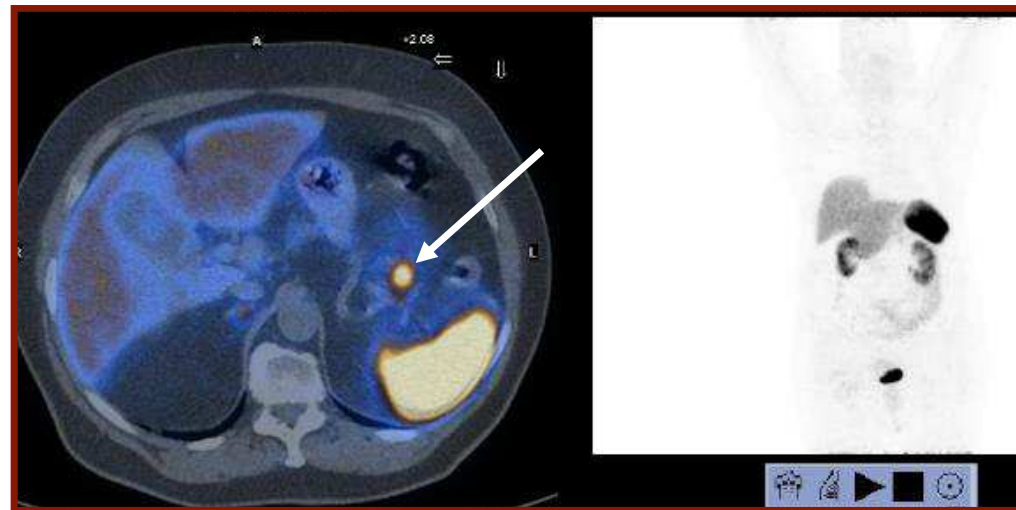


Lesione della coda del pancreas Ki67 = 4 %

18F-FDG



Ga68 DOTA-TOC



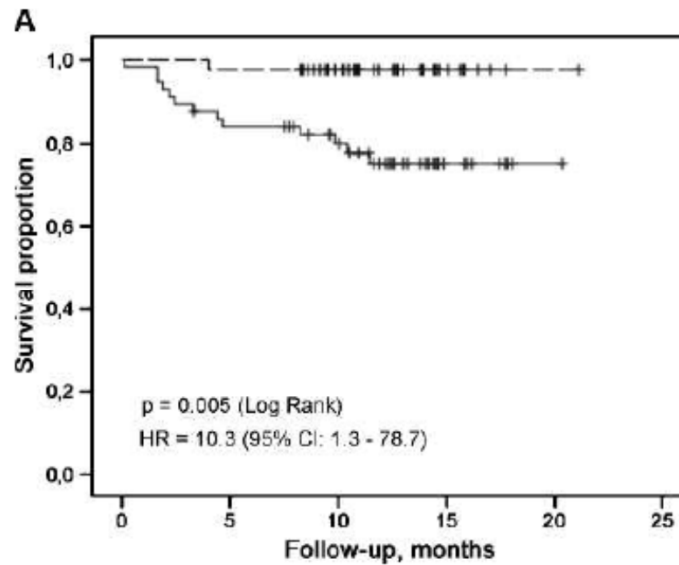
¹⁸F-FDG PET/CT: VALORE PROGNOSTICO

¹⁸F-Fluorodeoxyglucose Positron Emission Tomography Predicts Survival of Patients with Neuroendocrine Tumors

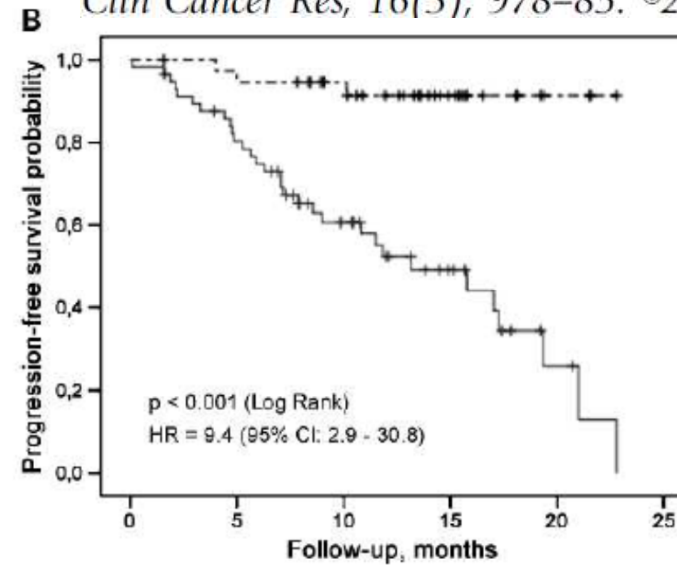
Tina Binderup^{1,2}, Ulrich Knigge^{2,3}, Annika Loft¹, Birgitte Federspiel⁴, and Andreas Kjaer^{1,2}

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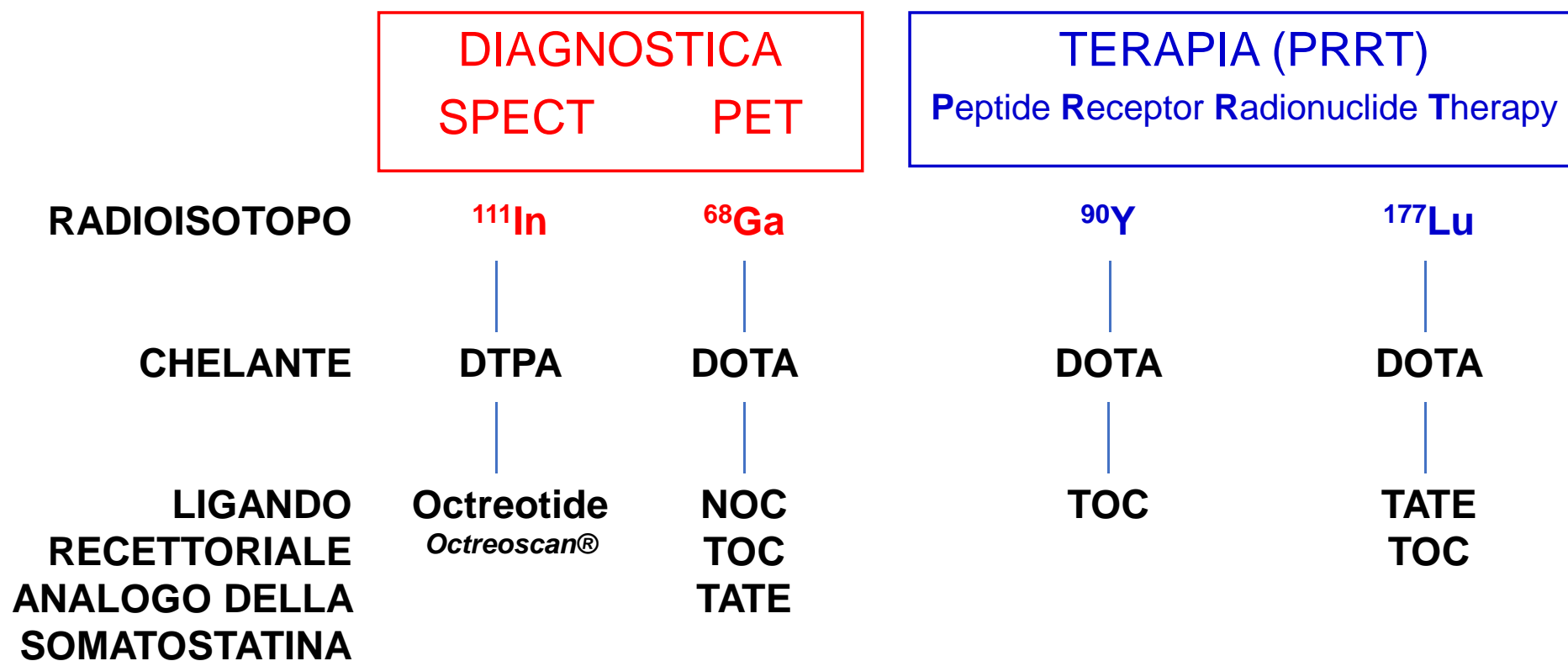
¹⁸F-FDG PET positiva → probabile progressione di malattia

Diagnostica medico nucleare nei NET: Considerazioni

- Octreoscan® utilizzato solo in Strutture MedNucl senza PET
- **Elevata accuratezza della ^{68}Ga -DOTA-peptidi PET/CT nella stadiazione e ristadiazione dei NET ben differenziati.**
- **L'imaging recettoriale PET o SPECT fornisce informazioni essenziali per indirizzare alla terapia con analoghi freddi o analoghi radiomarcanti (PRRT) e per valutare la risposta alla terapia.**
- **FDG PET/CT** fornisce valide informazioni prognostiche.

I radiofarmaci analoghi della Somatostatina

DIAGNOSTICS + THERAPY = THERANOSTICS



Terapie medico nucleari	Rf/dispositivi industriali	Rf/dispositivi sperimentali
Ipertiroidismo	^{131}I	
Carcinoma differenziato della tiroide	^{131}I	
Tumori dell'asse dell'asse simpatico-adrenergico	$\odot[^{131}\text{I-MIBG}]\odot$	
Metastasi scheletriche	\downarrow ^{89}Sr (Metastron [®]) \downarrow $^{53}\text{Sm-EDTMP}$ (Quadramet [®]) ^{223}Ra (Xofigo [®])	
Tumori solidi ematologici	\downarrow $^{90}\text{Y-CD20}$ (Zevalin [®])	
Tumori epatici	$^{90}\text{Y-microsfere}$ (Sirtex [®]) $^{90}\text{Y-microsfere}$ (TheraSphere [®]) $^{166}\text{Ho-microsfere}$ (QuiremSpheres [®])	
Patologia flogistico-degenerativa delle articolazioni	$\odot[^{90}\text{Y}/^{169}\text{Er}/^{186}\text{Re-colloidale}]\odot$	
Tumori del sistema endocrino diffuso (PRRT)	$^{177}\text{Lu-OXODOTREOTIDE}$ (Lutathera [®]) <i>registr. AIFA 04/2019</i>	$^{177}\text{Lu-DOTATOC}$ $^{90}\text{Y-DOTATOC}$
Tumori della prostata CR (PRLT)		$^{177}\text{Lu-PSMA-617}$
Altre terapie		Molecole marcate con ^{64}Cu o con α -emettitori (^{225}Ac o ^{213}Bi)

La storia della PRRT

- **1973** - somatostatin first isolated by Roger Guillemin
- **1987** - octreotide synthesis
- scintigraphy with ^{123}I -octreotide
- **1991** - ^{111}In -octreotide first employed
- **1992** - five G-protein coupled somatostatin receptors (SSR_{11-5}), identified and cloned
- **1993** - ^{111}In -octreotide registered (OctreoScan®)
- **1994** - first PRRT with high-dose ^{111}In -octreotide
- **1996** - first ^{90}Y -octreotide PRRT
- **2000** - first ^{177}Lu -octreotate PRRT
- **2012** - phase III registration trial of ^{177}Lu -octreotate
- **2014** - first-in human experience with ^{213}Bi -DOTATOC (α -emitter)
- **2017** - phase III publication trial of ^{177}Lu -octreotate (Netter1)
- **2019** - Lutathera® registered and available on the radiopharmaceuticals market

	DOTATOC	DOTATATE
^{90}Y	^{90}Y-DOTATOC	^{90}Y-DOTATATE
^{177}Lu	^{177}Lu-DOTATOC	^{177}Lu-DOTATATE

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Netter1: il primo studio di fase 3 (1)

