



**Cancer Control Program  
Cancer in the Elderly Committee**

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**Agenda  
Cancer in the Elderly Committee Meeting  
Friday, November 7, 2014  
4:30 – 7:30 PM CST  
Room: Louvre 1**

**Meeting available by teleconference: Dial 800-501-8979 Access Code: 1165588**

Committee Members				
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Richard Goldberg, MD	Jeanne Mandelblatt, MD	Ashley Rosko, MD		

**I. Welcome**

**II. ACS CRP Education Committee (5 minutes)**

*Nancy You, MD*

**III. Concept Updates (30 minutes each)**

- A. Chemotherapy Induced Peripheral Neuropathy in CALGB 40101 and CALGB 70301/CTSU 70301: Prevalence and Severity As a Function of Age (*Myra Barginear, MD*)
- B. Summary of the Brief Geriatric Assessment Data Prior to Thoracic Surgery (*Michael Jaklitsch, MD*)
- C. Lung Cancer in the Older Adult: A Concept to Revisit (*Ajeet Gajra, MD*)

**IV. The Kay Yow Grant: Impact of Physical Activity on Biomarker of Aging and Body Composition among Breast Cancer Survivors Age 65 and Older**

*Hy Muss, MD*

**V. Mentors/Mentees/Liaisons Discussion (10 minutes presentation; 30 minutes discussion)**

*(Aminah Jatoi, MD)*



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This discussion will allow committee members to help provide input in defining the expectations for the mentor/mentee/liason relationship. Discussion items will include: 1) the need for a workhorse (junior member) and a senior person with expertise to partner and help guide the work, 2) what the teams need to doing in the context of the Alliance, 3) defining the interactions between disease committees and Cancer in the Elderly Committee (synergy both ways), and 4) review of disease committee portfolio to determine the issues, what to expect, and how to organize.

#### **VI. Mentors/Mentees/Liaisons Breakout Session** (remaining time)

This breakout session is being provided to allow structured time for the mentors, mentees, and liaisons to begin conversations relative to the previous discussion and how they will: 1) interact with each other, 2) interact with their disease committee, 3) organize future conversations/meetings with each other, and 4) provide periodic reports back to the full committee.

#### **VII. Other Business**

#### **VIII. Notation Only:**

##### **A. Study Tracker**



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##### **B. Cancer in the Elderly Publications Since the May 2014 Meeting**

#### **Primary Sponsoring Committee**

##### **Manuscripts**

- Faul, L. A., G. Luta, et al. (2014). "Associations among survivorship care plans, experiences of survivorship care, and functioning in older breast cancer survivors: CALGB/Alliance 369901." J Cancer Surviv. PMID: 24917307. (Epub ahead of print 2014 Jun 11)
- Klepin, H. D., B. N. Pitcher, et al. (2014). "Comorbidity, Chemotherapy Toxicity, and Outcomes Among Older Women Receiving Adjuvant Chemotherapy for Breast Cancer on a Clinical Trial: CALGB 49907 and CALGB 361004 (Alliance)." J Oncol Pract **10**(5): e285-292. PMID: 25074878. (2014 Sep)
- Lamont, E. B., M. Yu, et al. (2014). "Hospital-based health care use correlates with incidence of adverse events among elderly Medicare patients treated in adjuvant chemotherapy trials (Alliance 70802)." J Geriatr Oncol **5**(3): 230-237. PMID: 24594119. (2014 Jul)
- Mandelblatt, J. S., K. Huang, et al. (2014). "Preliminary Development and Evaluation of an Algorithm to Identify Breast Cancer Chemotherapy Toxicities Using Electronic Medical Records and Administrative Data." J Oncol Pract PMID: 25161127. (Epub ahead of print 2014 Aug 26)
- Mandelblatt, J. S., R. A. Stern, et al. (2014). "Cognitive impairment in older patients with breast cancer before systemic therapy: is there an interaction between cancer and comorbidity?" J Clin Oncol **32**(18): 1909-1918. PMID: 24841981. (2014 Jun 20)
- Sheppard, V. B., L. A. Faul, et al. (2014). "Frailty and Adherence to Adjuvant Hormonal Therapy in Older Women With Breast Cancer: CALGB Protocol 369901." J Clin Oncol. PMID: 24934786. (2014 Aug 1)

##### **Abstracts**

- Klepin, H. D., E. K. Ritchie, et al. (2014). "Feasibility of geriatric assessment for older adults with acute myeloid leukemia (AML) receiving intensive chemotherapy on a cooperative group trial: CALGB 361006 (Alliance)." J Clin Oncol **32**(15\_suppl): 7102. (2014 Jun 11) Poster presentation.
- Gajra, A., L. McCall, et al. (Accepted SABCS 2014). "Association of baseline (BL) patient preference for chemotherapy (chemo) with toxicity, mental health, function, quality of life (QoL) and survival in older women with early stage breast cancer (ESBC) [CALGB 49907 Alliance]." Cancer Research.

#### **Secondary Committee – Cancer in the Elderly**

##### **Manuscripts**

- Dy, G. K., J. R. Molina, et al. (2014). "NCCTG N0821 (Alliance): a phase II first-line study of pemetrexed, carboplatin, and bevacizumab in elderly patients with advanced nonsquamous non-small-cell lung cancer with good performance status." J Thorac Oncol **9**(8): 1146-1153. PMID: 25157767. (2014 Aug)