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An Organization of International Cooperative Groups for Clinical Trials in Gynecologic Cancers

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Who we are?



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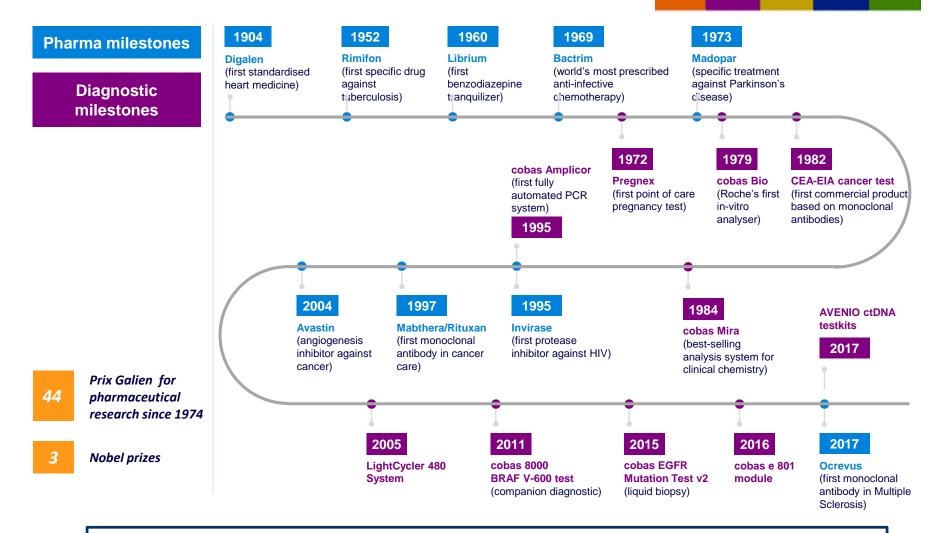


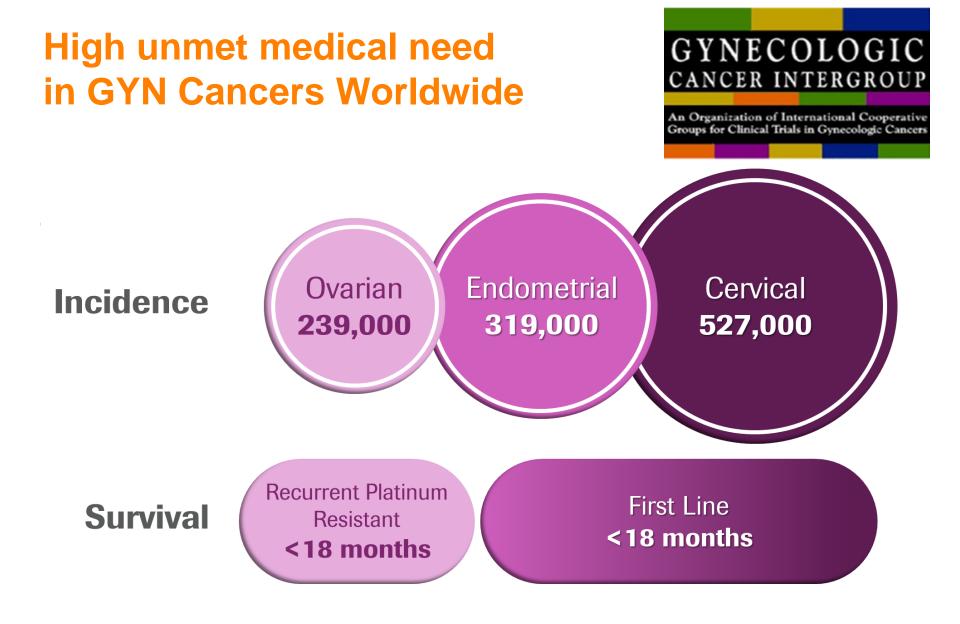
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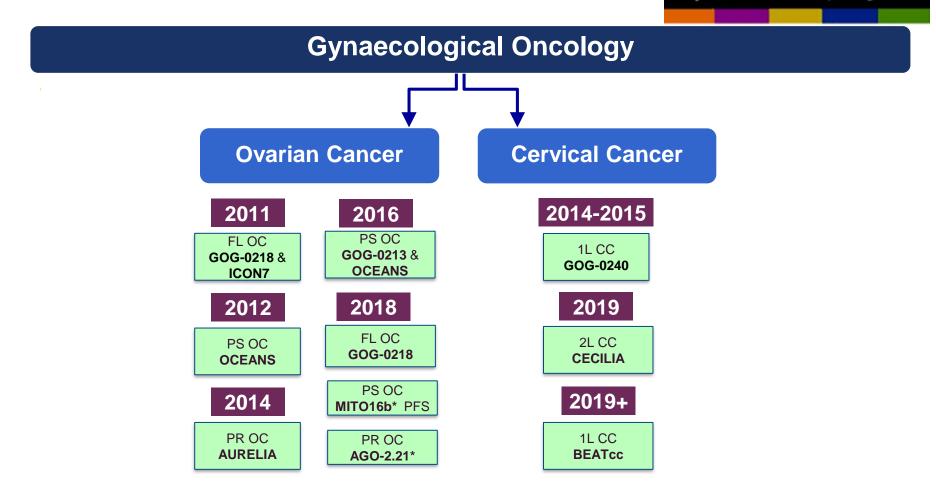




