



PICC, Port, PIV in oncology



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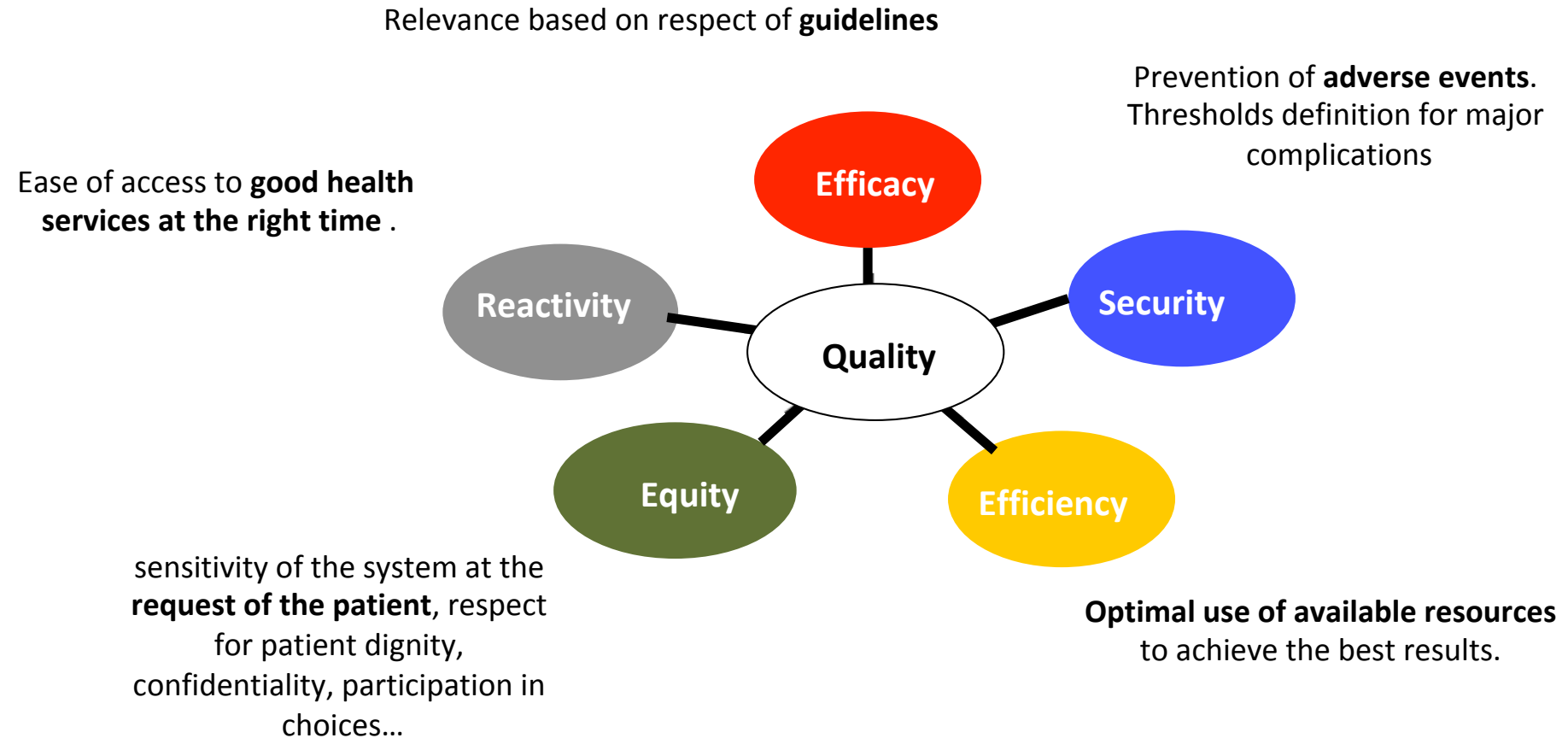
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What are Medical or societal expectations in oncology? What do they want in cancer care...

- Good imaging modalities
- Good biology and good (molecular and genomic) anatomopathology
- Good chemotherapy
- Good surgery and interventional radiology
- Good radiation therapy

They want good quality

What is quality for Cancer treatment?



And also:

- Timeliness
- Patient centeredness
- Continuity
- Satisfaction
- Technical competence

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For the patient What do they want?

1. Long-term survival
2. Quality of life
3. Good functional status



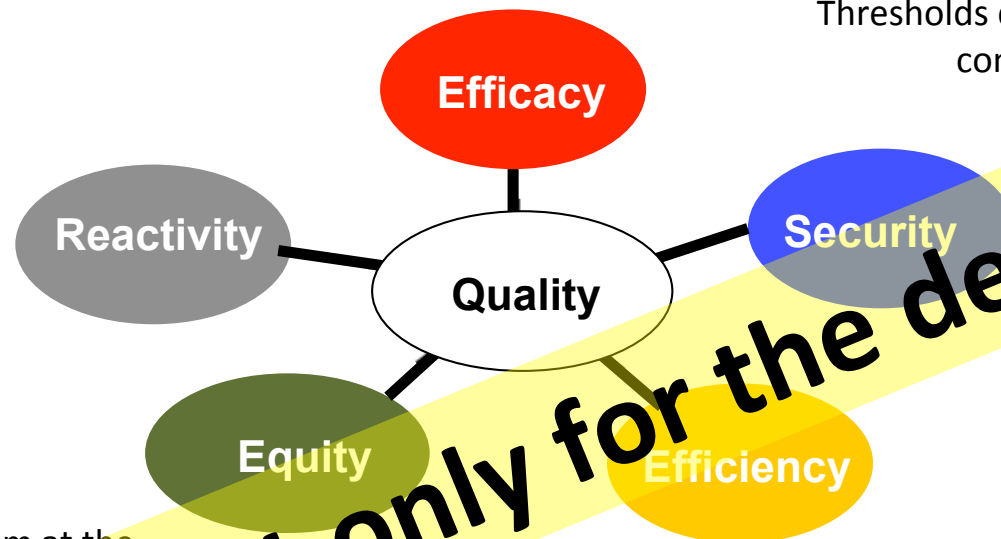
All of this needs a Good
Central Venous Access
Quality

What is quality for Central Venous access?

Relevance based on respect of **guidelines**

Ease of access to **good health services at the right time**.

Prevention of **adverse events**.
Thresholds definition for major complications



sensitivity of the system at the **request of the patient**, respect for patient dignity, confidentiality, participation in choices...

Optimal use of available resources to achieve the best results.

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And it is not only for the device