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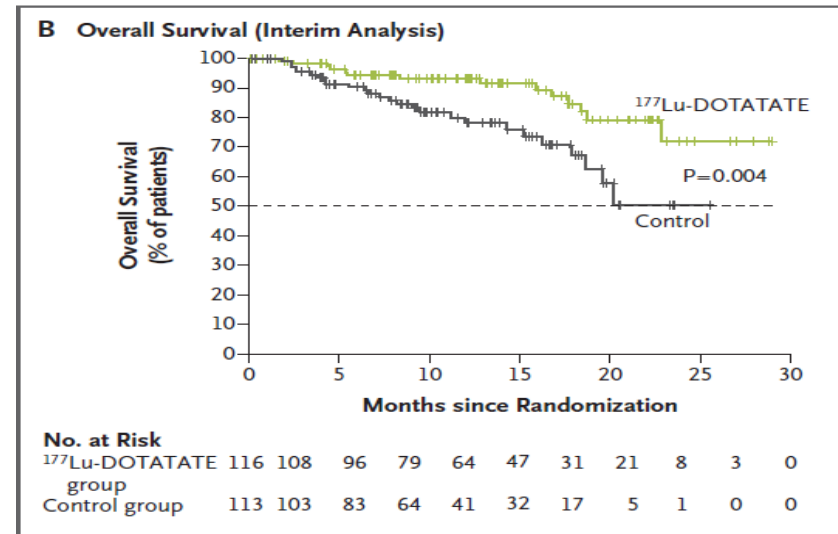
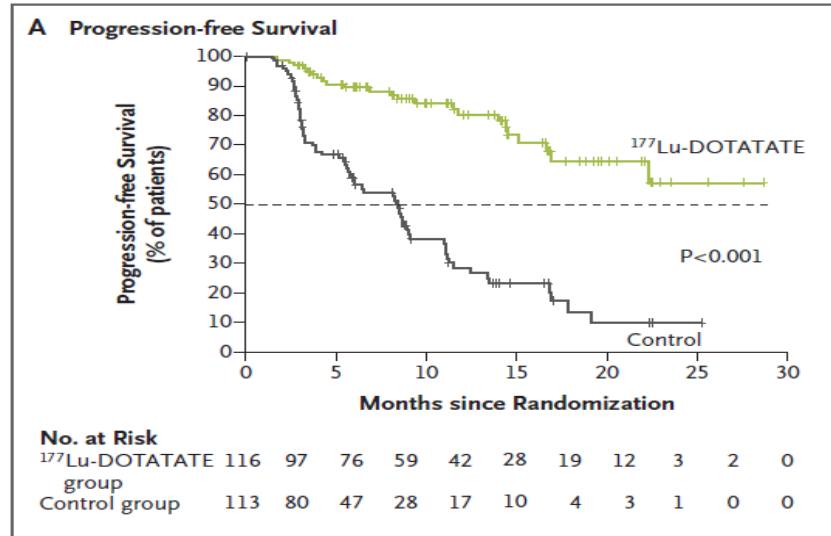
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Phase 3 Trial of ¹⁷⁷Lu-Dotatate for Midgut Neuroendocrine Tumors

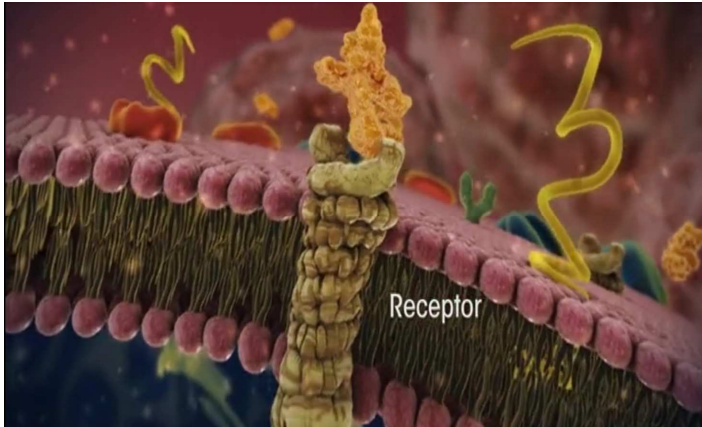
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METHODS

We randomly assigned 229 patients who had well-differentiated, metastatic midgut neuroendocrine tumors to receive either ¹⁷⁷Lu-Dotatate (116 patients) at a dose of 7.4 GBq every 8 weeks (four intravenous infusions, plus best supportive care including octreotide long-acting repeatable [LAR] administered intramuscularly at a dose of 30 mg) (¹⁷⁷Lu-Dotatate group) or octreotide LAR alone (113 patients) administered intramuscularly at a dose of 60 mg every 4 weeks (control group). The primary end point was progression-free survival. Secondary end points included the objective response rate, overall survival, safety, and the side-effect profile. The final analysis of overall survival will be conducted in the future as specified in the protocol; a prespecified interim analysis of overall survival was conducted and is reported here.



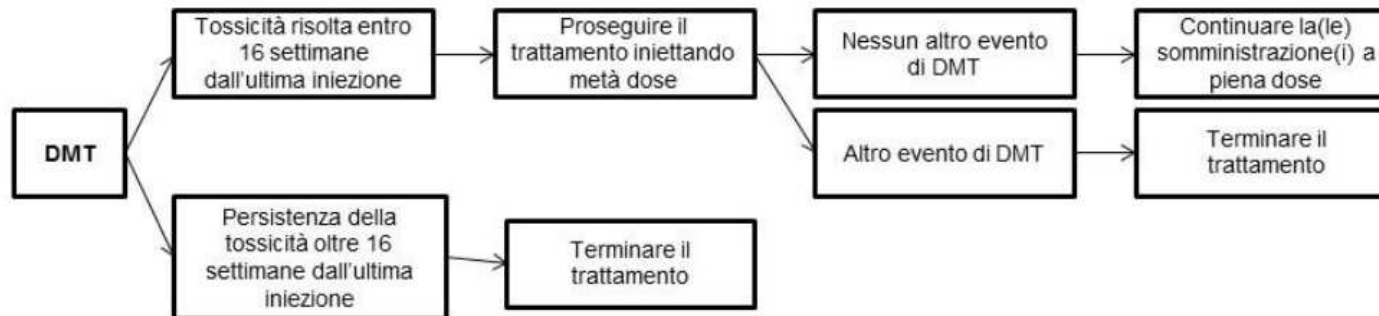
Netter1: il primo studio di fase 3 (2)



Indicazioni terapeutiche: Lutathera® è indicato in pazienti adulti per il trattamento di tumori neuroendocrini gastroenteropancreatici (NET-GEP) ben differenziati (G1 e G2), progressivi, non asportabili o metastatici, positivi ai recettori per la somatostatina.

Posologia: consiste in **4 infusioni da 7.400 MBq ciascuna**. L'intervallo consigliato tra una somministrazione e la successiva è di 8 settimane, estensibile fino a 16 settimane in caso di **Tossicità Modificante la Dose (DMT)**.

Figura 1. Schema delle istruzioni per modificare la dose



Research Paper

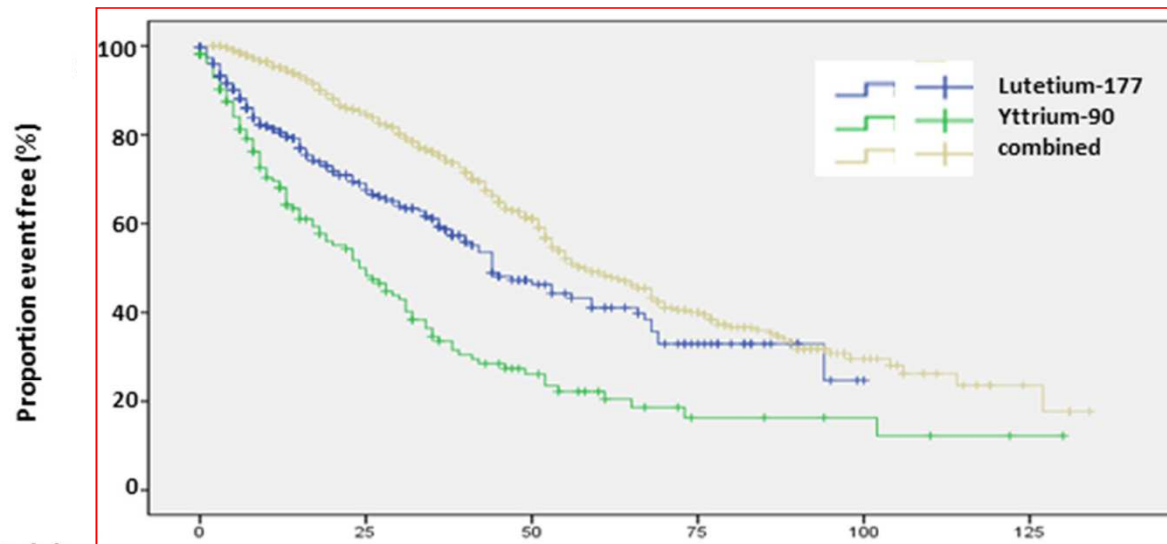
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Personalizzazione della dose

Trattamento combinato $^{177}\text{Lu}/^{90}\text{Y}$

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Number at risk:

Total	1048	561	262	103	28	5
Lutetium-177	378	142	49	19	1	0
Yttrium-90	157	58	21	6	4	1
combined	513	361	192	78	23	4

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Table 3: Number of patients with adverse events according to CTCAE criteria

Before first PRRT (1048)				
	Normal, G1, G2	G3	G4	No information
Leucocytes	1047 (99.9%)	0	0	1
Thrombocytes	1047 (99.9%)	0	3	1
Hemoglobin	1040 (99.2%)	3	3	1
Chronic kidney disease	1040 (99.2%)	1	2	4 (0.3%)
According to treatment cycles (3692)				
	Normal, G1, G2	G3	G4	No information
Leucocytes	3680 (99.6%)	8 (0.2%)	0	4 (0.1%)
Thrombocytes	3679 (99.6%)	1	8 (0.2%)	4 (0.1%)
Hemoglobin	3666 (99.2%)	10 (0.2%)	7	9 (0.2%)
Chronic kidney disease	3664 (99.2%)	7 (0.1%)	7 (0.2%)	14 (0.3)

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Studio clinico di fase II

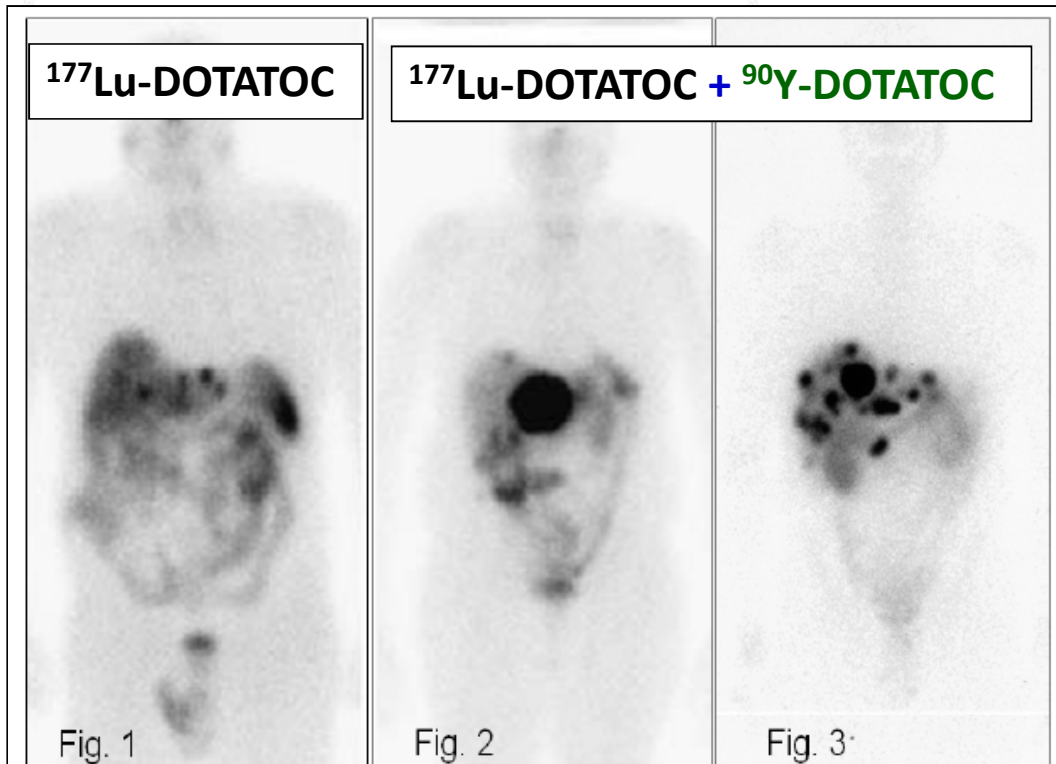
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Teranostica

- ^{68}Ga -DOTATOC
- ^{177}Lu -DOTATOC (3.7-5.5 GBq/cycle)
- ^{90}Y -DOTATOC (1.9-2.8 GBq/cycle)

(d) dosimetria previsionale e di verifica

1° livello terapeutico (5 cicli)	
^{177}Lu -DOTATOC (d)	^{177}Lu -DOTATOC (d)
^{177}Lu -DOTATOC	^{90}Y -DOTATOC
^{177}Lu -DOTATOC	^{177}Lu -DOTATOC
^{177}Lu -DOTATOC	^{90}Y -DOTATOC
^{177}Lu -DOTATOC (d)	^{177}Lu -DOTATOC (d)
2° livello terapeutico (3 cicli)	
^{177}Lu -DOTATOC	^{90}Y -DOTATOC
^{177}Lu -DOTATOC	^{90}Y -DOTATOC
^{177}Lu -DOTATOC	^{90}Y -DOTATOC

Dove dobbiamo gestire il paziente affetto da NET?

