



# Le esigenze degli Oncologi

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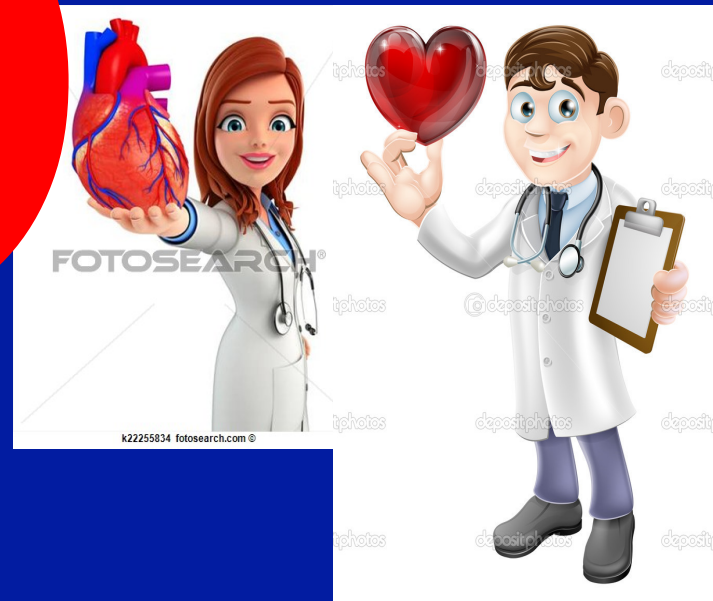
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# Farmaci oncologici e cardiotossicità

cardiotossicità

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# CHEMOTHERAPY

TABLE 1. Potential Cardiac Toxicity Induced by Anticancer Chemotherapeutic Agents

DRUG	STUDY	TOXIC DOSE RANGE	CARDIAC TOXICITY	FREQUENCY OF OCCURRENCE <sup>a</sup>
Doxorubicin	Chlebowski 1979 <sup>30</sup>	> 450 mg/m <sup>2</sup>	Left ventricular dysfunction	Common
Epirubicin	Tjuljandin 1990 <sup>31</sup>	> 900 mg/m <sup>2</sup>		Common
Idarubicin	Anderlini 1995 <sup>32</sup>	150-290 mg/m <sup>2</sup>		Intermediate
Paclitaxel	Perez 1998 <sup>33</sup>	Conventional dose	Left ventricular dysfunction	Intermediate
Docetaxel	Kenmotsu & Tanigawara 2015 <sup>34</sup>			Intermediate
Cyclophosphamide	Gottdiener 1981, <sup>35</sup> Goldberg 1986 <sup>36</sup>	>100-120 mg/kg	Left ventricular dysfunction	Intermediate
Ifosfamide	Kandylis 1989, <sup>37</sup> Tascilar 2007, <sup>38</sup> Cancer Care Ontario <sup>39</sup>	>10 mg/m <sup>2</sup>		Uncommon
Capecitabine	Sentürk 2009 <sup>40</sup>	Conventional dose	Cardiac ischemia	Intermediate
Fluorouracil	Sentürk 2009, <sup>40</sup> Schimmel 2004, <sup>41</sup> Chanan-Khan 2004 <sup>42</sup>			Intermediate
Paclitaxel	Perez 1998 <sup>33</sup>	Conventional dose	Cardiac ischemia	Uncommon
Docetaxel	Kenmotsu & Tanigawara 2015 <sup>34</sup>			Intermediate
Trabectedin	Lebedinsky 2011 <sup>43</sup>	Conventional dose	Cardiac ischemia	Intermediate
Arsenic trioxide	Brana & Taberno 2010 <sup>44</sup>	Conventional dose	QTc prolongation	Common
Paclitaxel	Perez 1998 <sup>33</sup>	Conventional dose	QTc prolongation	Uncommon

<sup>a</sup>Common indicates that more than 5% reported incidence; intermediate, between 1% and 5% reported incidence; uncommon, less than 1% reported incidence.