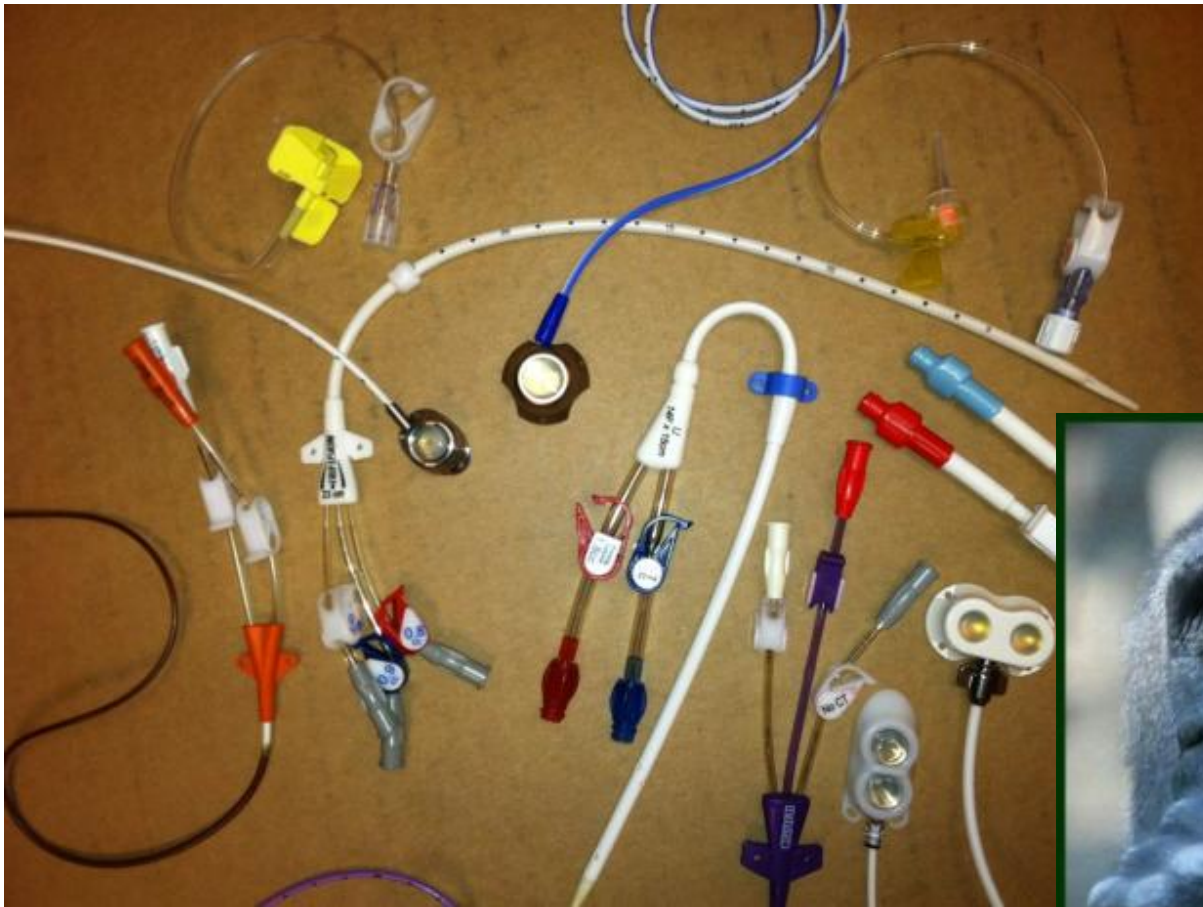
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What is quality for Central Venous access?



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Many available devices...



CVC Type, Insertion Site, Placement

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Factors influencing VAD selection



Therapy

- Type of treatment
- Duration of therapy
- characteristics



Device

- Potential of complications
- Ressources available for device care
- Technical staff expertise
- Costs



Patient

- Hospital status
- Preferences and lifestyle
- Co-morbidity
- Vascular integrity
- Self care ability

Therapy



Irritant? Vesicant?



Peripheral catheter or Midline

Cis-diaminedichloroplatine CDDP

Gemcitabine

Carboplatine

Paclitacel

Docetaxel

Bleomycine

Methotrexate

Trastuzumab

Eribuline

Cetuximab

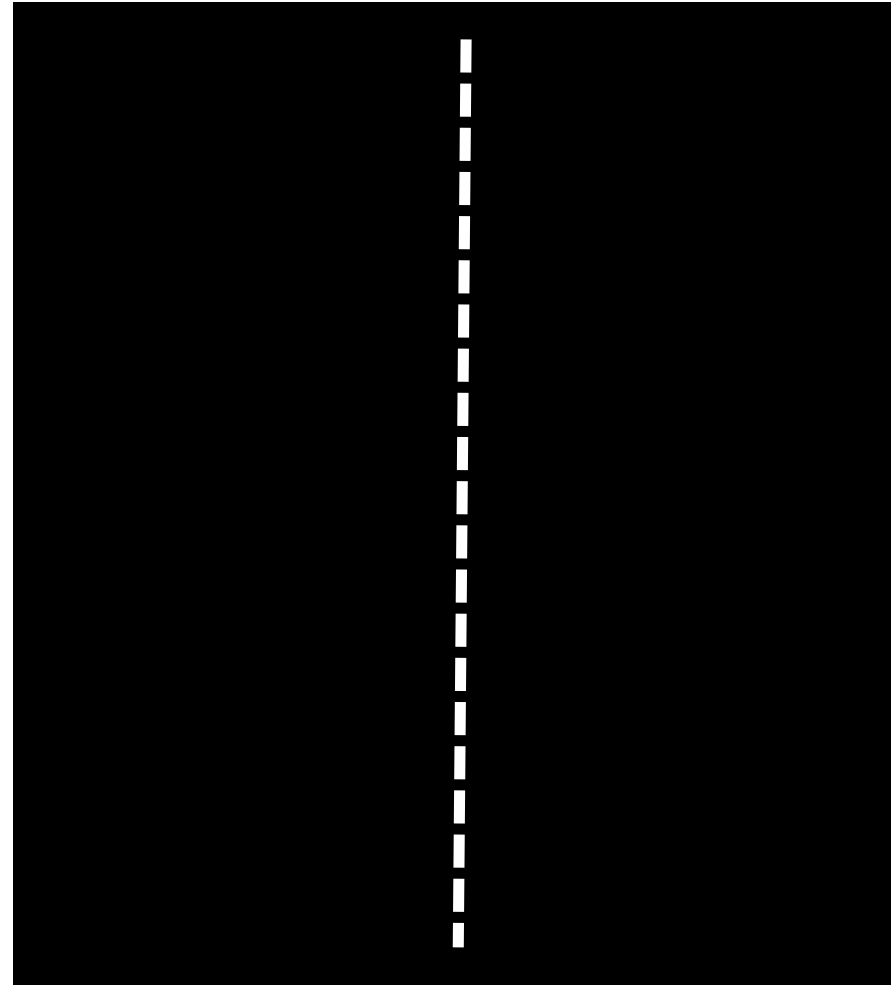
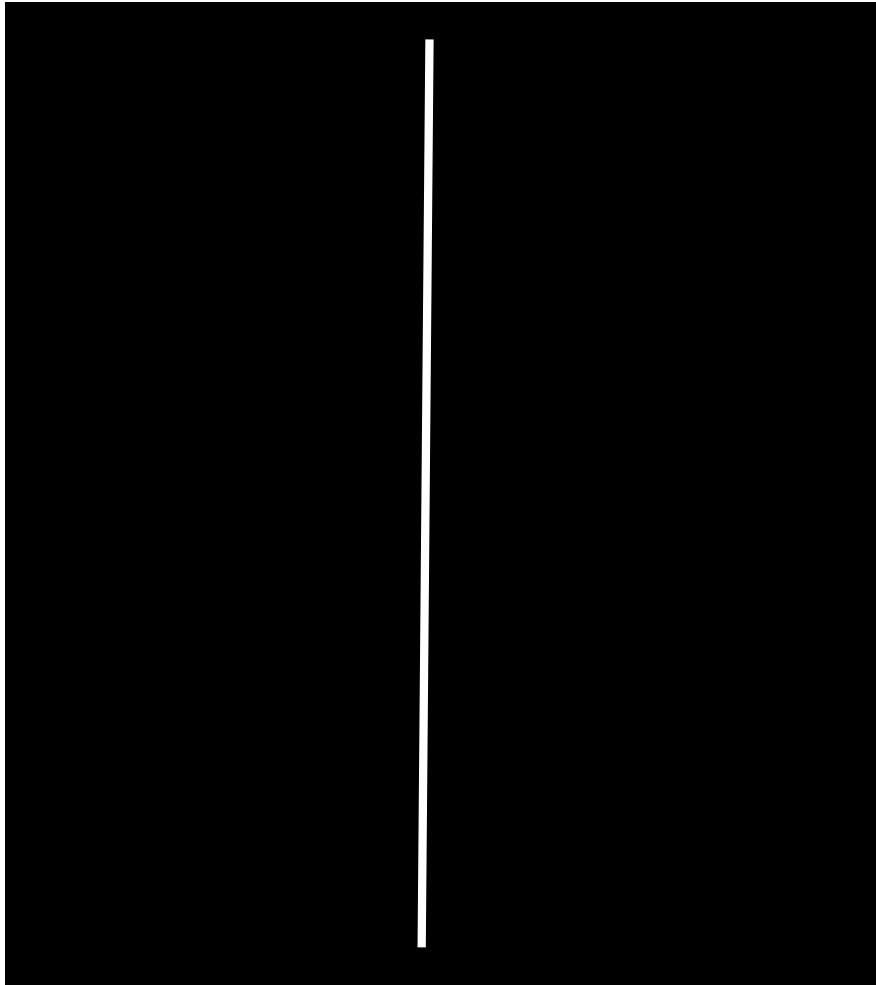
Rituximab