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Multidisciplinary Care

TAILORED CURE is mandatory!

Multidisciplinary Reference Centers: The Care of Neuroendocrine Tumors

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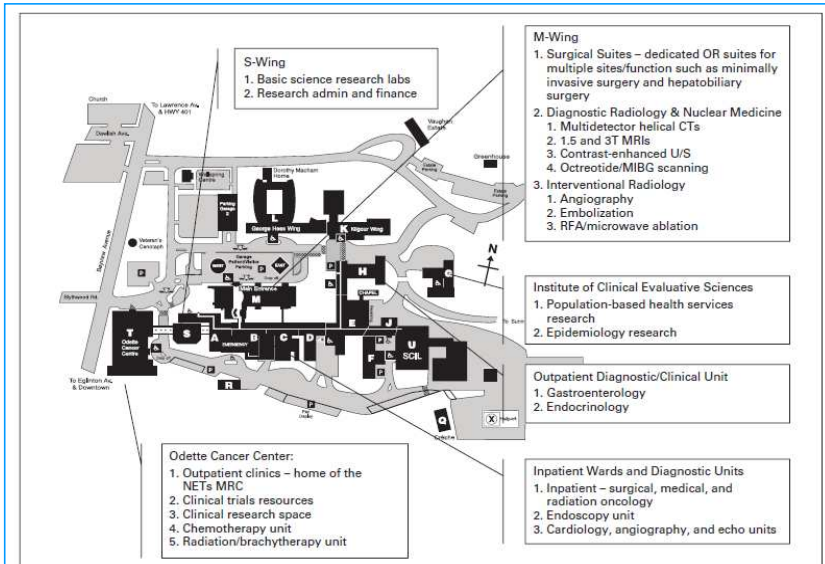
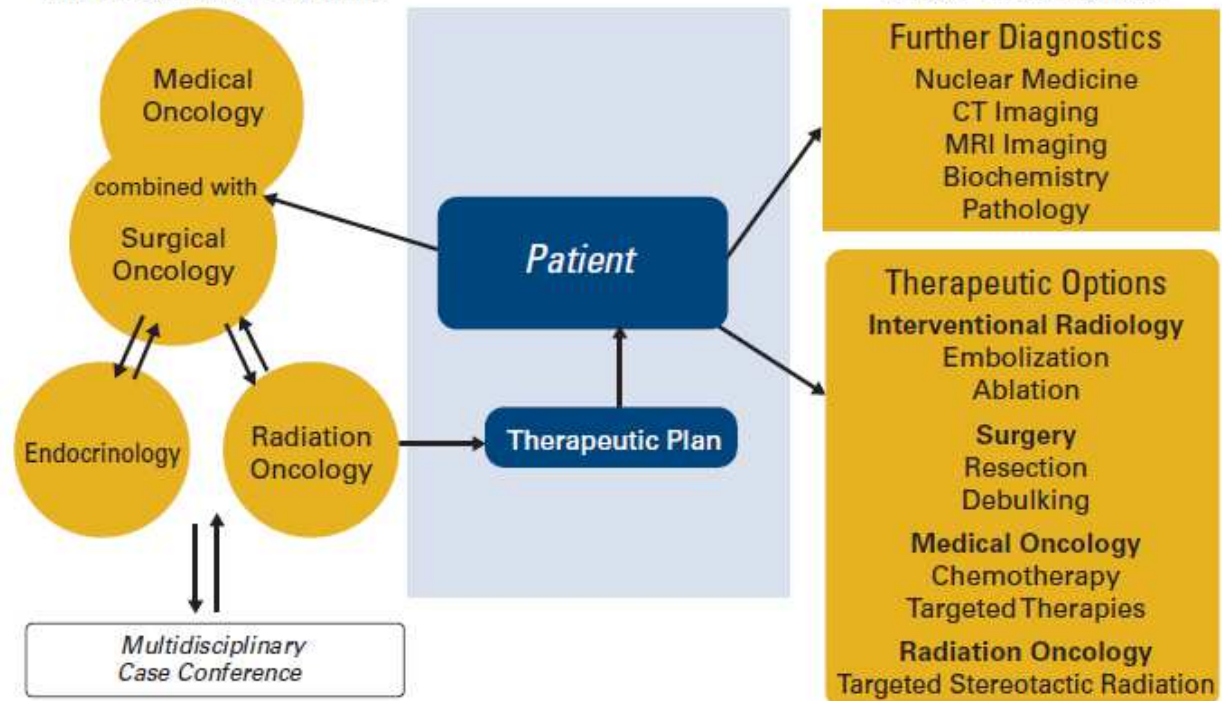


Figure 3. Structural plan of the campus where the Odette Cancer Center neuroendocrine tumors (NETs) multidisciplinary reference center (MRC) is situated, showing the location of all services available on one site. admin, administration; OR, operating room; CTs, computed tomography scans; MRIs, magnetic resonance images; U/S, ultrasound; MIBG, (iodine-131-metaiodobenzylguanidine) scintiscan; RFA, radio frequency ablation.

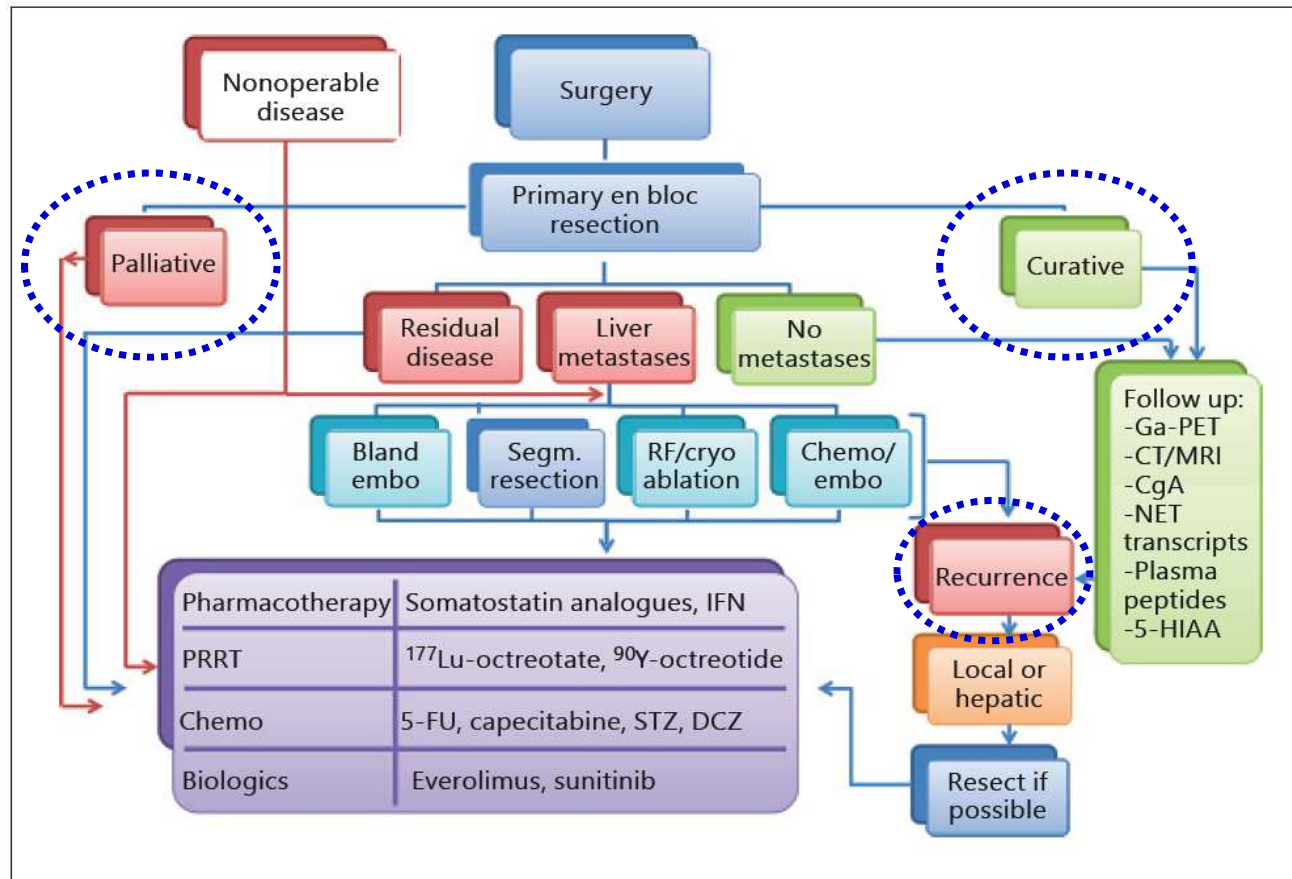
Multidisciplinary NETs Clinic



Team-working method must be standardized

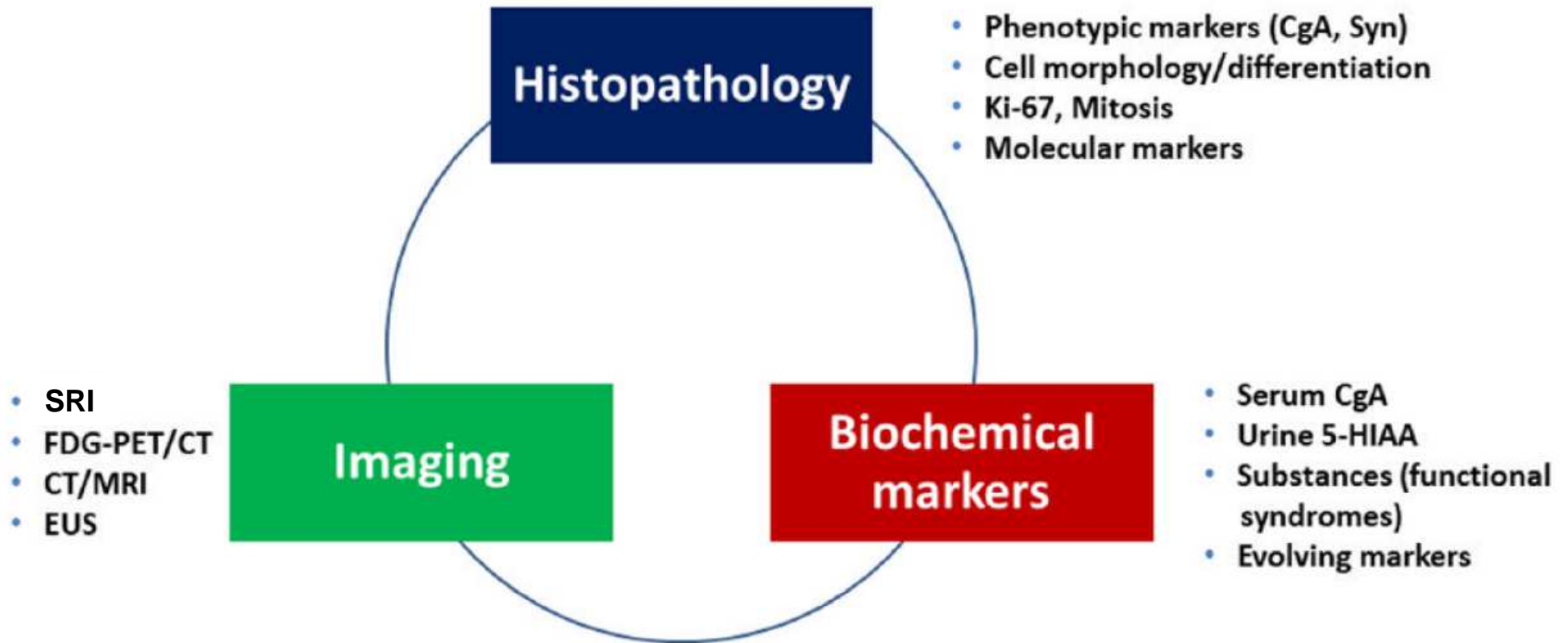
Come dobbiamo gestire il paziente affetto da NET? (1)

What is the purpose of the treatment?