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# TARGETED THERAPY -I-

Table I. Representative tyrosine kinase inhibitors that cause **cardiotoxicity**

Target no.	Agent (trade name)	Class	Targets	Malignancies	Cardiotoxicity incidence	First FDA approval	Molecular mechanism
Single	<b>Trastuzumab (Herceptin)</b>	mAb	ErbB2 (HER2)	HER2 <sup>+</sup> breast cancer	LVD: 3-7% as a single agent and ≤64% in combination regimens (>6 months administration)	1998	<b>LVD:</b> inactivation of HER2/Erk/Akt pathway in cardiomyocytes; prevention of HER2 receptor dimerization; tumor cell death; downregulation of HER2 receptor
	<b>Bevacizumab (Avastin)</b>	mAb	VEGF	mCRC, nsNSCLC, mRCC, GBM	LVD: 1.7-3%; HTN: 16-47%	2004 <sup>a</sup>	<b>HTN:</b> inhibition of VEGF-eNOS to weaken vasodilation; overproliferation of vascular SMCs <b>Thrombosis:</b> increased platelet aggregation and proinflammatory gene expression in endothelial cells
Multiple	<b>Imatinib (Gleevec)</b>	Small molecule	ABL1/2, KIT, PDGFR $\alpha/\beta$	CML, RCC, GIST, HES	HF: 0.5-1.7%	2001	<b>HF:</b> inhibition of ABL causes cardiomyopathy, increased apoptosis and ER stress
	<b>Sunitinib (Sutent)</b>	Small molecule	VEGFRs, PDGFR $\alpha/\beta$ , KIT, FLT3	RCC, imatinib resistant GIST	HF: 2.7-11%; HTN: 5-47%	2006	<b>HF:</b> abnormal mitochondrial biogenesis, increased apoptotic cell death, inhibition of AMPK and PDGFRs

<sup>a</sup>Approved for breast cancer and revoked in 2011. FDA, Food and Drug Administration; mAb, monoclonal antibody; HER2, human epidermal growth factor receptor 2; LVD, left ventricular dysfunction; mCRC, metastatic colorectal cancer; nsNSCLC, non-squamous non-small-cell lung cancer; mRCC, metastatic renal cell carcinoma; GBM, glioblastoma multiforme; VEGF, vascular endothelial growth factor; eNOS, endothelial nitric oxide synthase; HTN, hypertension; SMC, smooth muscle cell; PDGFR, platelet-derived growth factor receptor; VEGFR, VEGF receptor; CML, chronic myelogenous leukemia; GIST, gastrointestinal stromal tumor; HES, hypereosinophilic syndrome; HF, heart failure; ER, endoplasmic reticulum; FLT-3, Fms-like tyrosine kinase 3; AMPK, AMP-activated protein kinase.

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# TARGETED THERAPY -II-

TABLE 3. Rates of Hypertension With Selected Angiogenesis Inhibitors

DISEASE	DRUG	STUDY	GRADE 3/4 HYPERTENSION RATES, %	
			ANTIANGIOGENIC	CONTROL
Colon cancer	Bevacizumab	Dewdney 2012, <sup>65</sup> Mir 2011 <sup>66</sup>	11	2.3
Renal cell cancer	Bevacizumab	Fraeman 2013 <sup>67</sup>	36	NA
Lung cancer	Bevacizumab	Mir 2011, <sup>66</sup> Chen 2015 <sup>68</sup>	7	0.7
Breast cancer	Bevacizumab	Fraeman 2013, <sup>67</sup> Gampenrieder 2014 <sup>69</sup>	14.8	14.6
Ovarian cancer	Bevacizumab	Fraeman 2013 <sup>67</sup>	26.4	16.7
Renal cell cancer	Sunitinib	Larochelle 2012 <sup>71</sup>	8	1
GIST	Sunitinib	George 2012 <sup>72</sup>	3	0
Breast cancer	Sunitinib	Sungyub & Chamberlain 2015 <sup>73</sup>	6	NA
Breast cancer	Sorafenib	Funakoshi 2013 <sup>74</sup>	17	12
Lung cancer	Cediranib	Langenberg 2009 <sup>75</sup>	35	NA
Breast cancer	Cediranib	Langenberg 2009 <sup>75</sup>	42	NA
Phase 1	Sorafenib and bevacizumab	Castellano 2013, <sup>76</sup> Azad 2008 <sup>70</sup>	33	NA

GIST, gastrointestinal stromal tumor; NA, not available.