Topotécan

Pemetrexed



Regimens chemotherapy



Duration of chemotherapy



The Michigan Appropriateness Guide for Intravenous Catheters (MAGIC): Results From a Multispecialty Panel Using the RAND/UCLA Appropriateness Method

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Figure 4. Venous access device recommendations for infusion of non-peripherally compatible infusates.

Device Type	Proposed Duration of Infusion			
	≤5 d	6–14 d	15–30 d	≥31 d
Peripheral IV catheter				
US-guided peripheral IV catheter				
Nontunneled/acute central venous catheter	Central venous catheter preferred in critically ill patients or if hemodynamic monitoring is needed for 6–14 d			
Midline catheter				
PICC		PICCs rated as appropriate at all proposed durations of infusion		
Tunneled catheter		Tunneled catheter neutral for use ≥15 d	No preference between tunneled catheter and PICC for proposed durations ≥15 d	
Port				No preference among port, tunneled catheter, or PICC for ≥31 d

Appropriate

Neutral

Inappropriate

Disagreement

IV = intravenous; PICC = peripherally inserted central catheter; US = ultrasonography.

Devices

- Port device
- PICC line
- Tunneled CVC
- Midline
- PVC



Devices

Potential of complications

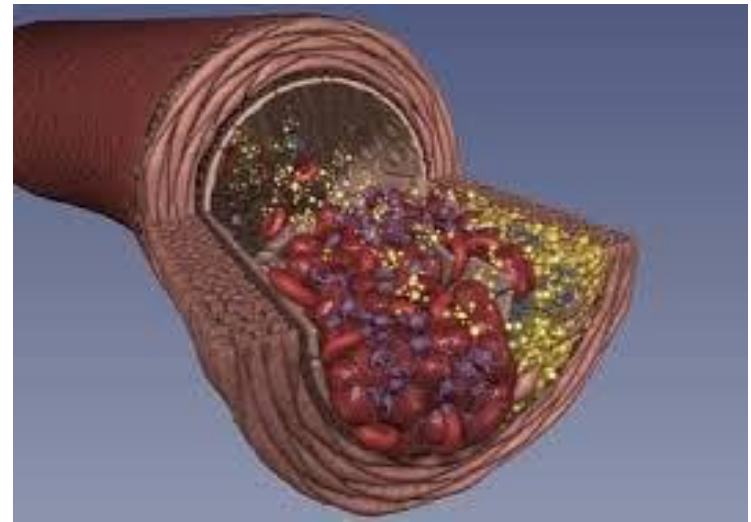
Background

- High frequency of CVA complications
- In oncology CVA complications have great impact on cancer treatment



Potential of complications

- Infections
- Thrombosis



Peripherally Inserted Central Catheters (PICCs) in Cancer Patients Under Chemotherapy: A Prospective Study on the Incidence of Complications and Overall Failures

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TABLE II. Frequency of Complications and Removal of 291 Observed PICCs

Type of complications	Total complications		Removal	
	n	%	n	%
PICC-UEDVT	34	11.7	12	4.1
PICC-CLABSI	6	2.1	5	1.7
Exit site infection	14	4.8	9	3.1
Dislodgement/inadvertent removal	11	3.8	11	3.8
Occlusion	7	2.4	7	2.4
Total	72	24.7	44	15.1

UEDVT, upper extremity deep venous thrombosis; CLABSI, catheter line bloodstream infection.

Multiple complications in the same subject were counted only once.

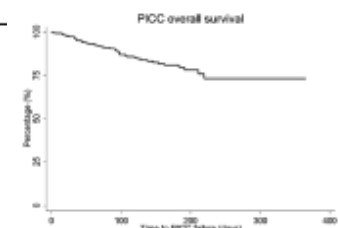


TABLE IV. Multivariate Analyses for PICCs Failure; Variables Not Significantly Associated With the Risk of Failure Were Excluded From the Model

Variable	Patients (n)	Failures (n)	Hazard ratio	95% Confidence interval	P-Value
Previous DVT					
No	267	36	ref		
Yes	24	8	2,953	1,33–6,53	0,008
Catheter size					
5F	218	37	ref		
4F	73	7	0,439	0,19–1,00	0,05
Type of CT					
Other	158	17	ref		
EC/taxane/carboplatin	112	21	0,951	0,46–1,97	0,04
5FU/oxaliplatin/bevacizumab	21	6	3,112	1,17–8,26	
Reason for PICC implant					
CT + palliative treatments	63	5	ref		
CT	153	33	3,653	1,29–10,34	0,003
CT + TPN	75	6	0,841	0,24–2,85	

CT, chemotherapy; F, French; DVT, deep venous thrombosis; GI, gastrointestinal; EC, epirubicin and cyclophosphamide; 5FU, 5-fluorouracil; TPN, total parenteral nutrition.

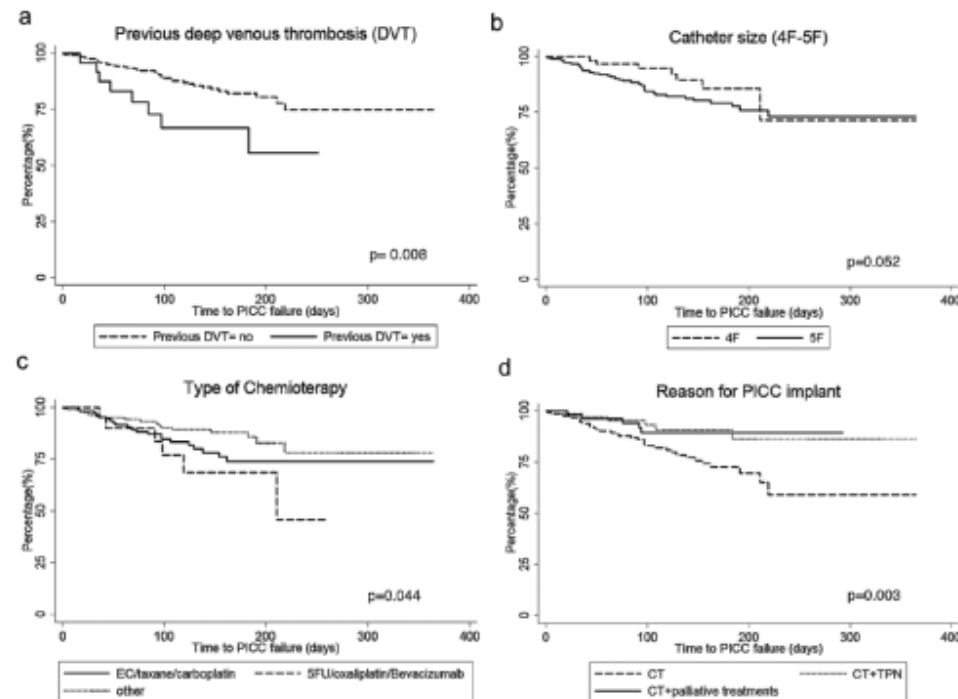


Fig. 2. Kaplan-Meier PICC survival estimates for risk factors statistically significant for failure: previous DVT (a), Catheter size (F, French) (b), type of chemotherapy (E, epirubicin; C, cyclophosphamide) (c), and reason for PICC implant (CT, Chemotherapy; TPN, total parenteral nutrition) (d). Catheter size variable was borderline significant ($P = 0.052$).