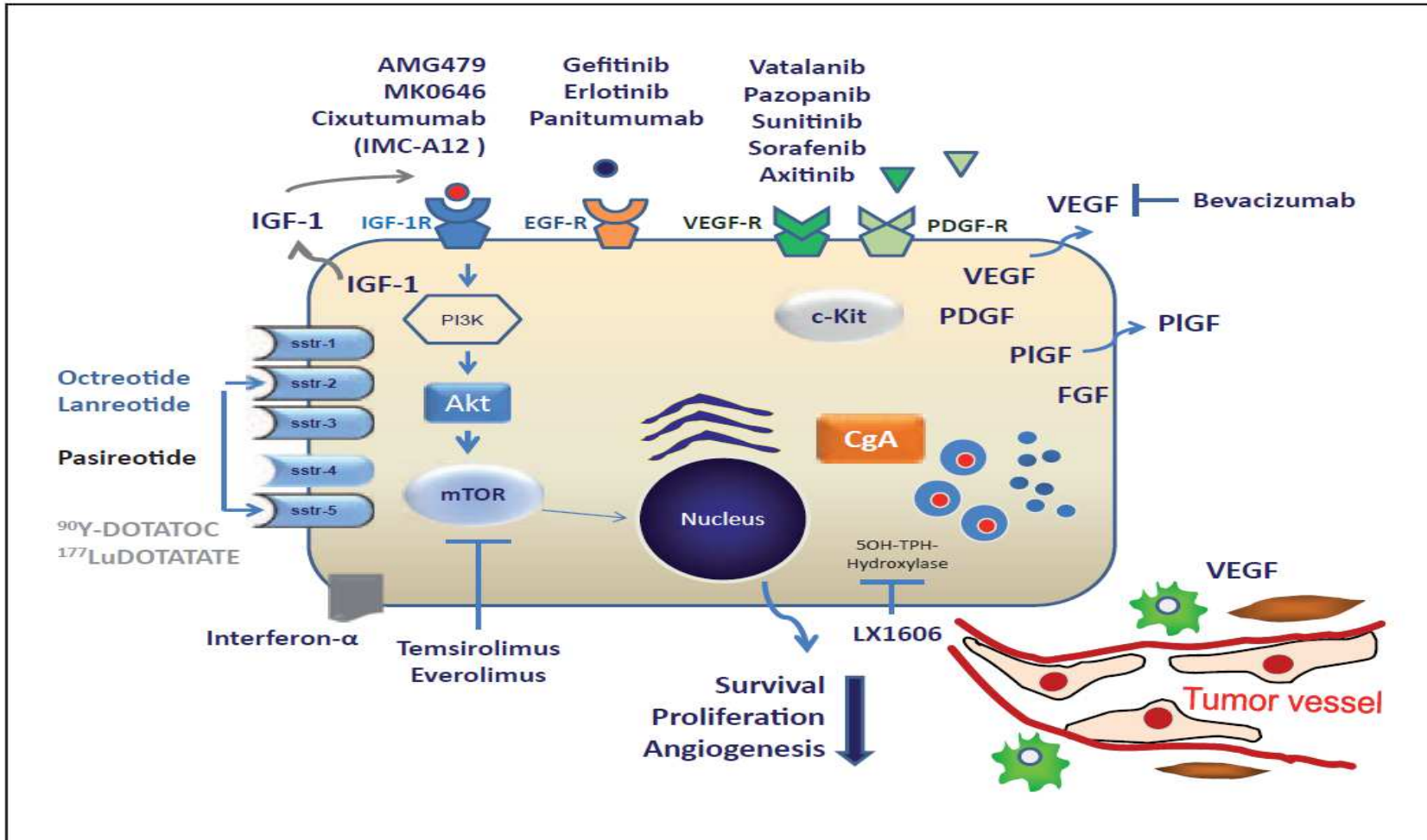


Weber HC et al. (2013)

Come dobbiamo gestire il paziente affetto da NET? (2)



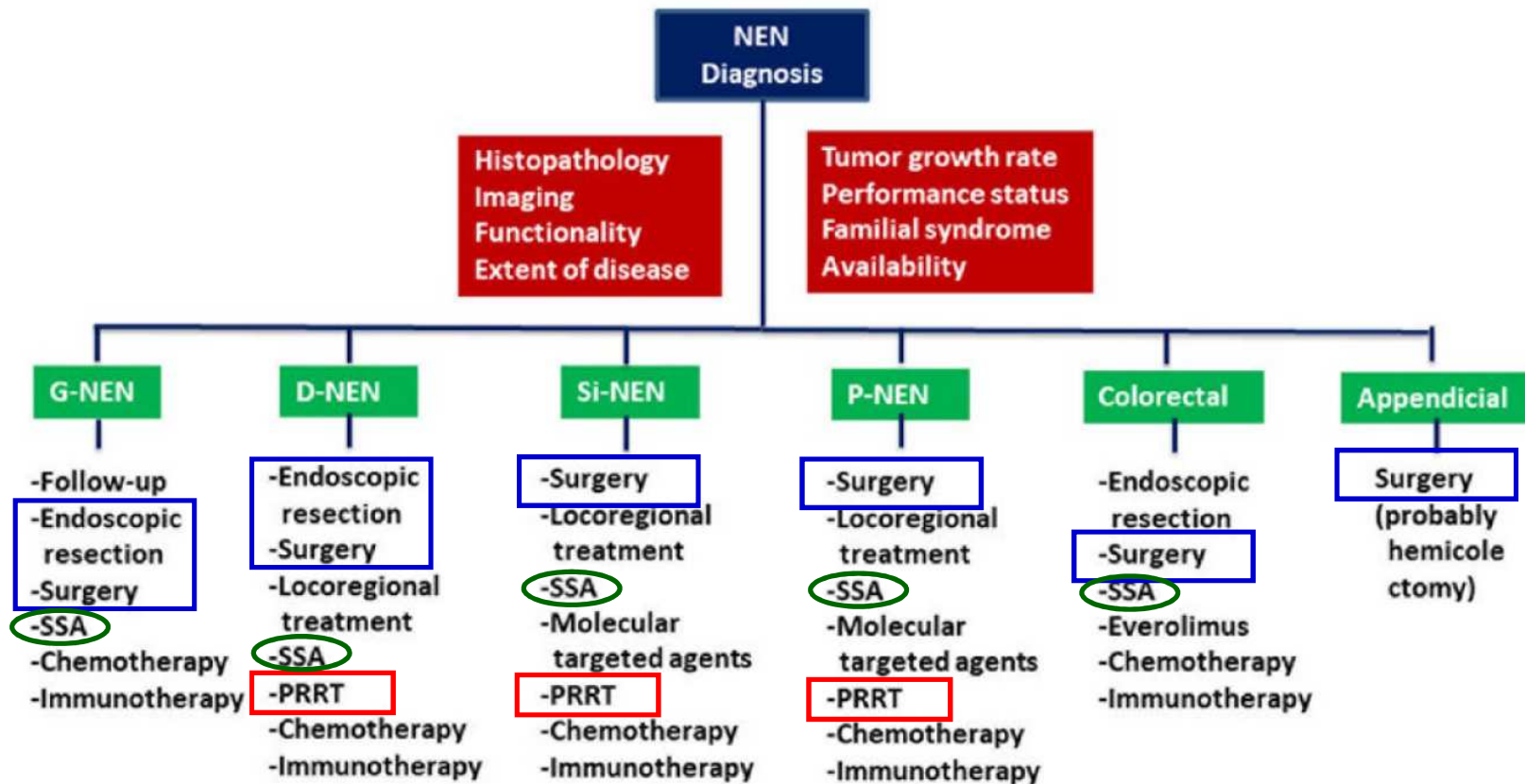
Come dobbiamo gestire il paziente affetto da NET? (3)



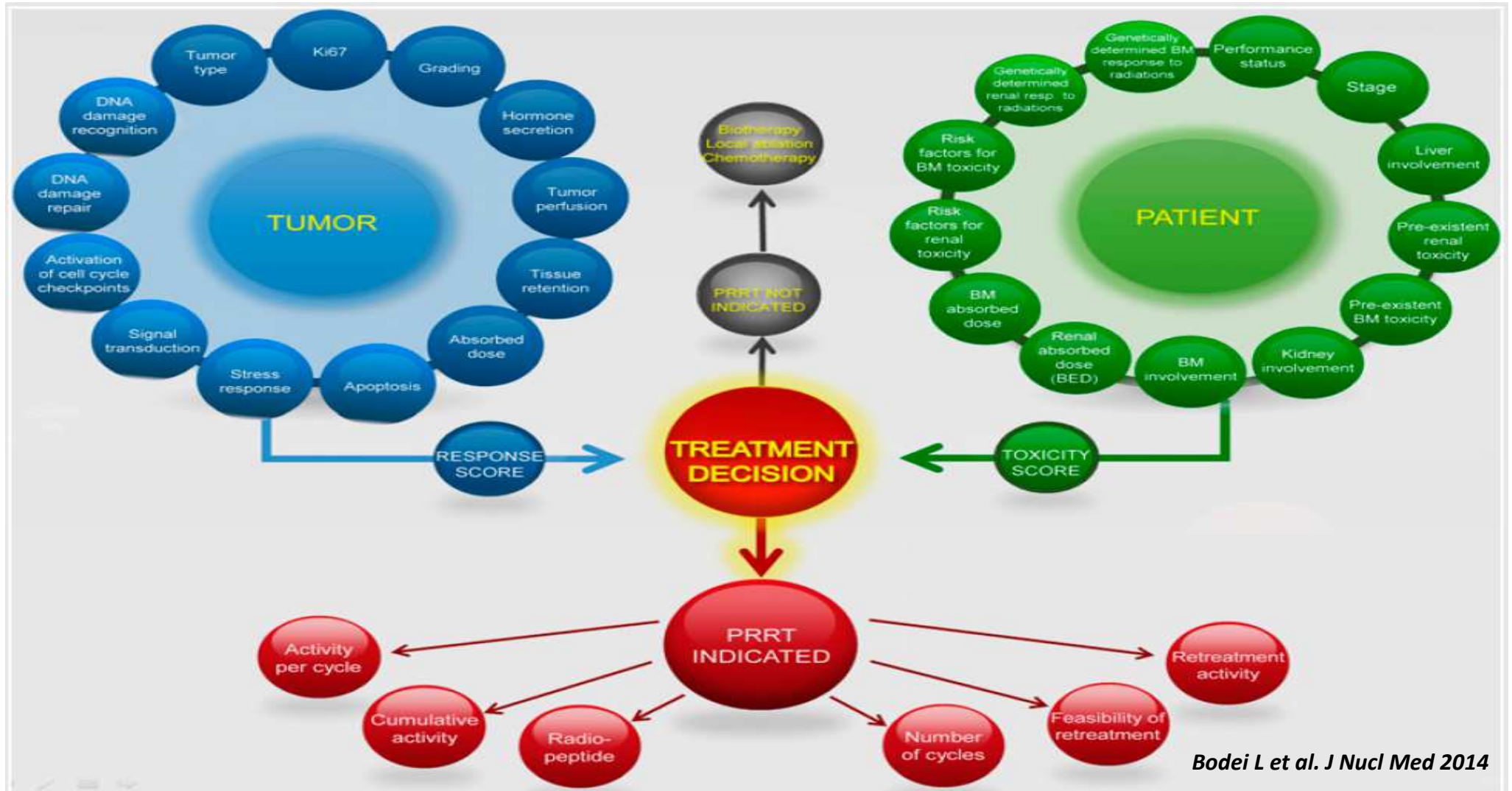
NET express a variety of receptors that may induce activating or inhibitory signaling

Come dobbiamo gestire il paziente affetto da NET? (4)

What is the sequence of treatment?



Nel paziente candidato a PRRT come procediamo?



La selezione del paziente candidato a PRRT (1)

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<https://doi.org/10.1007/s00259-018-3967-6>

ORIGINAL ARTICLE

PRRT genomic signature in blood for prediction of ¹⁷⁷Lu-octreotate efficacy

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PRRT predictive quotient (PPQ) which stratifies PRRT **responders** from **non-responders**



Material	Methods	Parameters		Score	Algorithmic Analysis	Prediction
Blood 1ml	Target Genes (n=8)	Target Gene Expression Summation (n=8)	≥5.9	1	R	+ve PRRT responder
mRNA (1ng)	House-Keeping Gene (n=1)		<5.9	0		
Tissue Immuno-Histochemistry (IHC)	Ki67/Mib1	LOW	Ki67≤20% Low Grade (G1/G2) Lung: TC/AC	0	N	-ve PRRT non-responder
		HIGH	Ki67>20% High Grade (G3) NET/PDNEC/SCLC	1		

Conclusion

The **PPQ** derived from circulating NET specific genes and tumor grade prior to the initiation of therapy is a highly specific predictor of the efficacy of PRRT with an **accuracy of 95%**.

PPQ for standardization of PRRT-enrollment?