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# HORMONE-THERAPY -I-

## BREAST CANCER

✓30.023 postmenopausal women

✓Aromatase Inhibitors (AI) and Tamoxifen (T) as primary adjuvant horm-ther

→5 yrs AI or T or T+AI: non-statistically significant increased risk of CV disease (OR 1.11,  $p=.09$ )

→>5 yrs AI: increased risk of CV disease (OR 1.26,  $p<.001$ )

Amir et al, *JNCI* 2011

✓Postmenopausal women

✓AI and/or T as primary adjuvant horm-therapy

→no difference between AI (mono- or sequenced ther) and T for CV disease;

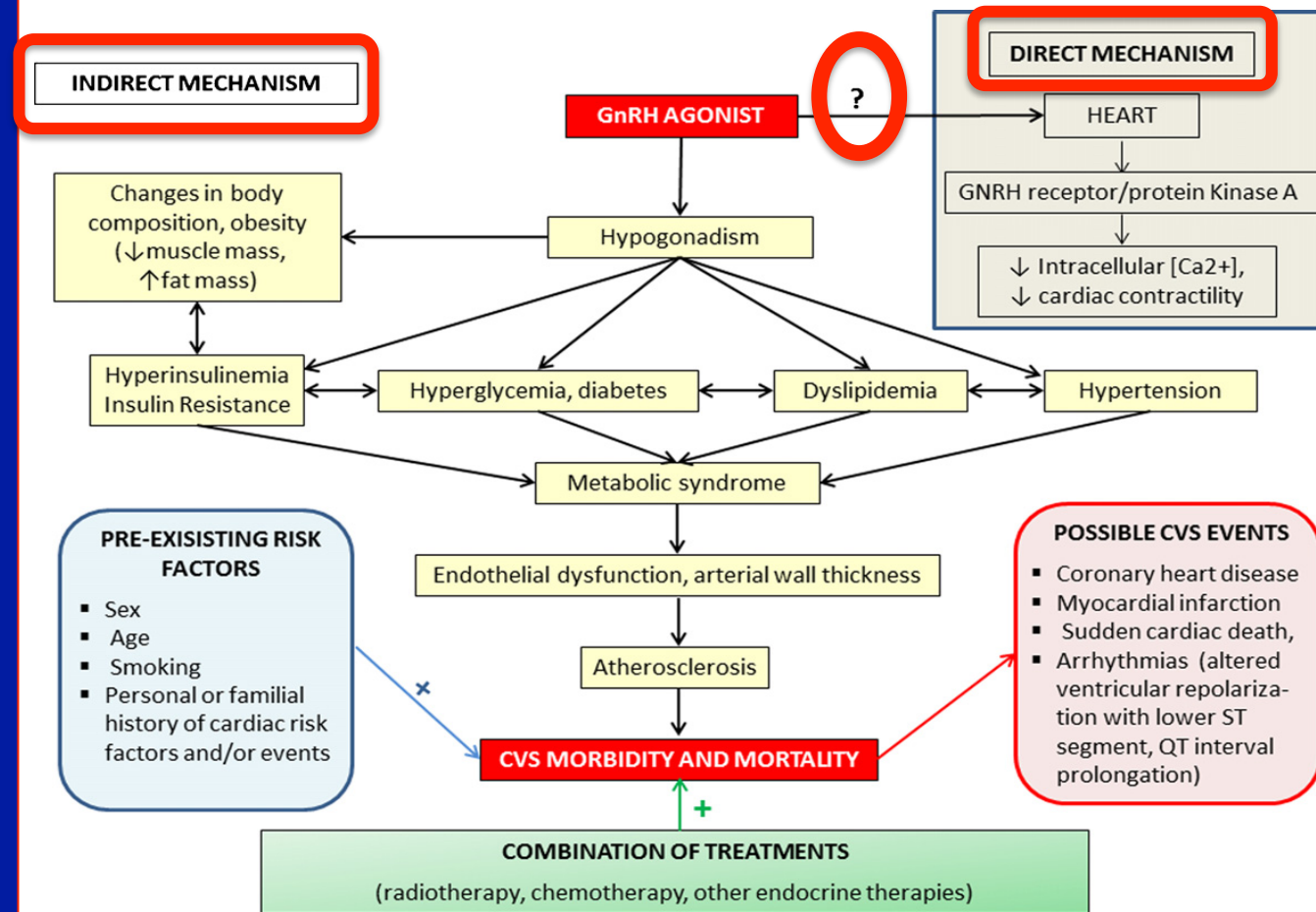
→sequenced therapy (T→AI) compared with AI alone: lower risk of CV events (moderate level of evidence) -> CV events related to AI deserve further attention