Catheter-Related Complications in Cancer Patients on Home Parenteral Nutrition: A Prospective Study of Over 51,000 Catheter Days

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Table 2. Characteristics of Venous Access Devices (VADs)

	Medium-term VADs		Long-term VADs		Total
	PICC	Hohn	Tunneled	Port	
No. (%) of VADs	65 (22)	107 (37)	45 (16)	72 (25)	289 (100)
Duration, d, median (range)	158 ^a (15-657)	73 (7-368)	125 ^b (9-663)	254 ^c (38-731)	120 (7-731)
Duration >90 d, No. (%)	40 (62)	40 (37)	30 (67)	67 (93)	177 (61)
Total catheter-days	11,504	10,364	7835	21,605	51,308
HPN-days	8413	7710	5150	8834	30,107



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Table 3. Infectious Complications

	Medium-term VADs		Long-term VADs		
	PICC	Hohn	Tunneled	Port	Total
No. of VADs	65	107	45	72	289
Local infection, No.	2	2	2	3	9
No./1000 catheter-days	0.17	0.19	0.26	0.14	0.17
No./1000 HPN-days	0.24	0.26	0.39	0.34	0.30
CRBSI, No.	0 ^a	9	5	4 ^{b,c}	18
No./1000 catheter-days	0	0.87	0.64	0.19	0.35
No./1000 HPN-days	0	1.17	0.97	0.45	0.60
Risk factors for CRBSI, <i>P</i> value					
Use during HPN	—	<.001	<.001	<.001	

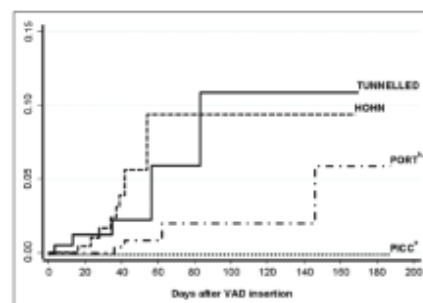


Figure 1. Probability of a catheter-related bloodstream infection after insertion of different types of a central venous access device (VAD). PICC, peripherally inserted central catheter.

^a*P* < .001 vs Hohn and tunneled.

^b*P* < .002 vs Hohn.

^c*P* < .04 vs tunneled.

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Table 5. Noninfectious Complications

	Medium-term VADs		Long-term VADs		
	PICC	Hohn	Tunneled	Port	Total
No. of VADs	65	107	45	72	289
Venous thrombosis, No. (%)	0	3 (2.8)	0	0 ^a	3 (1)
Mechanical complications					
Catheter dislocation, No. (%)	5 ^a (7.7)	16 (15)	4 ^b (8.9)	—	25 (8.6)
Rupture of external tract, No. (%)	2 (3.1)	0	2 (4.4)	—	4 (1.4)
Lumen occlusion, No. (%)	2 (3.1)	3 (2.8)	0	7 (9.7)	12 (4.1)
Total	9 ^b (13.9)	19 (17.8)	6 (13.3)	7 ^c (9.7)	41 (14.1)
No./1000 catheter-days	0.78	1.83	0.77	0.32	0.80
No./1000 HPN-days	1.07	2.46	1.16	0.79	1.36
Risk factors for thrombosis, <i>P</i> value					
Use during HPN	<.01	<.01	<.01	<.01	
No ultrasound guidance	—	<.001	—	—	
Left side insertion	—	<.001	—	—	
Risk factors for dislocation, <i>P</i> value					
Use during HPN	<.01	<.01	<.01	<.01	
Suture	—	<.001	NS	—	
Cuff <2 cm from exit site	—	—	<.01	—	

HPN, home parenteral nutrition; NS, not significant; PICC, peripherally inserted central catheter; VAD, venous access device; —, not applicable.

^a*P* < .01 vs Hohn.

^b*P* < .05 vs Hohn.

^c*P* < .001 vs Hohn.

Totally implantable venous access port systems and risk factors for complications: A one-year prospective study in a cancer centre

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Table 1

Complications during TIVAPS use.

Complication	No. of patients N = 815
<i>External complications</i>	111
Inflammation	28
Local haematoma	26
Local skin disorders	23
Pain	19
Port exteriorisation	15
<i>Internal complications</i>	97
Documented infection	44
Extravasation	15
Mechanical problems	13
Port obstruction	11
Venous thrombotic syndrome	7
Catheter migration	7
<i>Complications prompting premature TIVAPS removal</i>	55
Documented infections related to TIVAPS	19
Port expulsion	14
Catheter migration	6
Venous thrombotic syndrome	5
Mechanical problems	3
Skin disorders	2
Pain syndrome	2
Extravasation	2
Infection not related to TIVAPS	1
Inflammatory syndrome	1

F. Narducci et al. / EJSO xx (2011) 1–6

13,6%

11,9%

6,7%

Infectious Complications

Table 3
Summary of Catheter Complications by Device Type

Complication	PICC*	Tunneled Central Catheter*	Chest Port*	Midline*	Nontunneled Central Catheter*	P Value [‡]	Total*
Infection							
Systemic	117 (0.11)	262 (0.34)	108 (0.16)	14 (0.09)	40 (0.22)	<.01	541 (0.19)
Local	258 (0.25)	272 (0.36)	100 (0.14)	34 (0.21)	64 (0.35)	<.01	728 (0.26)

Note.—* Number of complications (event rate per 1000 catheter days). † Other types of catheter dysfunction were not analyzed (NA). ‡ Comparison of rates for each complication among the different types of devices using χ^2 test.

Central Venous Catheters in Home Infusion Care: Outcomes Analysis in 50,470 Patients

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Thrombotic Complications

Table 4
Catheter Dysfunction: Reported Causes

Event	PICC	Tunneled Central Catheter	Chest Port	Midline	Nontunneled Central Catheter	Total Events
Thrombosis	411 (29)	43 (20)	43 (28)	136 (29)	14 (17)	647 (28)
Infiltration/extravasation	25 (2)	7 (3)	13 (9)	39 (8)	1 (1)	85 (4)
Inability to maintain access	24 (2)	3 (1)	3 (2)	2 (1)	5 (6)	37 (1)
Catheter breakage/damage	381 (27)	67 (30)	16 (10)	89 (19)	12 (14)	565 (24)
Catheter pulled/fell out	259 (18)	63 (29)	15 (10)	115 (24)	34 (40)	486 (21)
Other/unknown	313 (22)	38 (17)	62 (41)	87 (19)	19 (22)	519 (22)
Total	1413 (100)	221 (100)	152 (100)	468 (100)	85 (100)	2339 (100)

Note.—Numbers in parentheses are percentages.