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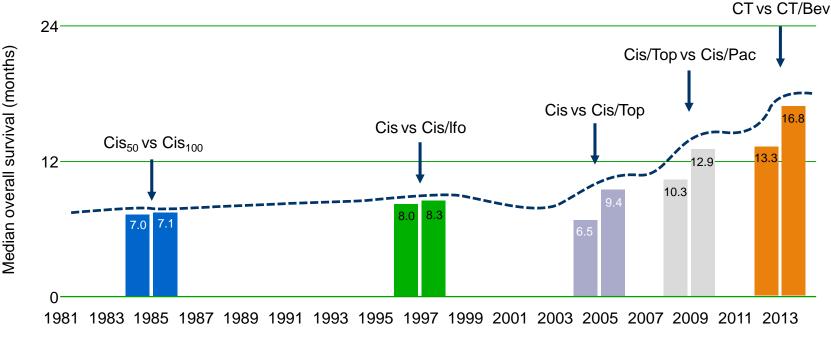


Progress in current treatment approaches for advanced cervical cancer made by GOG-0240

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Phase III studies of chemotherapy in advanced cervical cancer¹



GOG-0240

Bev, bavacizumab; Cis, cisplatin;CT, chemotherapy; Ifo, ifosfamide; Pac, paclitaxel; Top, topotecan 1. Adapted from Penson RT. SGO 2015.

CECILIA: Rationale



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- Bevacizumab approval in cervical cancer was based on GOG-0240 study¹
- The safety of bevacizumab plus carboplatin/paclitaxel has been established in phase III trials in ovarian cancer^{2,4} and NSCLC^{5,6}
- GOG-0240 showed a higher incidence of fistulae compared with previous clinical trials of bevacizumab-containing therapy¹
 - Incidence of GI-vaginal fistulae: 8.3% vs 0.9%; similar incidences of GI and GU fistulae¹
 - Possible association between prior pelvic radiation and GI-vaginal fistulae²
- Higher risk of GI perforation with beva–containing therapy vs chemotherapy alone^{1–3}

CECILIA has therefore been designed to:

- 1. Generate data on bevacizumab plus carboplatin/paclitaxel in cervical cancer
- 2. Focus on the incidence of GI perforations/fistulae, GI-vaginal and GU fistulae

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Tewari K, et al. NEJM 2014; 2. Burger RA, et al. NEJM 2011; 3. Willmott LJ, et al. IGCS 2014
Perren TJ, et al. NEJM 2011; 5. Sandler A, et al. NEJM 2006; 6. Zinner J, et al. J Thorac Oncol 2015;.

CECILIA (MO29594): trial design

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A MULTICENTRE OPEN-LABEL SINGLE-ARM PHASE II STUDY EVALUATING THE SAFETY AND EFFICACY OF BEVACIZUMAB IN COMBINATION WITH CARBOPLATIN AND PACLITAXEL IN PATIENTS WITH METASTATIC, RECURRENT OR PERSISTENT CERVICAL CANCER



- Primary endpoint: safety (incidences of GI perforation/fistula, GI-vaginal fistula and GU fistula)
- · Exclusion criteria designed to minimize risk of GI-vaginal fistula

AUC, area under the concentration curve; q3w, every 3 weeks *Minimum of 6 cycles, unless toxicity necessitates discontinuation of one or both chemotherapy agents, in which case non-implicated drug(s) and bevacizumab can be continued alone

CECILIA study protocol

CECILIA (MO29594): Countries

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CECILIA Preliminary Results (presented at ASCO 2018)

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Primary endpoint events

Endpoint event	No. of patients (%) [95% CI]
GI perforation/fistula	6 (4.0) [1.5–8.5]
GI-vaginal fistula	6 (4.0) [1.5–8.5]
GU fistula	6 (4.0) [1.5–8.5]
Total	15 (10.0%) [5.7–16.0] ^a

- The fistula/GI perforation incidence was consistent with that reported in GOG-240.
- Preliminary results suggests that the combination of bevacizumab with carboplatin and paclitaxel is a feasible 1st-line treatment for metastatic, recurrent, or persistent cervical cancer

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Redondo A et al, Preliminary Results from CECILIA, an open-label global safety study of bevacizumab, carboplatin and paclitaxel therapy for metastatic, recurrent or persistent cervical cancer. ASCO 2018 Annual Meeting. Poster #5528