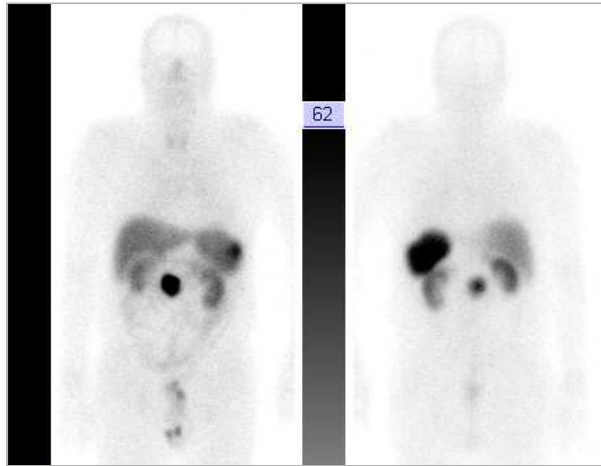
La selezione del paziente candidato a PRRT (2)

#008 (M-68aa)
Pancreas

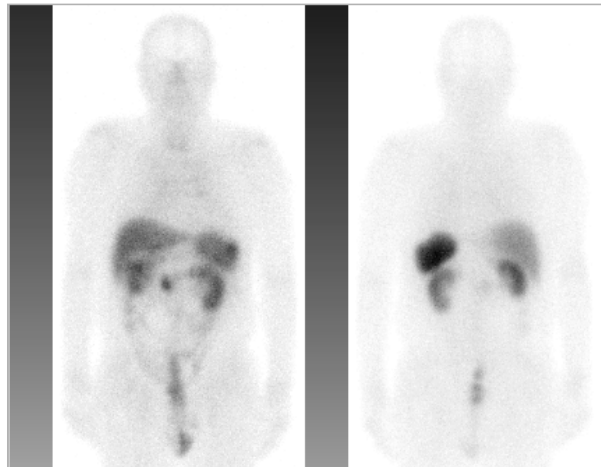
Ki67= 18%

G2

FDG PET +--
SUV 5.4



I cycle



V cycle

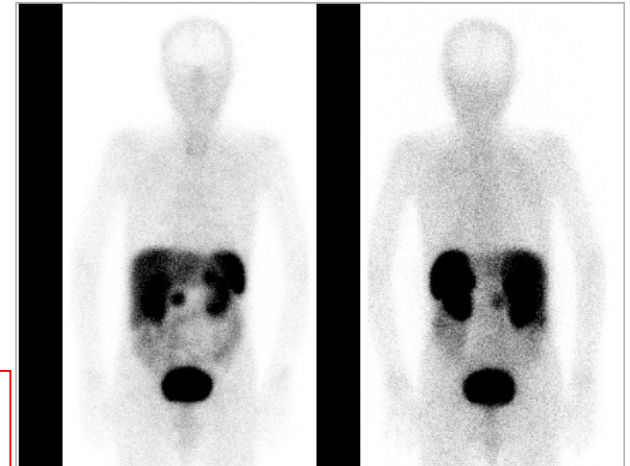
RESPONDER

#010 (M-65aa)
Pancreas

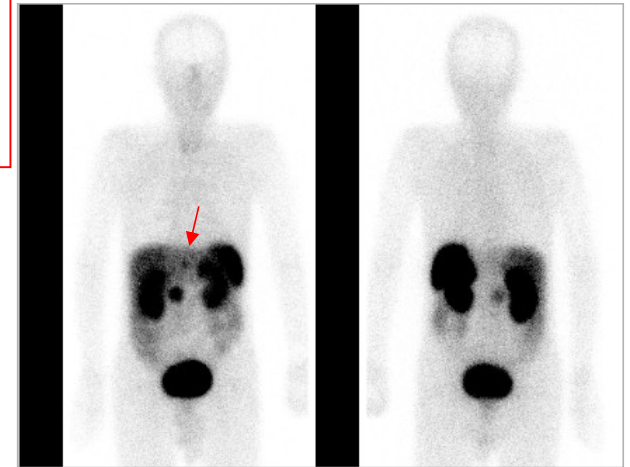
Ki67= 15%

G2

FDG PET +--
SUV 4.8



I cycle



V cycle

NON-RESPONDER

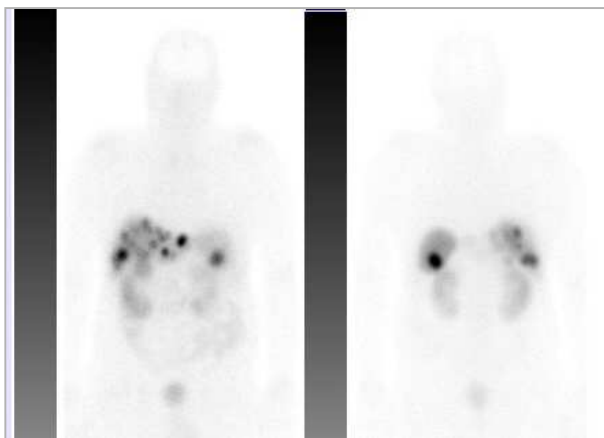
La selezione del paziente candidato a PRRT (3)

#014 (M-75aa)
Pancreas
(Tail) no Surg

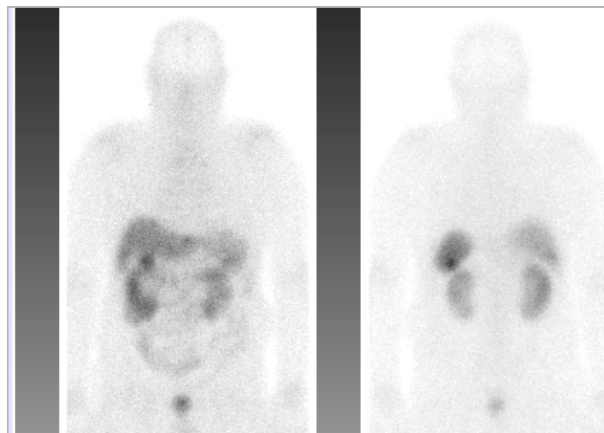
Ki67= 4%

G2

FDG PET ++-
SUV 8.4



1 cycle



V cycle

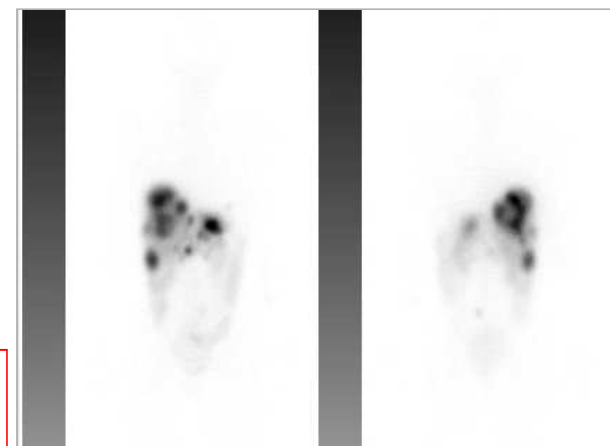
RESPONDER

#009 (F-61 aa)
Pancreas
(H-M-T) Surg

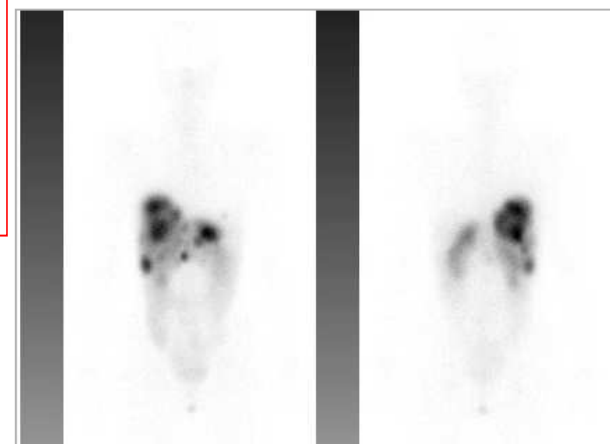
Ki67= 2-4%
liver 5-7%

G2

FDG PET ++-
SUV n.a.



1 cycle



V cycle

NON-RESPONDER

Dosimetria (1)

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REVIEW ARTICLE

Correlation of dose with toxicity and tumour response to ^{90}Y - and ^{177}Lu -PRRT provides the basis for optimization through individualized treatment planning

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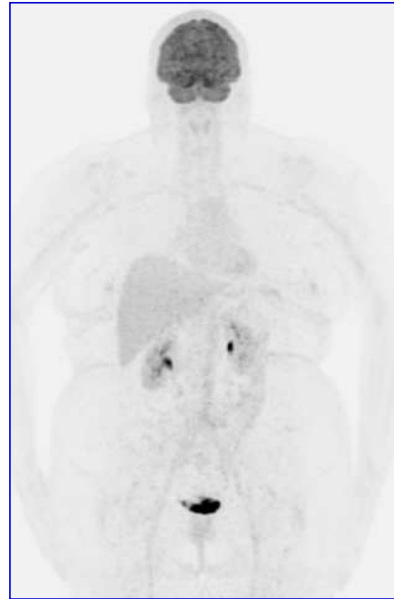
#003 (F-62aa)
PNET corpo-coda moderatamente differenziato mts epatiche e scheletriche sincrone (D: feb 2017)

Indice di proliferazione:

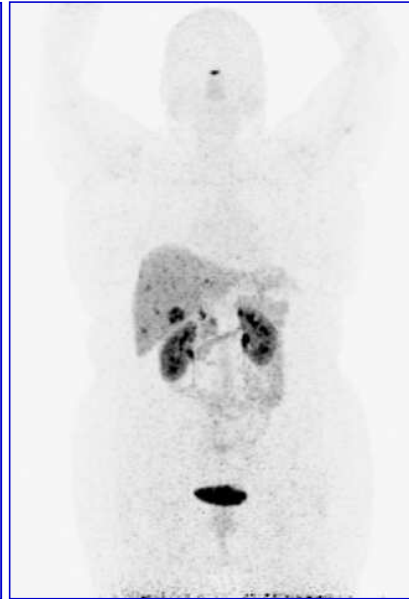
- Ki67: 20% (G2) sulla lesione pancreaticata
- Ki67: 35% (G2) sulla maggiore lesione epatica

Terapie eseguite prima della PRRT:

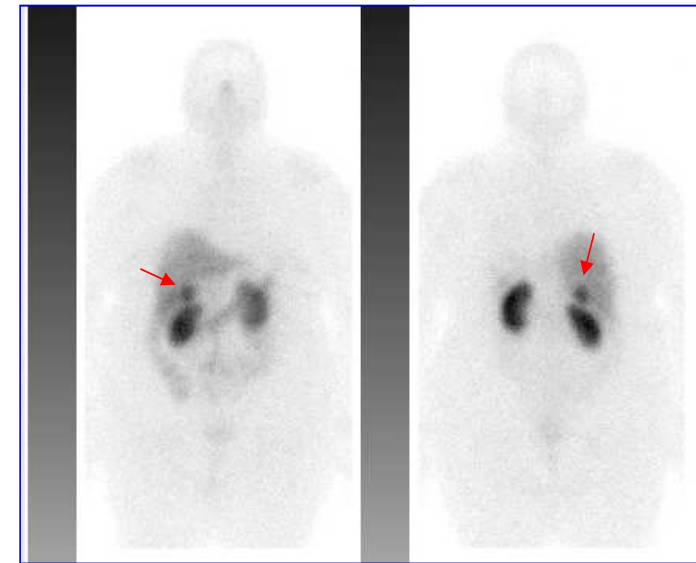
- **Chemioterapia adiuvante** (mag-ott 2017) con risposta parziale a livello epatico e scheletrico
- **Intervento chirurgico** di spleno-pancreasectomia distale (gennaio 2018) e biopsia epatica con **Ki67: 6%**