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Own datas

Except large multicenter studies properly conducted, these studies represent only the states of singular place, leading a local practice to a particular moment; they can only show the objectives towards which we should aim.

General practice:

- indications
- materials
- Maintenance (fixation, dressings, flushing, hygiene)
- Experience



We need datas...

In our own hospitals...

Ressources available for devices'
implantation and care.
Technical staff expertise



Costs

Placement

Port a cath more expensive

Care

Lines with external hub: more expensive



Patient: Preference and way of life



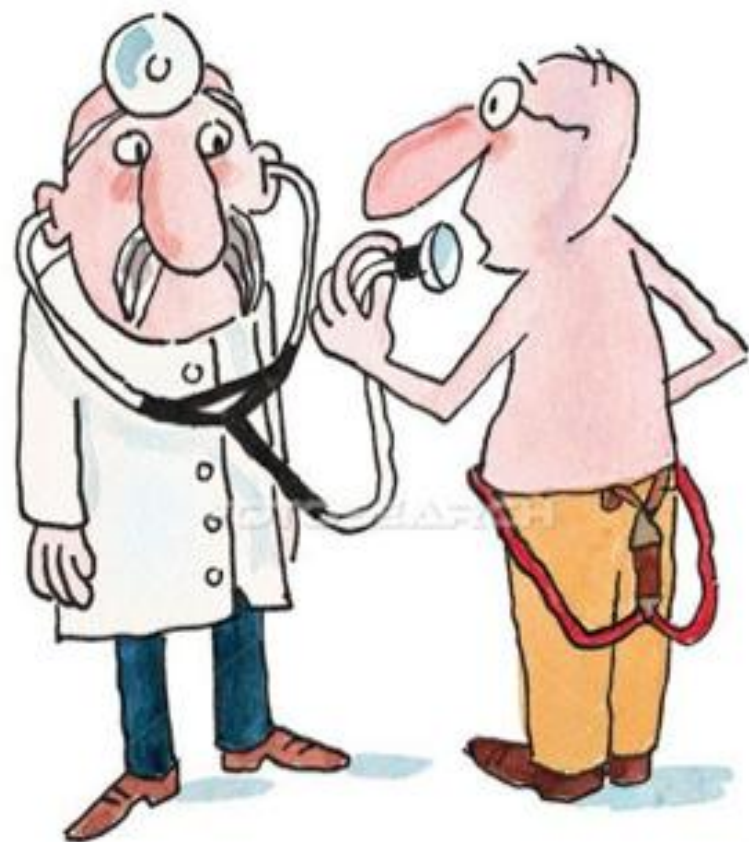






All, we are patient, Doctor!





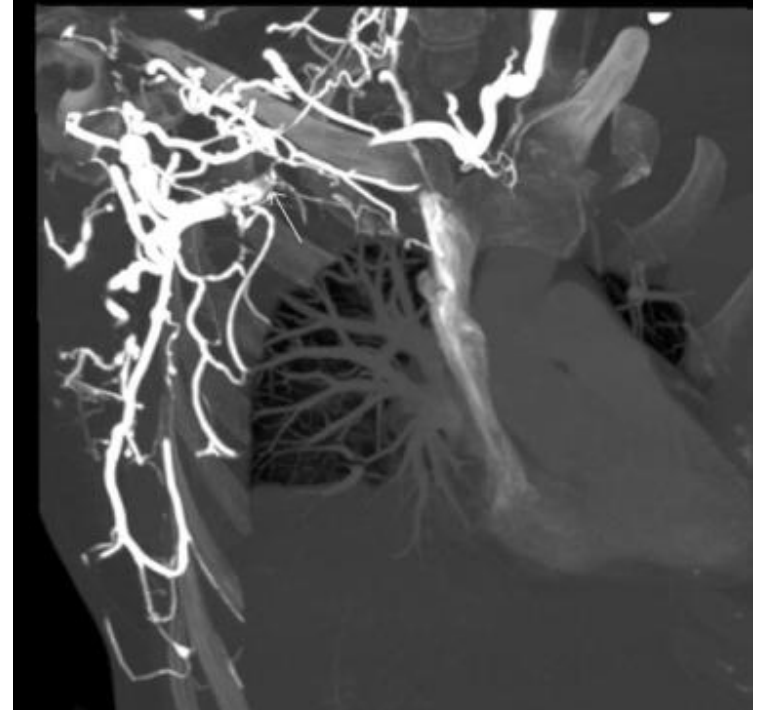
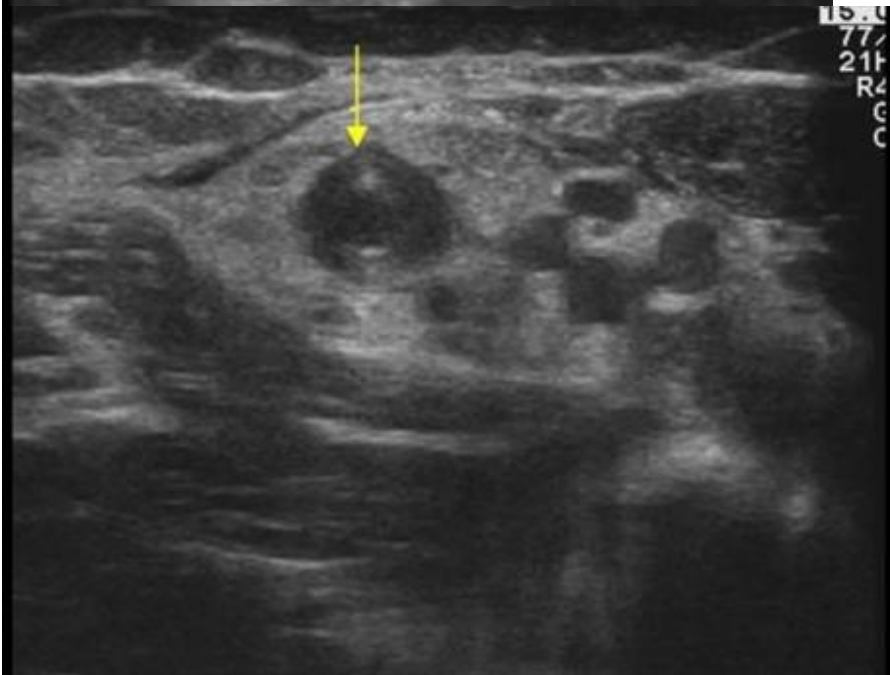
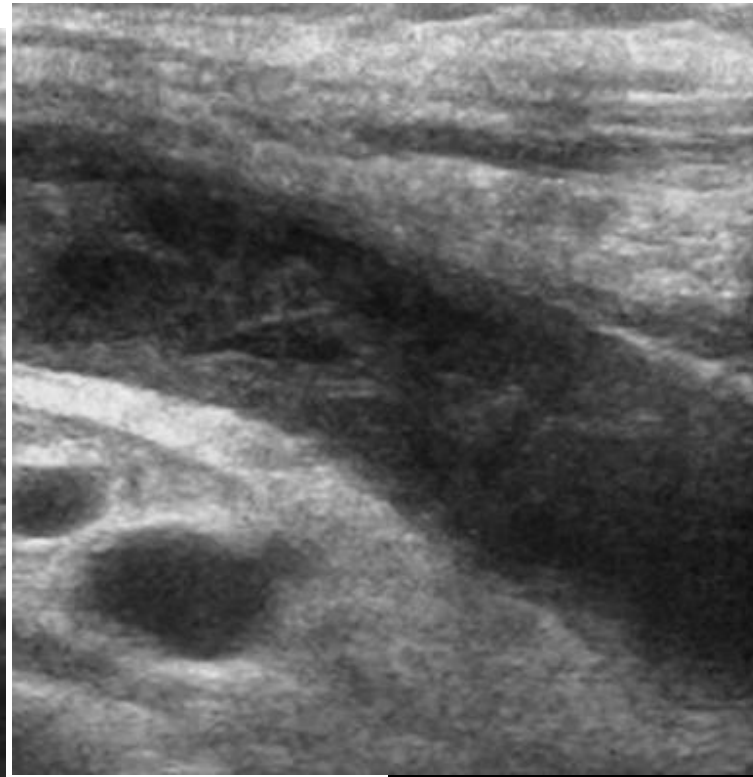


Undissociated with the co-morbidity



undissociated its pathology...