Ryden et al, *Breast* 2016

# HORMONE-THERAPY -II- PROSTATE CANCER

## The cardiovascular risk of gonadotropin releasing hormone agonists in men with prostate cancer: An unresolved controversy

V. Conteduca et al. / Critical Reviews in Oncology/Hematology 86 (2013) 42–51

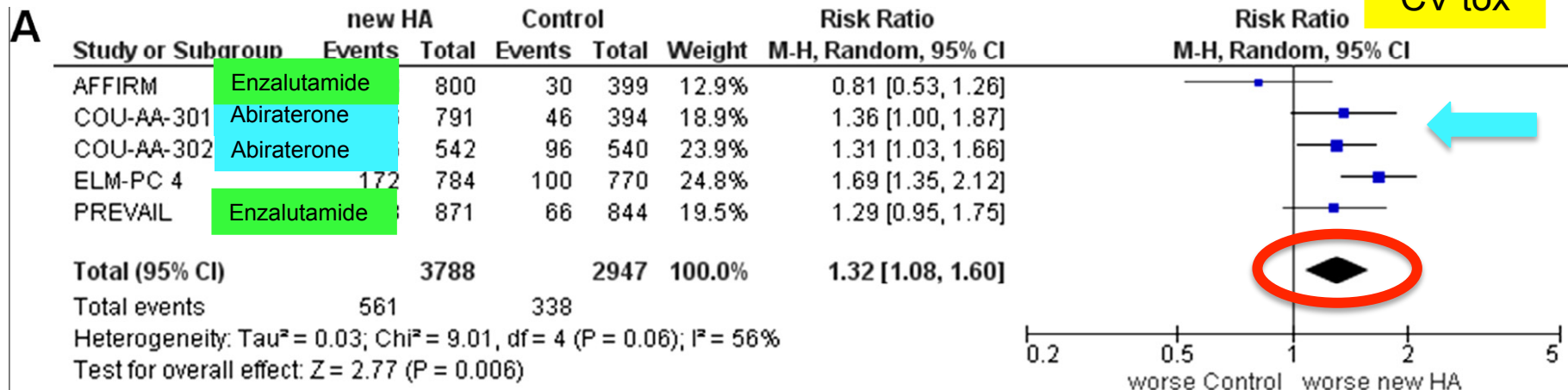


# HORMONE-THERAPY -III-

# PROSTATE CANCER

R. Iacovelli et al. / European Journal of Cancer 51 (2015) 1970–1977

All grade  
CV tox



Meta-analysis in 6735 pts enrolled in 6 prospective studies

High grade  
CV tox

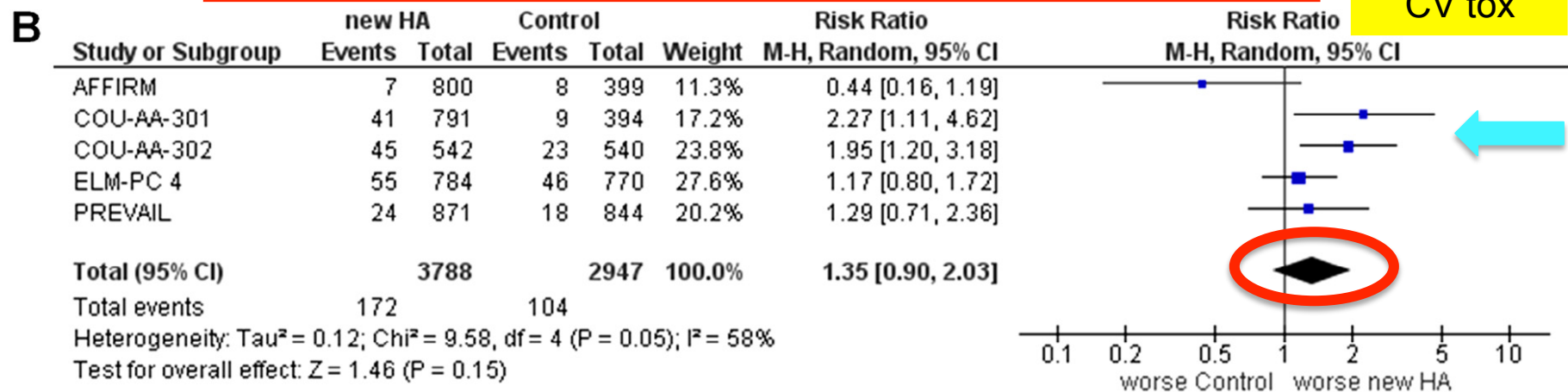


Fig. 2. Relative risk for (A) all- and (B) high-grade cardiac toxicity in patients treated with new hormonal agents (HA) or control.

# **Neoplasie solide e farmaci cardiotossici**

**farmaci cardiotossici**

# NEOPLASIE MAMMARIE

CT:

- ANTRACICLINE, ANTRACICLINE LIPOSOMIALI (pegilate e non pegilate: minore cardiotossicità ma indicate solo nella malattia mts)
- 5-FLUOROURACILE e CAPECITABINA

HT:

- TAMOXIFENE, INIBITORI AROMATASI

TT:

- antiHER2 (TRASTUZUMAB, PERTUZUMAB, LAPATINIB): cardiotossicità reversibile, ma indispensabile monitoraggio di FE;

CARDIOXANE:

- quale ruolo nella prevenzione della cardiotossicità da antracicline?

*(in collaborazione con Dr.ssa Saggia, Dr.ssa Rossi, Dr.ssa Giglione)*

