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#### NRG-CC012CD "SYMON"

**Managing Symptoms and Psychological Distress During Oral Anti-Cancer Treatment** 

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# **Brief Study Overview**



## **Study Background**

- There are currently more than 50 U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)-approved oral anticancer agents, and their use is increasing
- Patients on oral agents must self-manage their symptoms (e.g., fatigue, anxiety, skin rash) with less interactions with on oncology team compared to infusion treatment
- Telemonitoring and management of symptoms are key for reducing symptom burden, emergency department or urgent care visits, hospitalizations, and treatment interruptions





## **Study Rationale**

• Testing the implementation of the following conditions in real world of community-based oncology practices:

ATSM + TIPC

(Automated Telephone Symptom

Monitoring & Handbook +/Telephone Interpersonal Counseling)

IVR Control (Telephone Symptom Monitoring only)

• Data will inform future implementation of this telehealth symptom monitoring strategy, including acceptability, appropriateness, cost, and cost savings due to reductions in unscheduled health service use.





# **Symptom Monitoring (both arms)**

- 24 symptoms will be assessed via IVR weekly for <u>17 weeks</u> using Patient-Reported Outcomes Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events (PRO-CTCAE)
- Symptom severity is rated as 0=none, 1=mild, 2=moderate, 3=severe, 4=very severe
- Weekly summary for each patient is sent to practice (any person or people identified by practice)
- Practice personnel are not required to do anything specific based on the report, but report recipient(s) will be asked monthly what was done





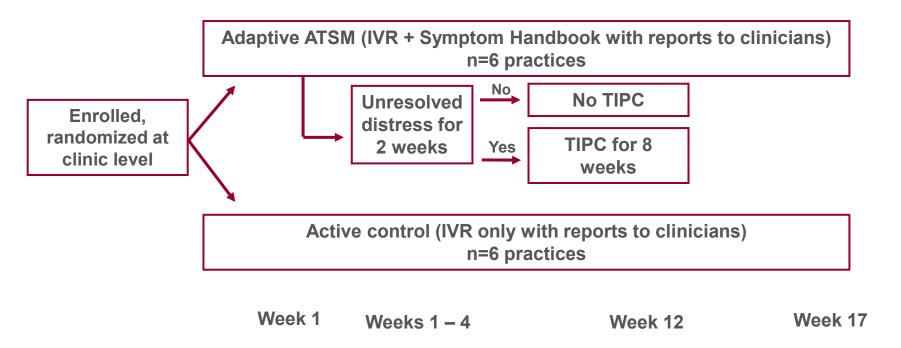
# Symptom Management (ATSM+TIPC arm only)

- Patients will be directed to a symptom management handbook in weeks 1-12, to contact their healthcare provider and/or to contact emergency services depending on their symptoms.
- Patients reported elevating psychosocial symptoms in weeks 1-4 will be referred to TIPC (telephone interpersonal counseling) for 8 weeks.



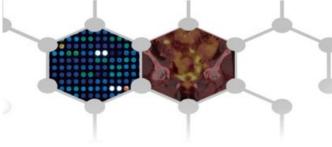


#### **Participant Intervention**

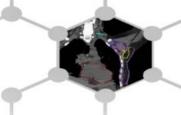




IVR = Interactive Voice Response ATSM = Automated Telephone System Management TIPC = Telephone Interpersonal Counseling







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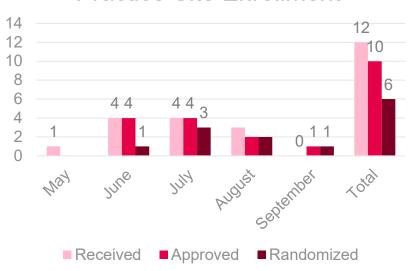
# **Study Updates**





#### **Progress**

#### **Practice Site Enrollment**





Approved Sites





## **Progress**

- 3 sites pending randomization
  - complete training certificate in CTSU
- 2 sites with enrolled practice personnel
  - Lake Regional MO200
  - GA CaRes GA020
  - Other sites can begin enrolling practice personnel

- CIRB Updates
  - UMiami and UArizona completed CIRB approval
  - MSU pending final local IRB reliance -> when approved, patient recruitment can begin



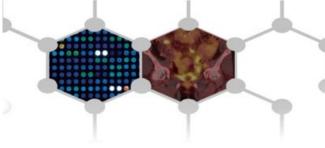
# **Training Certificate**

Training certificate on CTSU must be completed and submitted to the CTSU prior to enrollment of first participant.

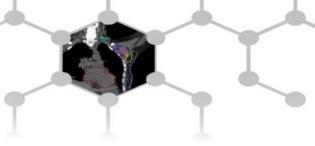
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## **Review of Practice Study Activities**





# Practice Personnel Eligibility Criteria

Practice personnel will be key stakeholders in this research study, themselves consenting to participation, receiving reports, and completing brief monthly questionnaires. The practice personnel must provide study-specific informed consent prior to study entry.