Hospital status



In the real life...

- Patients and physicians want:



What we know?

• TIVAD

- Good performing device
- Totally implantable
- Invasive/Expensive insertion
- Invasive withdrawal
- Residual skin scar
- No Maintenance
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 - Swim and bath
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PICC

- Good performing device
- Partially implantable
- Easy and low cost insertion
- Easy withdrawal
- No skin scar
- Weekly maintenance
- More Physical limitations
 - No swim, No bath except special equipments
- Low infection rates
- Somehow higher DVT rates
- Somehow higher mechanical complications
- No extravasation

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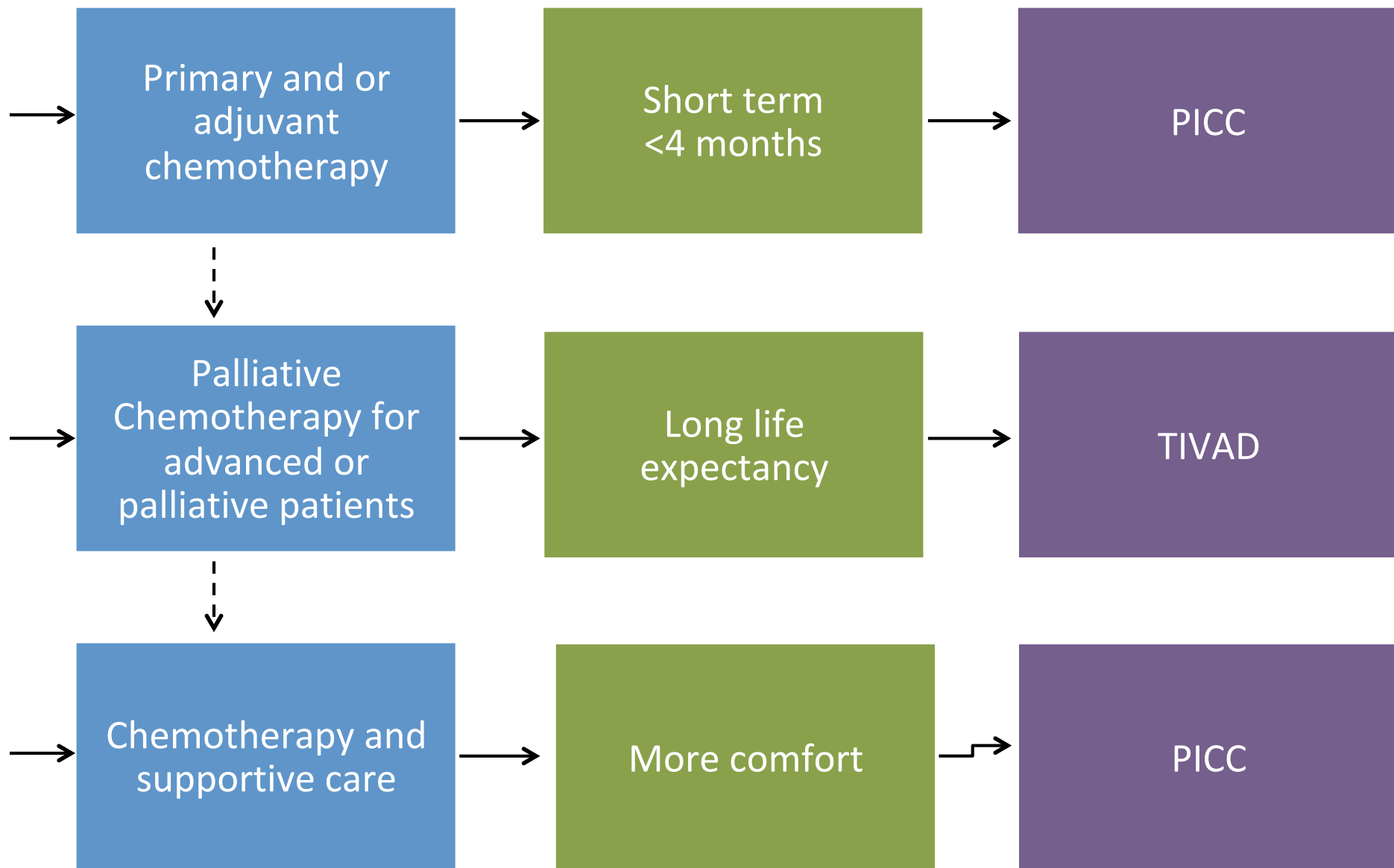
Difficult and daily questions

- Which performing and safe central vascular device for primary or adjuvant CT of solid tumours ?

For breast cancer ?

For testicle cancer ?

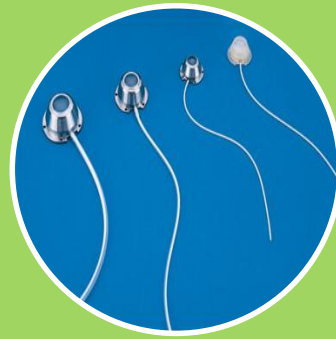
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Which vascular access for cancer patients ?



Primary and or
adjuvant
chemotherapy



Palliative
Chemotherapy for
advanced or
palliative,
metastatic
patients



Chemotherapy
and supportive
care

Depend of the step, the evolutivity, the expected duration, the regimen...