PET con ^{18}F -FDG



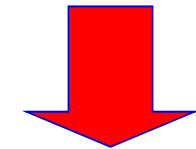
PET con ^{68}Ga -DOTATOC



3.7.18 – I cycle: 5.5 GBq ^{177}Lu -DOTATOC

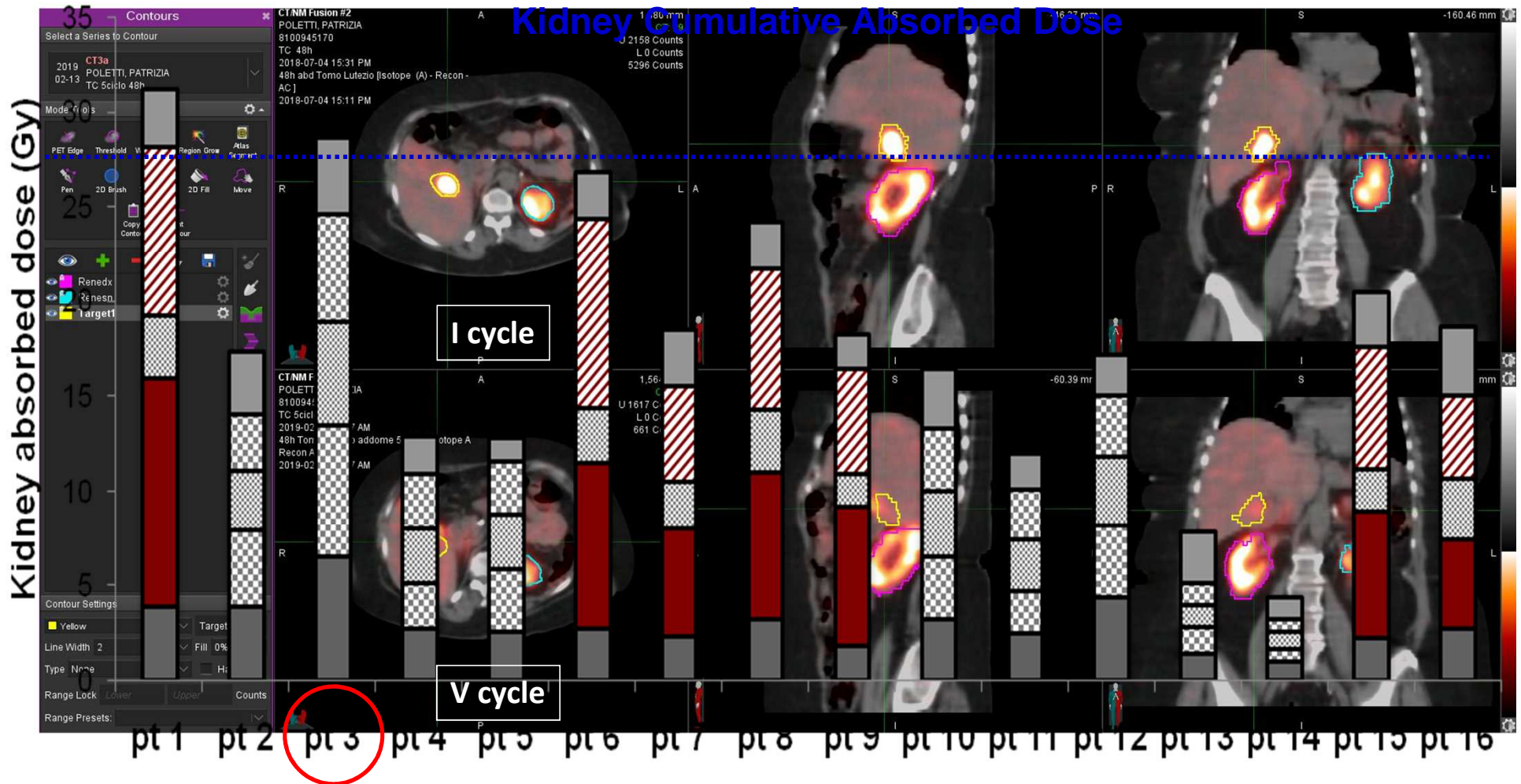
Perché fare la dosimetria?

- Dosimetria per ottimizzare la PRRT con trattamento personalizzato per avere garanzie terapeutiche
- Dosimetria per ridurre gli «undertreatment»
- Dosimetria per contenere la tossicità (renale e midollare)



Renal AD: 7.6 Gy

Dosimetria (2)



Dosimetria (3)

Long-Term Hematotoxicity After Peptide Receptor Radionuclide Therapy with ¹⁷⁷Lu-Octreotate

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Myelosuppression may be the dose-limiting toxicity in peptide receptor radionuclide therapy (PRRT). The aim of this study was to investigate the incidence, severity, and reversibility of long-term hematotoxicity in a large cohort of patient undergoing PRRT with ¹⁷⁷Lu-octreotate for metastatic neuroendocrine tumors. The impact of potential risk factors, including initial cytopenia, advanced bone metastatic disease, previous chemotherapy, and cumulative administered activity, and the protective effects of splenectomy were of particular interest.

PRRT-Induced Toxicities

Relevant hematotoxicity	Incidence per patient		Incidence per cycle	
	No.	%	No.	%
Leukopenia	13	6.4	17	2.7
Grade 3	12	5.9	16	2.5
Grade 4	1	0.5	1	0.2
Thrombocytopenia	10	4.9	11	1.7
Grade 3	5	2.5	6	0.9
Grade 4	5	2.5	5	0.8
Anemia	7	3.4	7	1.1
Grade 3	7	3.4	7	1.1
Grade 4	0	0	0	0
Total	23	11.3	29	4.6

According to CTCAE.

¹⁷⁷Lu-PRRT: ≤ 29.6 GBq

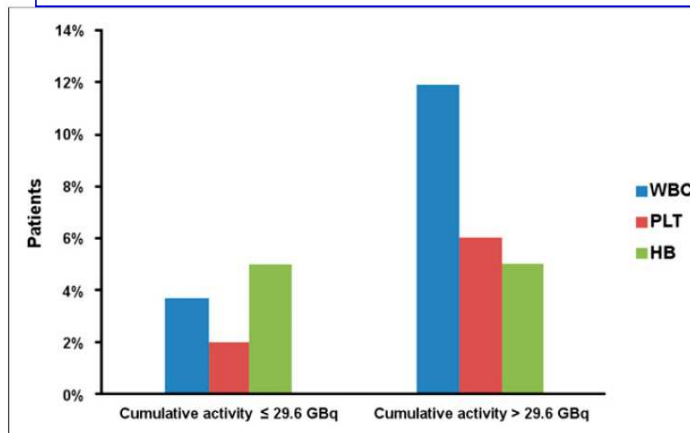
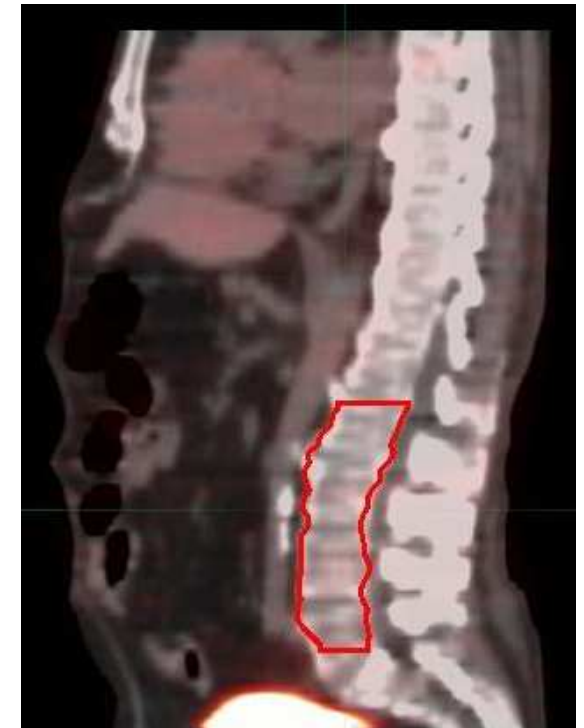


FIGURE 2. Incidence of significant hematotoxicity in patients receiving cumulative administered activities of less than or equal to 29.6 GBq (≤800 mCi) and greater than 29.6 GBq (>800 mCi). HB = hemoglobin; PLT = platelets; WBC = white blood cells.



Possibili presentazioni cliniche nei NET

Presentazione clinica del paziente candidato a PRRT

I quadri clinici di presentazioni più frequenti relativi ai pazienti affetti da NET possono essere riassunti in base alla localizzazione e diffusione della malattia:

- **Presentazione 1:** presenza del tumore primitivo e concomitanti lesioni secondarie diffuse a livello loco regionale e/o a livello epatico e/o a livello extraepatico (per esempio: scheletro);
- **Presentazione 2:** pregressa asportazione del tumore primitivo con residue lesioni secondarie diffuse a livello loco regionale e/o a livello epatico e/o a livello extraepatico (per esempio: scheletro);
- **Presentazione 3:** presenza di lesioni secondarie diffuse a livello loco regionale e/o a livello epatico e/o a livello extraepatico (per esempio: scheletro) da tumore primitivo non noto;
- **Presentazione 4:** presenza di tumore primitivo non operabile in assenza di lesioni secondarie;
- **Presentazione 5:** presenza esclusiva di lesioni secondarie epatiche in paziente con tumore primitivo asportato o non noto.

Palliative

Adjuvant

NeoAdjuvant

Palliative

037 (M-65aa)

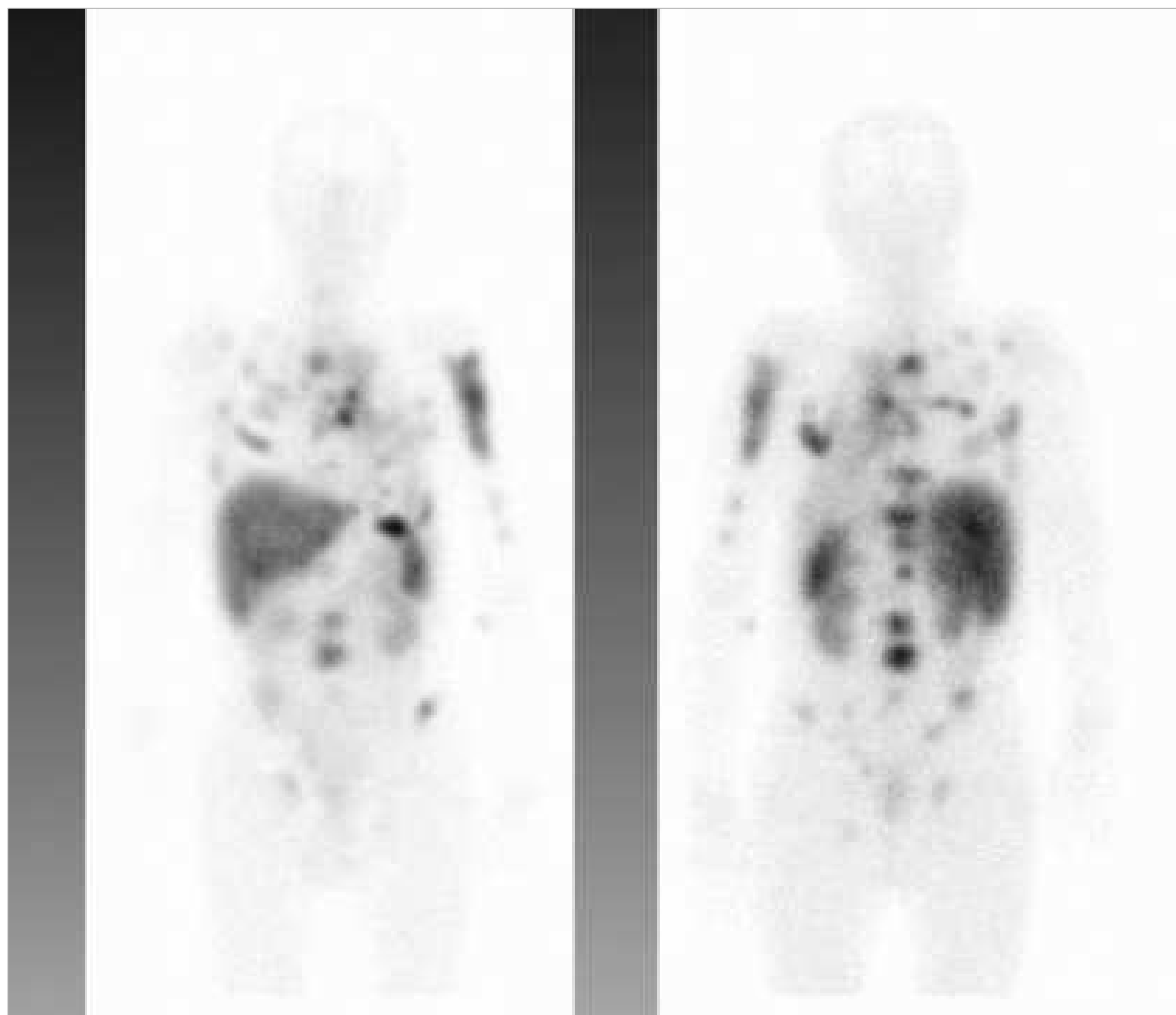
Carcinoide atipico polmonare
mts linfonodali e scheletriche
(D: feb 2013)

Indice di proliferazione:

- Ki67: 37% (G3)
- FDG PET ++-

Terapie eseguite prima della PRRT:

- Chirurgia
- SSA
- Chemioterapia adiuvante (cisP+VP16)
- RT omero sx, C5
- Chemioterapia (TMZ)



Adjuvant

#050 (M-45aa)