Eligible: physicians, nurses, nurse practitioners, advanced practice providers, physician assistants, medical assistants, pharmacists and are involved in symptom management of patients on trial.

- Planned to be involved in usual care for at least one enrolled patient during patient's participation in the study.
- At least one practice personnel has to receive IVR reports and complete monthly forms (about 30 minutes)

If applicable – if site has behavioral health professional who will deliver TIPC intervention, they must have licensure or eligibility for licensure in behavioral counseling if required by the State or Territory.

Can be as few as one person or as many as applicable, ideally ~4



# Patient Key Eligibility Criteria

- Must be starting a new course of an oral anti-cancer agent (the list of agents is always posted to the CTSU website), within 4 weeks of registration.
  - Can be receiving sex hormone inhibitor in *conjunction* with other oral anti-cancer agent
  - Cannot be receiving treatment with immune checkpoint inhibitor at enrollment
  - All concomitant medications and supportive care treatments are acceptable.
- Cannot be receiving competing supportive care treatments:
  - Cannot be in any other symptom monitoring/management programs or studies
  - Cannot have had 2+ counseling/therapy sessions in past month for mood/psychosocial wellbeing
- Cannot be in hospice at time of enrollment
- Must be able to speak and understand English or Spanish.
- Must have access to a telephone with a touchpad and ability to hear a recording





#### **Patient Enrollment**

Plan to enroll 2 patients per month on average Process:

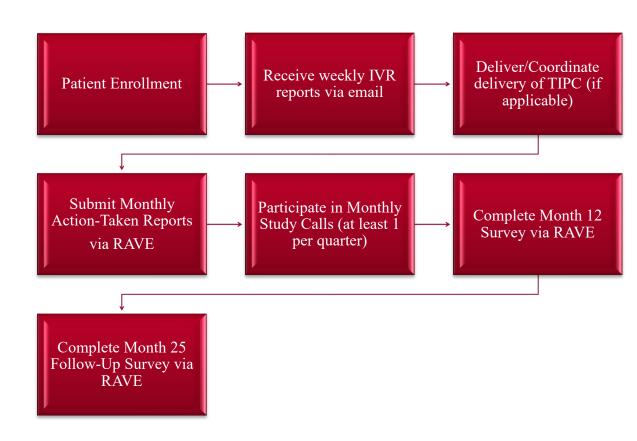






# Practice Personnel Activities

 Consented practice personnel will have additional surveys to complete









# Example Weekly IVR Report

- Will be sent within ~24hrs of symptom monitoring telephone call, after each weekly call
- Can be sent to as many people as preferred



#### **Provider Report**

Patient Name: Elle Example

MRN: 1234567

Study Start Date: 06/28/2024

Below is a summary of your patient's symptoms reported on 06/29/2024

#### Severe Symptoms

Cough: 4 Arm or leg swelling: 3

Pain: 4 Vomiting: 4

#### **Moderate Symptoms**

Pounding or racing heartbeat (Palpitations): 2

Hand-foot syndrome: 2

Headache: 1

#### No Symptoms Reported

Shortness of breath: 0 Tingling in Hands or Feet: 0

Dizziness: 0

Problems with concentration: 0

Insomnia: 0 Fatigue: 0

Anxiety: 0

Feeling that nothing could cheer you up:  $\underline{\Omega}$ 

Sad or unhappy feelings: 0 Shivering or shaking chills: 0

Unexpected or excessive sweating: 0

Dry mouth: 0

Mouth or throat sores:  $\underline{\Omega}$ Decreased appetite:  $\Omega$ 

Nausea: 0

Constipation: 0

Diarrhea: 9 (Refused to answer)



#### **Data Management**

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Practice IRB approval

Practice Enrollment

Practice Personnel
Demographics

LOI (retrieve from CTSU)

Protocol-specific training

Practice Personnel Enrollment

Patient Screening Data

Questionnaire

Patient Contact Form (within 1 business day – use encryption)

Site registration documents

Patient Enrollment

Monthly "Action Taken" Reports

Patient health record review

Feasibility and Acceptability questionnaires (months 12 and 25 only)



Blank Rave forms and Summary of Data Submission are available on the CTSU website.



#### **Key Points**

- 10 of 12 sites are now approved
- Approved sites should move forward with IRB approval as soon as possible, contact us for support if needed
- Open sites should begin recruitment and consent of practice personnel
- Study team will contact all sites when patient recruitment can begin, anticipated within next 1-2 weeks



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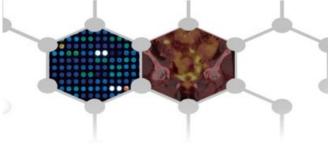
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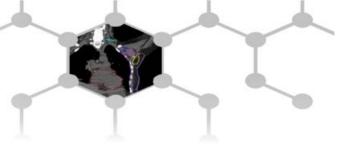
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