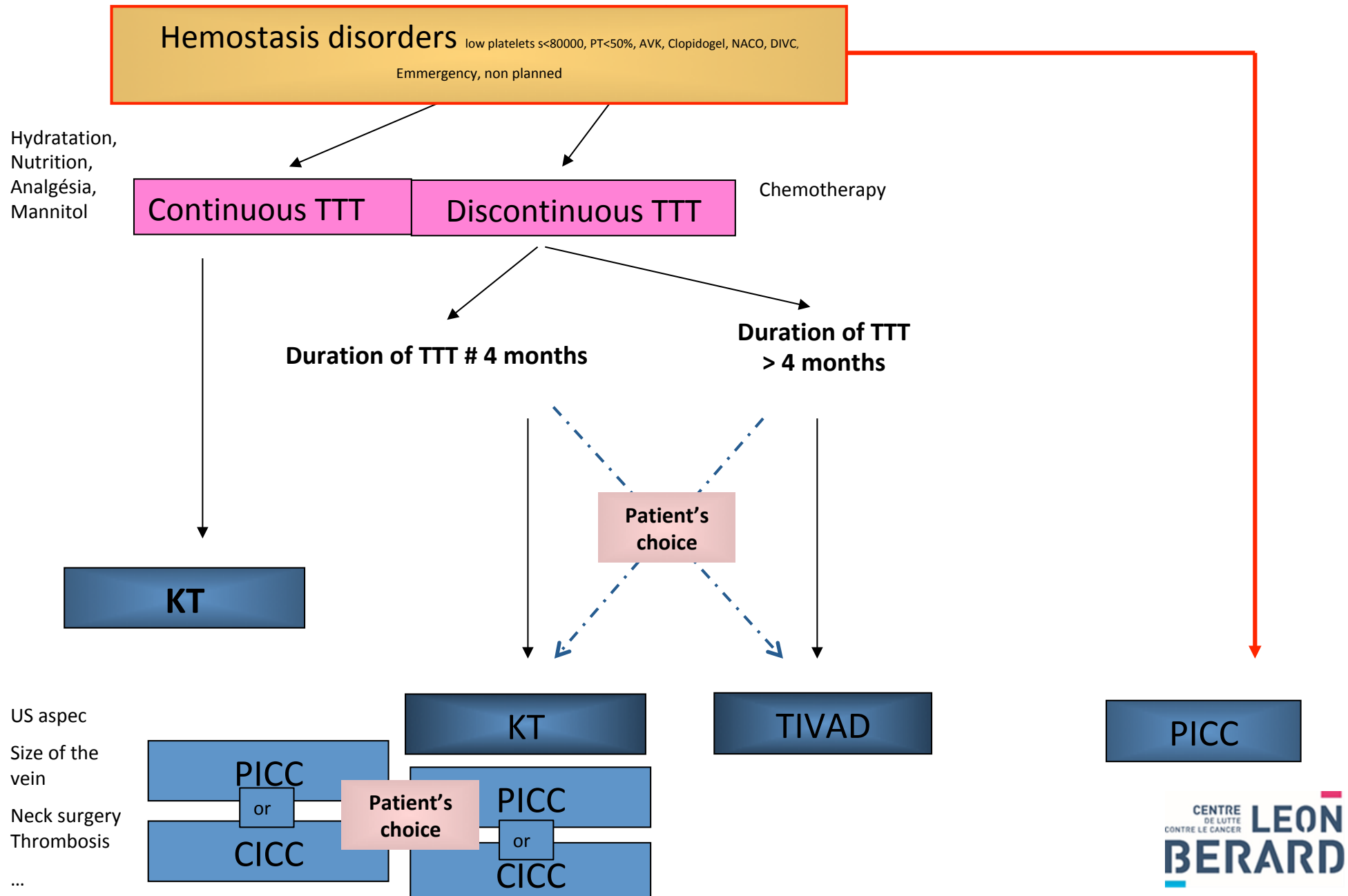
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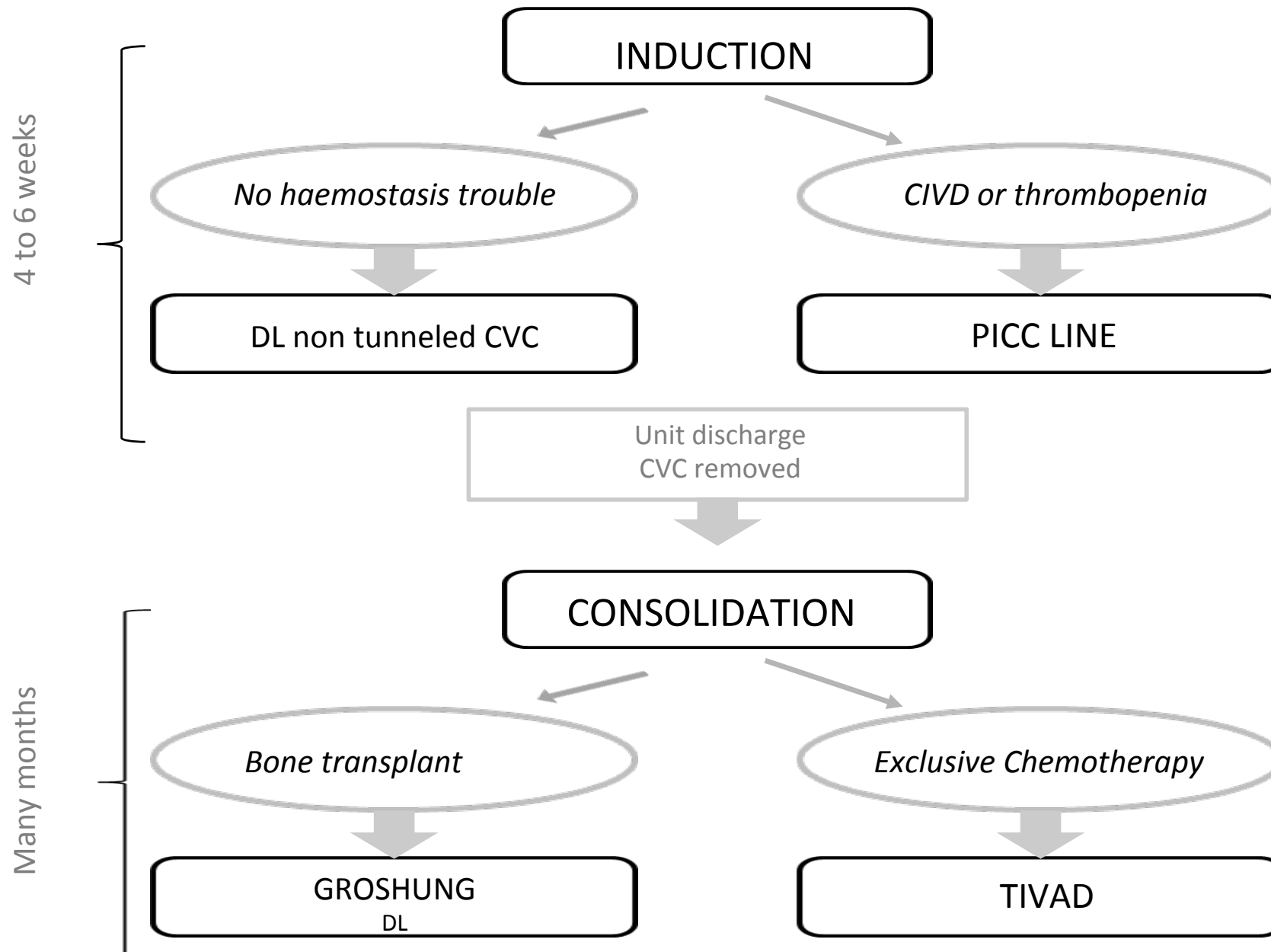
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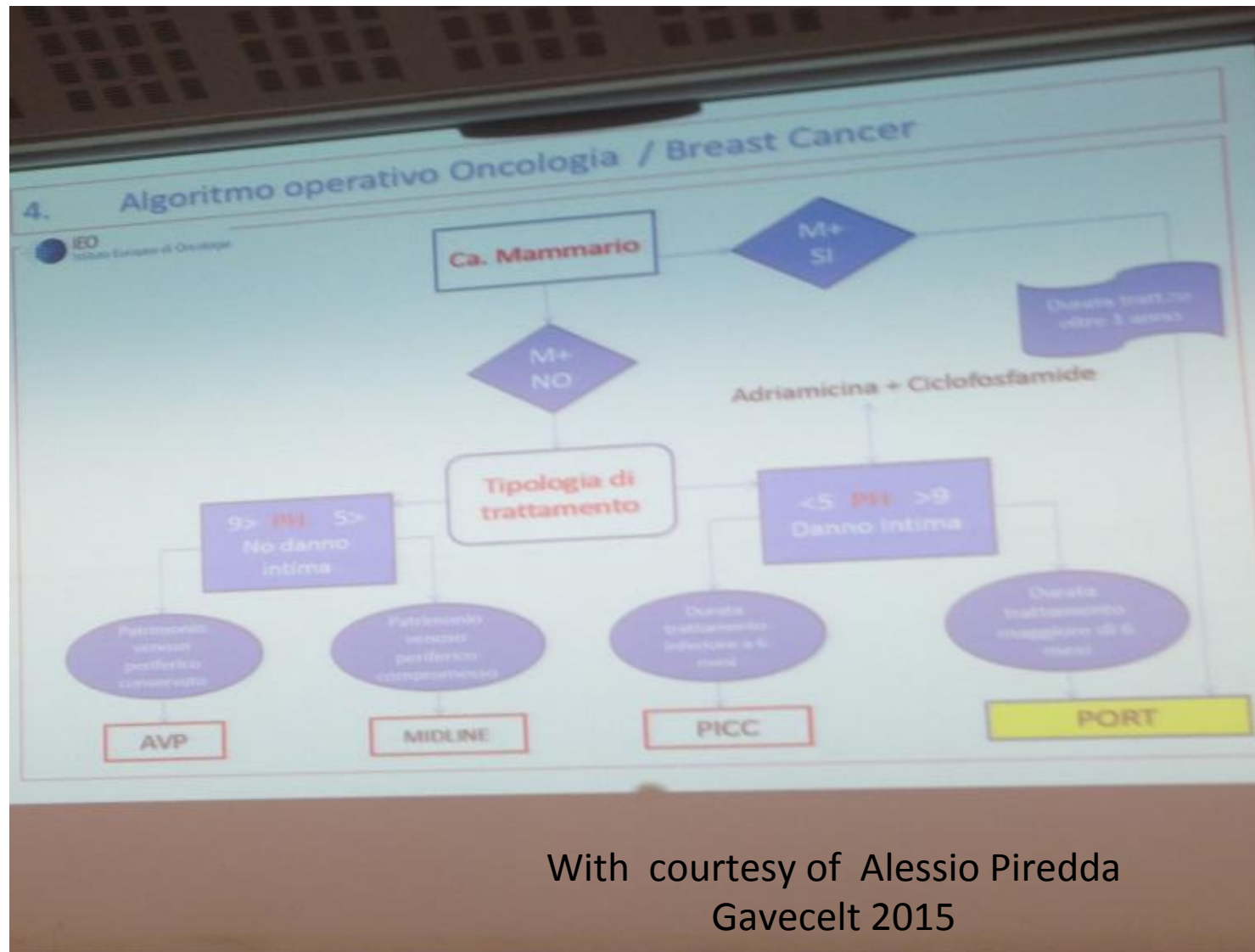