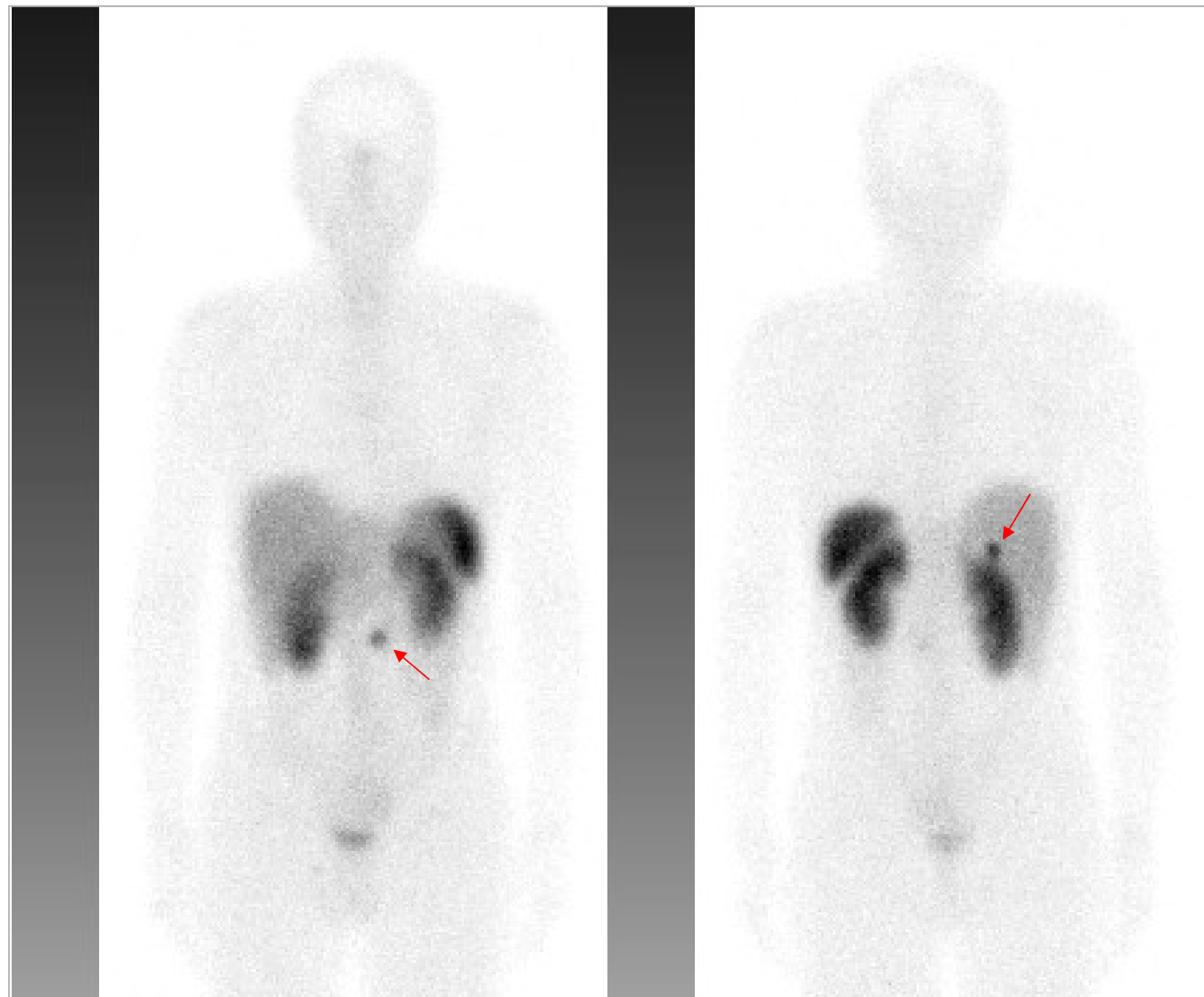
NET testa pancreas ben differenziato
mts linfonodali e scheletriche
(D: dic 2017)

Indice di proliferazione:

- Ki67: 4% (G2)
- FDG PET ---

Terapie eseguite prima della PRRT:

- Chirurgia (DCP) gen 2018
- SSA

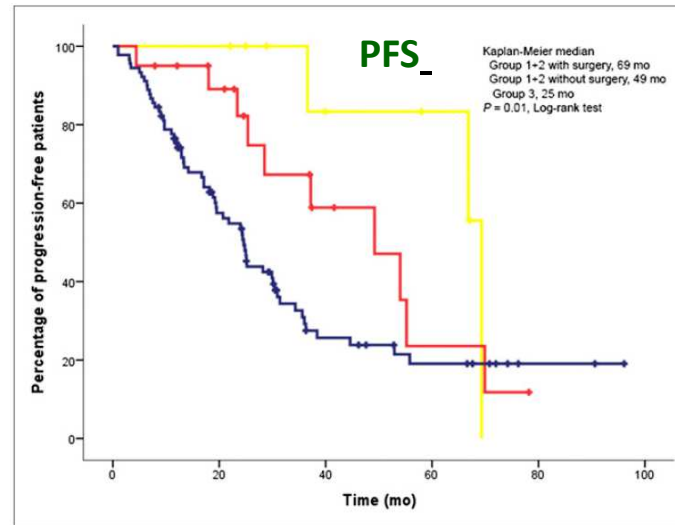


Il ruolo neoadiuvante della PRRT (1)

J Nucl Med 2015

Neoadjuvant Treatment of Nonfunctioning Pancreatic Neuroendocrine Tumors with [¹⁷⁷Lu-DOTA⁰,Tyr³]Octreotate

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Peptide receptor radionuclide therapy as neoadjuvant therapy for resectable or potentially resectable pancreatic neuroendocrine neoplasms

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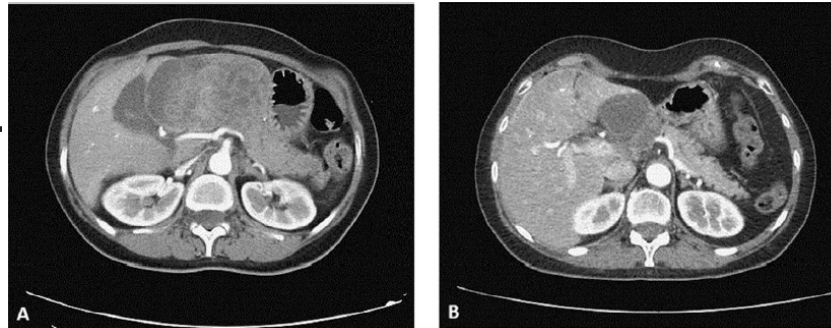
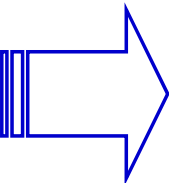
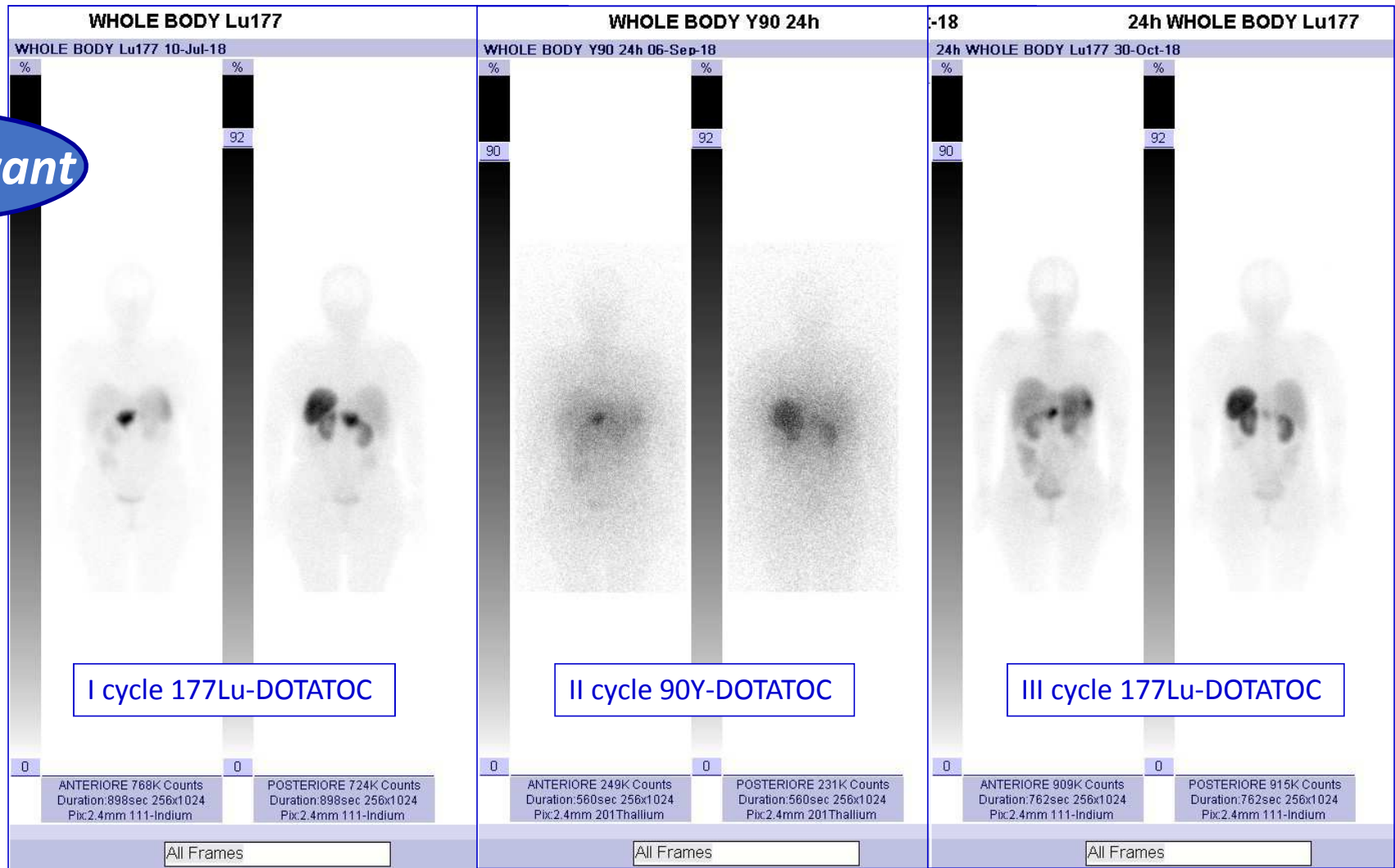


Fig. 1. Pretreatment (A) and follow-up CT 2 months after the end of 5 cycles of 90Y-DOTATOC (B) in a 59-year-old patient with a large PanNEN G2. Patient who presented at initial diagnosis with an enormous, resectable PanNEN, underwent distal pancreatectomy after neoadjuvant 90Y-DOTATOC.

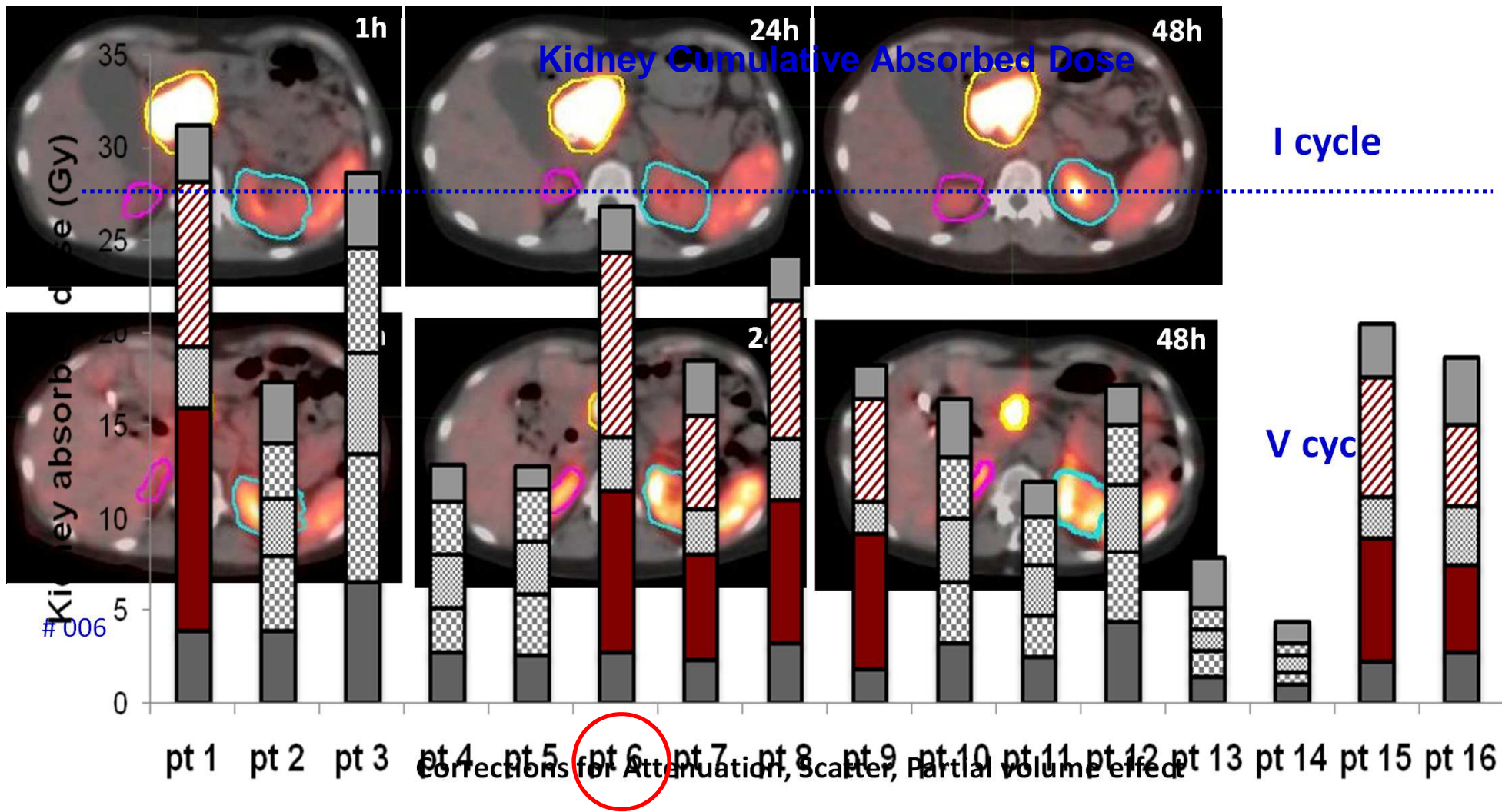
Il ruolo neoadiuvante della PRRT (2)