# NEOPLASIE POLMONARI

CT:

-**CISPLATINO** -> premedicazione con abbondante quantità di liquidi -> rischio scompenso cardiaco

TT:

-**BEVACIZUMAB** -> ipertensione, insufficienza cardiaca, IMA

-**CRIZOTINIB e CERITINIB** (ALK inibitori)-> allungamento QT (predisposizione a torsioni di punta)

-**NIVOLUMAB** -> aritmie

-**NINTEDANIB** (triplo inibitore orale dell'angiochinasi) -> ipertensione

*(in collaborazione con Dr.ssa Buosi, Dr.ssa Borra, Dr.ssa Genestroni)*



# NEOPLASIE GASTRO-ENTERO-PANCREATICHE

CT:

-**5-FLUOROURACILE (5FU) e CAPECITABINA** (in mono-poliCT)

- meccanismo vasospastico endotelina mediato
- cardiotox: infarto del miocardio, angina, shock cardiogeno, morte improvvisa, prolungamento QT, aritmia cardiaca (fibrillazione ventricolare, torsione di punta e bradicardia), insufficienza cardiaca e cardiomiopatia
- più a rischio i pazienti con anamnesi di cardiopatia, aritmia e angina pectoris significative

TT:

-**BEVACIZUMAB E AFLIBERCEPT**: ipertensione, insufficienza cardiaca, disaccoppiamento della fosforilazione mitocondriale nei cardiomiociti -> tachicardia sopraventricolare ed eventi trombotici

-**REGORAFENIB**: ischemia e infarto del miocardio, ipertensione

*(in collaborazione con Dr.ssa Forti, Dr.ssa Negru, Dr.ssa Bertona)*

# NEOPLASIE TESTA-COLLO E MELANOMA

CT:

-CISPLATINO, 5FU

TT:

-DABRAFENIB (BRAF inibitore) +/- TRAMETINIB (MEK inibitore):  
riduzione FEV

*(in collaborazione con Dr Sponghini, Dr Rondonotti)*

# NEOPLASIE UROLOGICHE E NEUROENDOCRINE

CT:

-CISPLATINO

TT:

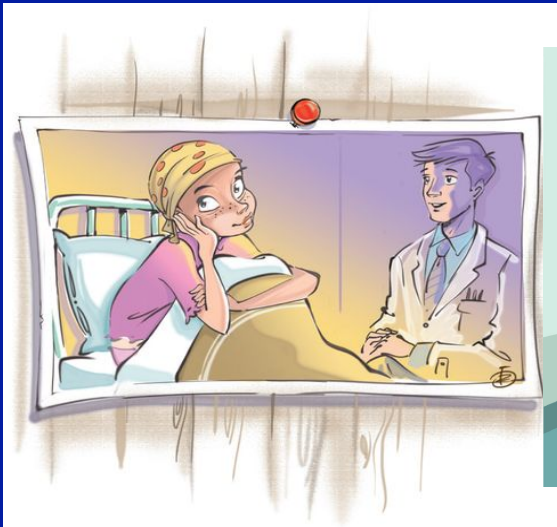
-SUNITINIB, SORAFENIB, (PAZOPANIB, CABOZANTINIB,  
NIVOLUMAB)

HT:

-LHRH-AGONISTI, ABIRATERONE, ENZALUTAMIDE

# **Tipologia di paziente/fase di malattia oncologica e cardiotossicità**

cardiotossicità



- Giovane
- No comorbidità cardiologiche
- M0, CT adiuvante
- > lunga aspettativa di vita
- > NB: danni CV acuti/tardivi



- Anziano
- Comorbidità (anche cardiologiche)
- M1, CT palliativa
- > ridotta aspettativa di vita
- > NB: danni CV acuti/tardivi

# **Valutazione cardio-oncologica del paziente (cardio-)oncologico**

(cardio-)oncologico

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# Le esigenze degli Oncologi: PRIMA della terapia oncologica

**A**

Prior to Therapy

Oncologic Risk Factors:

- ☐ Plan for high dose anthracycline (>200 mg/m<sup>2</sup>)
- ☐ plan for combination with other cardiotoxic agents
  - cyclophosphamide
  - trastuzumab
  - paclitaxel
- ☐ History of mediastinal radiation

Biomarkers?<sup>4</sup>

Baseline Imaging (CMR, Echo)<sup>1,2</sup>

Cardiac Risk Factors:

- ☐ History of MI/CAD
- ☐ Known LVD
- ☐ History of CHF
- ☐ Diabetes\*
- ☐ HTN\*
- ☐ Smoking
- ☐ HLD
- ☐ Family Hx CAD\*
- ☐ Female gender
- ☐ Age <15 or >75<sup>3\*</sup>

Medium-High Risk

Low Risk

Expedited Cardio-Oncology Evaluation

Proceed with chemo

- Risk factor modification
- Initiation of ACE-I/BB/Statin
- Ischemic Evaluation
- Dexrazoxane?