Decision tree for central venous access

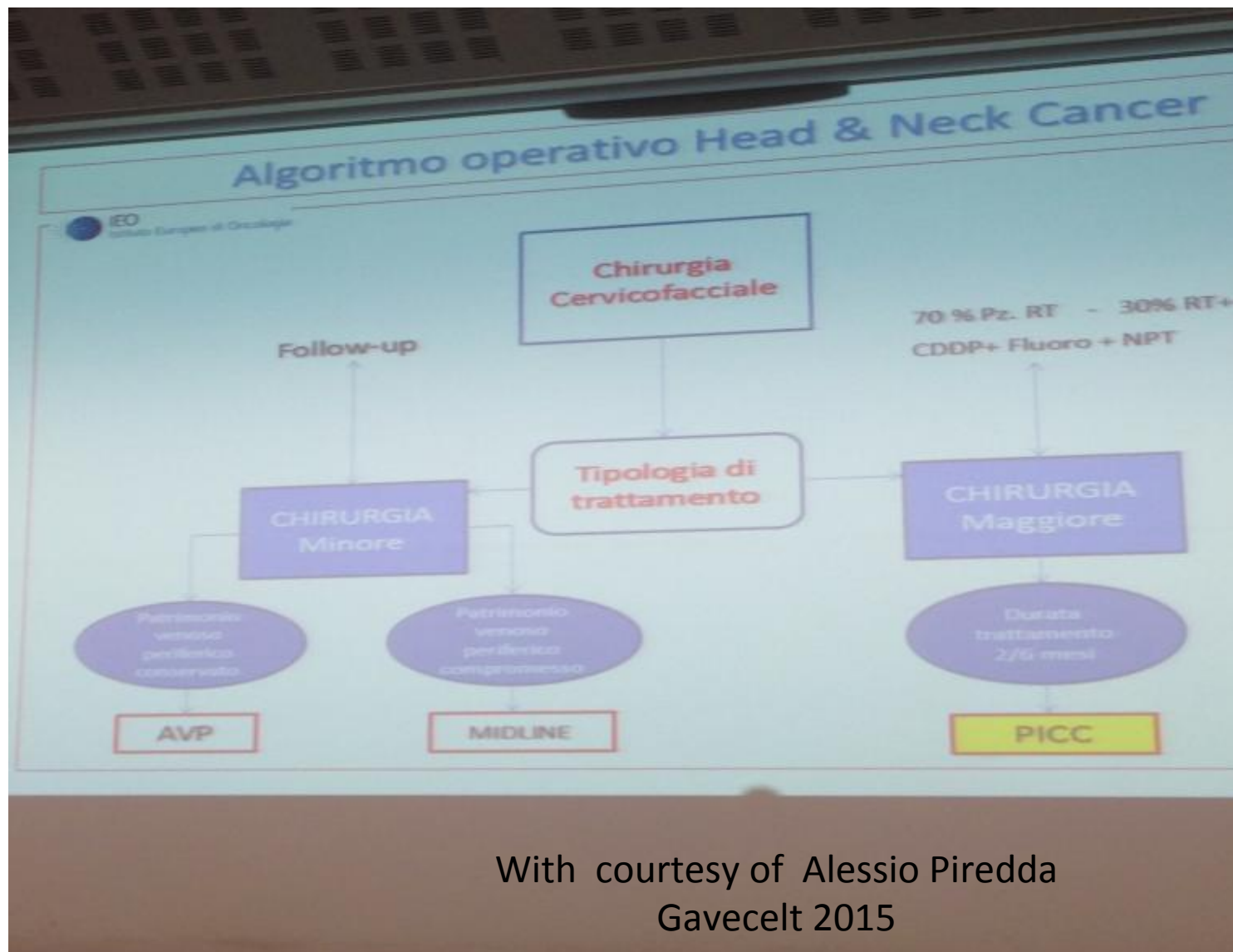


Decisional Algorithm for the choice in hematology with acute myloid leukemia patients eligible to a intensive treatment





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Cancer Treatments' evolutions

**BREAST CANCER ADJUVANT
TREATMENT**



**Subcutaneous TRANSTUZUMAB
reduces length I.V. adjuvant CT**

LUNG CANCER



**Increased efficacy of oral Therapy
For NSCLC**
- Molecular Target Therapy
- EGFR/ALK inhibitors

LARGE BOWEL CANCER



- Increased use of oral 5FU
- Ostomy increase risk for infection

Take home message



INS (2016) Standards for Infusion Therapy

VAD Planning (Device Choice)

“The appropriate type of VAD is selected to accommodate the patient’s vascular access needs based on:

- the prescribed therapy or treatment regimen;
- anticipated duration of therapy;
- vascular characteristics;
- and patient’s age, comorbidities, history of infusion therapy, preference for VAD location,
- and ability and resources available to care for the device”

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Patient centered

ASCO GUIDELINES
Clinical Tools and Resources

Central Venous Catheter (CVC) Care
for the Patient with Cancer

Clinical Practice Guideline

ASCO GUIDELINES
Clinical Tools and Resources



- Device choice should be patient centered
- Requires the input of a multi disciplinary team
- Should ensure the prevention of damage

Life hangs by a thread



In oncology, this thread is frequently a CVA



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