NeoAdjuvant

- #006 (F-52aa)
- NET testa pancreas
- Ki67: 15%
- G2
- FDG PET ++-



Il ruolo neoadiuvante della PRRT (3)




Come valutare la risposta alla PRRT?

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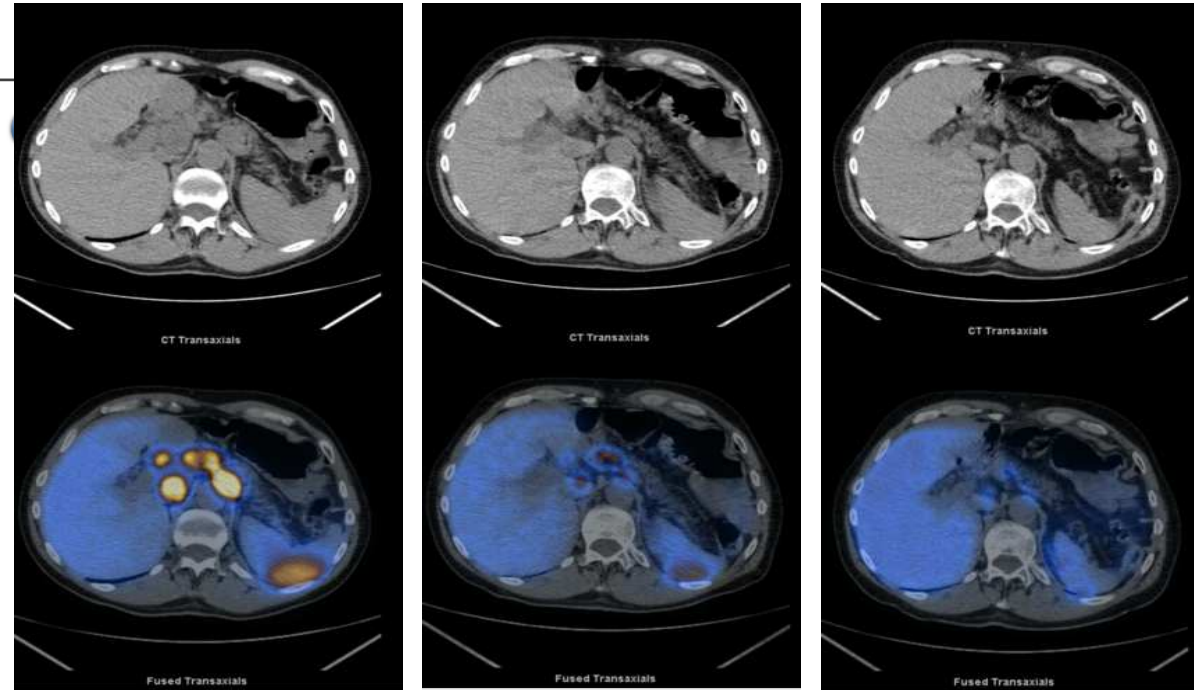
The RECIST criteria compared to conventional response evaluation after peptide receptor radionuclide therapy in patients with neuroendocrine neoplasms

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Quality of Life

PERCIST → non validati

RECIST



Mismatch between morphologic and functional imaging

⁶⁸Ga-DOTANOC PET-CT → **PR/CR**

mdc-CT → **SD**

Validated PERCIST could improve standardization of PRRT-response evaluation

PRRT: futuri ambiti di studio e validazione

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ORIGINAL ARTICLE



Salvage peptide receptor radionuclide therapy with [^{177}Lu -DOTA,Tyr 3] octreotate in patients with bronchial and gastroenteropancreatic neuroendocrine tumours

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Retreatment with PRRT

Peptide Receptor Radionuclide Therapy in Grade 3 Neuroendocrine

Neoplasms: Safety and Survival Analysis in 69 Patients

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JNM, August 16, 2018

PRRT in Grade 3

Endocrine-Related Cancer (2011) **18** 595–602

Hepatic arterial infusion enhances DOTATOC radiopeptide therapy in patients with neuroendocrine liver metastases

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Hepatic intra-arterial PRRT

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Phase I-II Study of Radiopeptide ^{177}Lu -Octreotate in Combination with Capecitabine and Temozolomide in Advanced Low-Grade Neuroendocrine Tumors

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PRRT in combination with other drugs

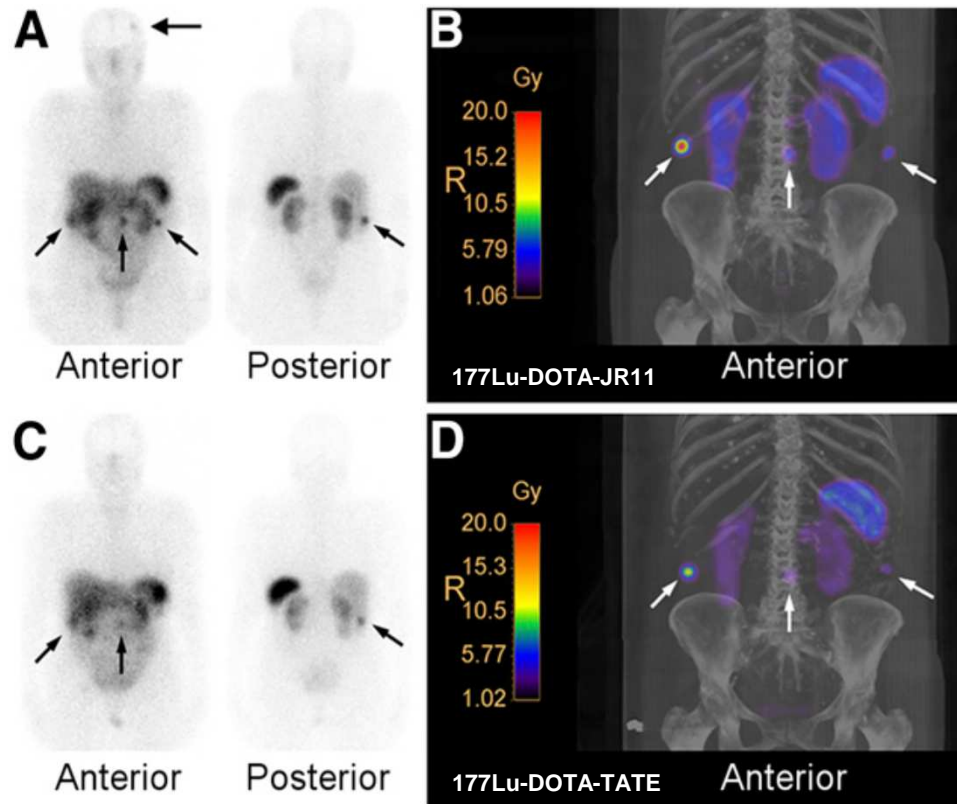
Radiofarmaci futuri (1)

Somatostatin Receptor Antagonists for Imaging and Therapy

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Antagonist

In-DOTA-BASS⁵

In-DOTA-JR11^{||}

Ga-DOTA-JR11^{||}
(Ga-OPS201)

Ga-NODAGA-JR11^{||}
(Ga-OPS202)

Lu-DOTA-JR11^{||}
(Lu-OPS201)

⁶⁸Ga/¹⁷⁷Lu-OPS202

- better tumor uptake
- better image contrast (*T/nonT* ratio)
- higher sensitivity
- potential higher efficacy in PRRT

Radiofarmaci futuri (2)

Eur J Nucl Med Mol Imaging
DOI 10.1007/s00259-014-2857-9

ORIGINAL ARTICLE

^{213}Bi -DOTATOC receptor-targeted alpha-radionuclide therapy induces remission in neuroendocrine tumours refractory to beta radiation: a first-in-human experience

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α -emitters

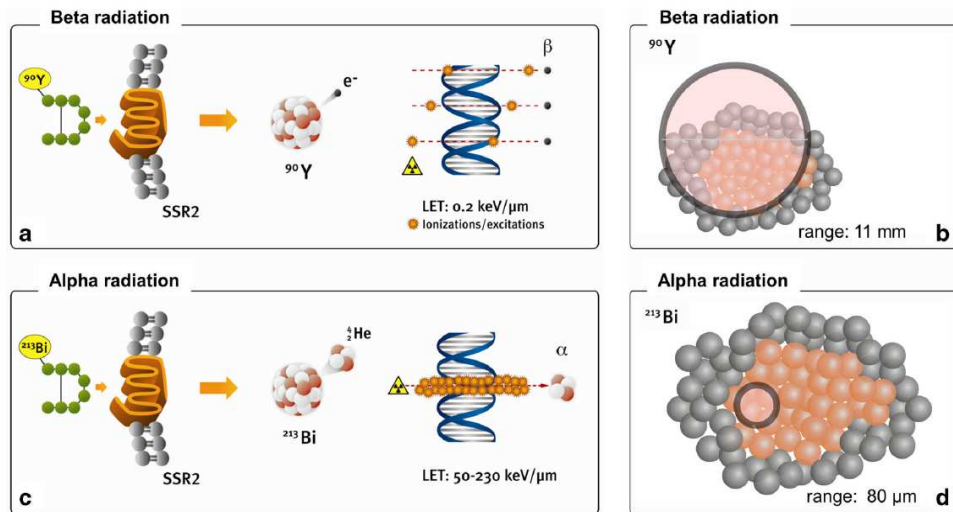


Fig. 1 Comparison of alpha and beta emitters. a, c After binding of the radionuclide-labelled octreotide analogue DOTATOC to the somatostatin receptor subtype-2 (SSR2), which is overexpressed in NETs, the emitted alpha particle causes high-density ionization effects, resulting mainly in double-strand DNA breaks. In contrast, the beta particles emitted by

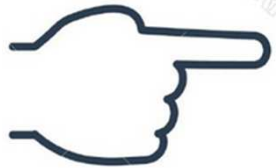
established radiopharmaceuticals mainly cause repairable single-strand DNA damage. b, d The tissue range of alpha emitters (about 80 μm) is approximately two cell diameters. The mean tissue range of the beta emitter ^{90}Y (3 mm) is approximately 75 cell diameters. Thus, alpha emitters result in less “cross-fire” radiation to surrounding normal tissue



CONCLUSIONI

Le Terapie Medico Nucleari:

- sono efficaci e sicure (ma anche potenzialmente pericolose)
- devono essere proposte in ambito multidisciplinare
- la loro collocazione nei piani di cura può essere ottimizzata
- attualmente la loro standardizzazione non è completamente perseguibile
- di contro devono essere erogate in modo personalizzato



“standardizzazione della personalizzazione del trattamento”

«In un contesto normativo europeo che verosimilmente limiterà gli studi spontanei di nuovi radiofarmaci, sarà necessario sviluppare un dialogo scientifico con l'Industria, pur mantenendo sempre l'autonomia decisionale dell'atto medico a garanzia della salute del paziente»

Grazie per l'attenzione