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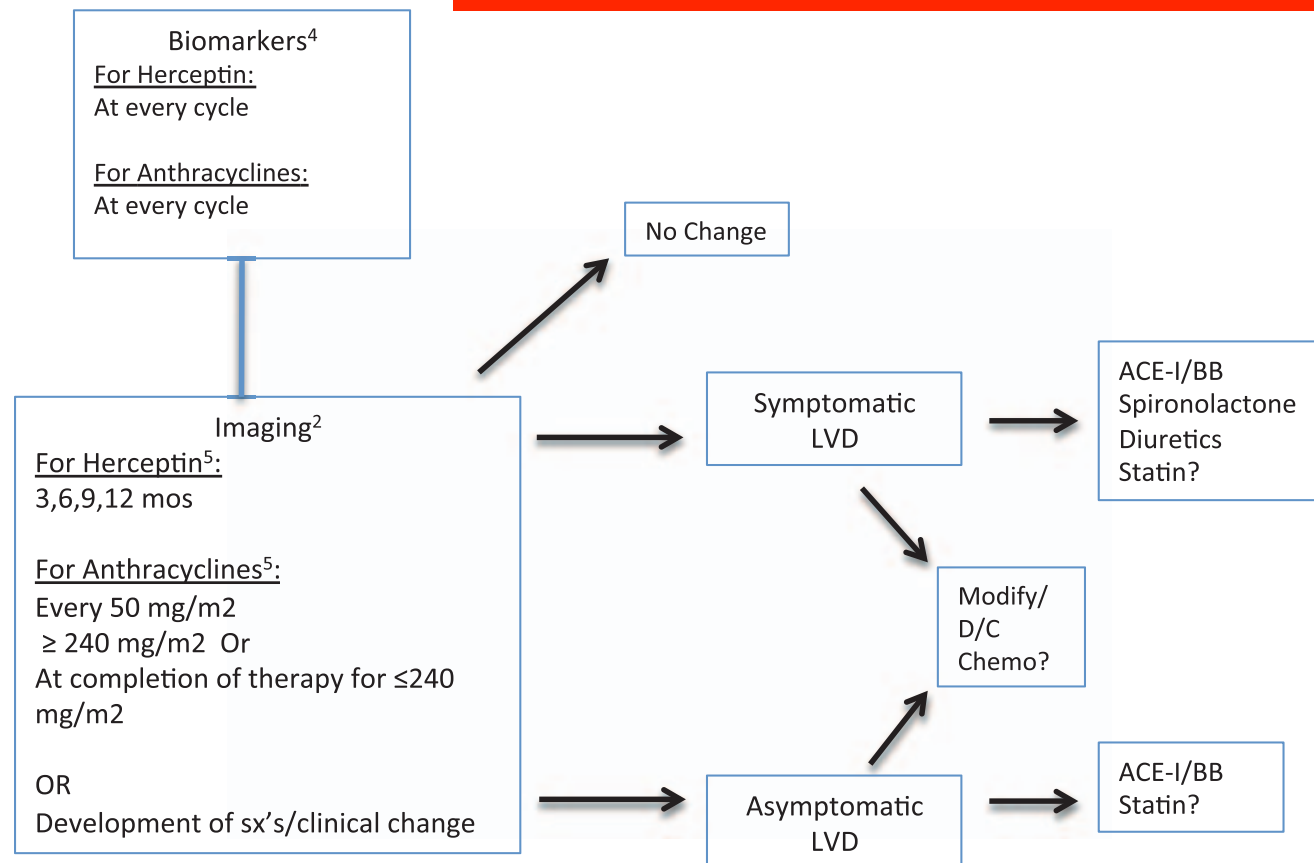
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During Therapy

Surveillance

**Monitoraggio PERSONALIZZATO  
DURANTE terapia oncologica**



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# Le esigenze degli Oncologi: DOPO la terapia oncologica

C

Following Therapy

Surveillance

## Monitoraggio PERSONALIZZATO DOPO terapia oncologica

Low Risk



2D/3D echo with strain at therapy completion

No need for further post-chemo imaging if asymptomatic

Medium-High Risk



**Trastuzumab/Other "Type II" Agents:**

2D/3D Echo with strain at completion of therapy  
(further surveillance not established)

**Anthracyclines alone or with Trastuzumab +/- RT**

2D/3D Echo with strain at completion of therapy, 6-12 mos vs 12 mos, 18mos post rx  
(Further surveillance not established)

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# CONCLUSIONI

- Diversi farmaci oncologici per diverse neoplasie solide, con diverse tossicità CV
- I pazienti oncologici sono molto eterogenei
- Non esistono attualmente Linee Guida validate per ottimali Inquadramento clinico e monitoraggio della tossicità cardiaca prima/durante/dopo terapia oncologica

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