



ELEANOR: a multi-national, prospective, non-interventional study (NIS) in patients with human epidermal growth factor receptor (HER2) positive, early breast cancer (eBC) observing real-life extended adjuvant treatment with neratinib and concurrent use of the eHealth solution CANKADO

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BACKGROUND

- The aim of (post-)/(neo)adjuvant chemotherapy and HER2-targeted therapy in HER2+ eBC is to prevent locoregional recurrences and development of distant metastases.
- HER2+ eBC is a heterogeneous disease^{1,2}. Despite significant improvements of long-term clinical outcomes³⁻⁵, (late) recurrences are still frequently observed with longer follow-up: up to 30% of patients are at risk of disease recurrence after 10 years⁴, with distant metastases being predominant (ca. 18% after 11 years⁴).
- The subgroup of HER2+/hormone receptor-positive (HR+) patients has a specific risk profile with a higher risk for late recurrences (>5 years after diagnosis)^{7,8}.
- Neratinib is an irreversible pan-HER tyrosine kinase inhibitor registered in Europe as extended adjuvant treatment for patients with HR+, HER2+ eBC who completed adjuvant trastuzumab-based therapy less than one year ago („EMA-/Swissmedic-label“ population)⁹.
- By switching the mode of action from extracellular monoclonal antibodies in the adjuvant setting to an intracellular TKI, extended adjuvant neratinib can further reduce recurrence risk: a significant 42% relative risk reduction was demonstrated for neratinib vs. placebo in the ExteNET study (EMA-/Swissmedic-label population; HR 0.58, 95% CI 0.41-0.82)¹⁰.
- According to explorative (post-hoc) analyses from ExteNET, the effect might be even more pronounced in patients with non-pCR after neoadjuvant trastuzumab treatment and/or in patients with completion of neratinib therapy (i.e. ≥11 months of neratinib treatment).¹⁰⁻¹²
- Diarrhea, a HER-TKI class effect, was the most common grade 3 adverse event in the absence of primary diarrhea prophylaxis (EMA-/Swissmedic-label population, neratinib arm: 39% grade 3 diarrhea, median cumulative duration 5 days; placebo: 1%; no grade 4 events)¹⁰. Diarrhea can generally be managed through adequate prophylaxis and treatment management¹³.

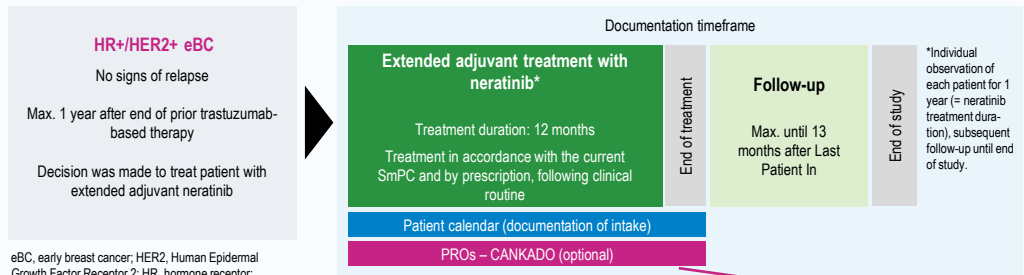
RATIONALE

- So far, there is no data available on neratinib treatment of patients with HER2+ / HR+ eBC patients who completed adjuvant trastuzumab-based therapy less than one year ago, in the clinical routine setting.
- ExteNET patients were pre-treated with trastuzumab only. ELEANOR will include patients with different pre-treatments, representing modern treatment algorithms.
- Neratinib is an oral drug, providing the advantage of flexibility and patient autonomy, but also bearing the risk of non-adherence.
- ELEANOR will investigate patient adherence to neratinib, real-world use of neratinib in a modern therapy landscape and treatment management including neratinib dosing and concomitant medication.

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Figure 1. STUDY DESIGN



eBC, early breast cancer; HER2, Human Epidermal Growth Factor Receptor 2; HR, hormone receptor; PROs, Patient-reported outcomes; SmPC, Summary of Product Characteristics

CANKADO

- Web- or app-based, multilingual online patient support system for patients with chronic diseases
- Developed to support patient/physician communication
- Registered as medical device in the EU
- Customized and adapted for ELEANOR, may be used optionally
- Automatic PRO-reports (questionnaires, health status, etc.) can be generated to facilitate visit preparation

One or more CANKADO modules can be used (optional):

QoL documentation*:

- EQ-5D-5L questionnaire
- Systemic Therapy-induced Diarrhea Assessment Tool (STIDAT)
- Patient's treatment satisfaction

Additional documentation may include:

- Digital patient diary
- Daily health status → triggered recommendations ("PRO-React", see Figure 3)

*If CANKADO is not used, PROs are evaluated using paper-based questionnaires

PATIENT PROFILE

- Adult, female patients with early breast cancer stage I-III
- Hormone receptor positive and HER2-positive
- < 1 year after end of previous trastuzumab-based therapy
- Decision to treat patient with extended adjuvant neratinib has been made; neratinib treatment has not started yet
- Neratinib treatment is planned according to approval and Summary of Product Characteristics (SmPC), no contraindications according to SmPC present
- No signs of relapse
- No simultaneous participation in an interventional clinical trial

For full in- and exclusion criteria, please refer to the observational plan. Patient documentation may only start after written informed consent.

STUDY OBJECTIVES

Primary Objective

Patient treatment adherence: Rate of patients who take neratinib on at least 75% of the prescribed days, with the intake documented in a patient calendar

Secondary Objectives

- Patient and disease characteristics, including patients with different previous treatments
- Neratinib treatment: Dosages and dose modifications including reasons, concomitant medication
- Optional: PROs, quality of life, treatment satisfaction; optional use of CANKADO
- Safety and tolerability
- Disease recurrence

Figure 2. STATUS of PATIENT ENROLLMENT

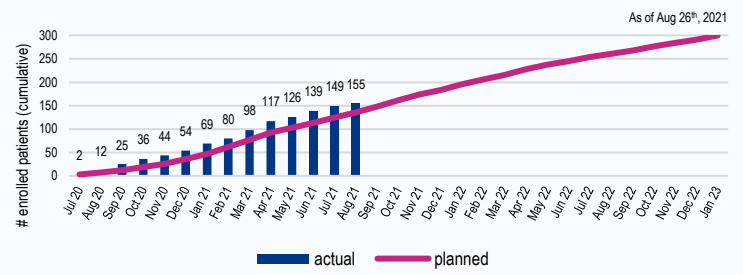


Figure 3. PRO-REACT (schematic)

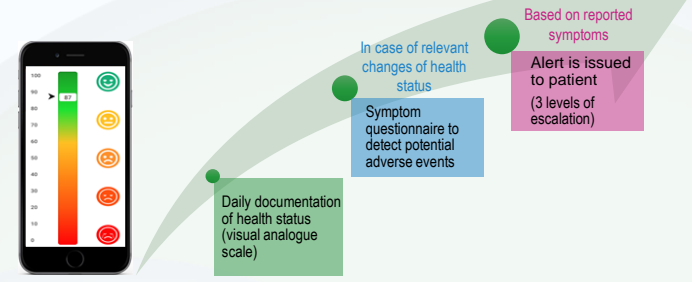


Table 1. SETTING AND MILESTONES

Study Size	
Planned total number of patients	300
Planned total number of active centers (Germany / Austria / Switzerland)	ca. 75 / 5-10 / 5-10
Milestones	
First Patient In actual	2nd July 2020
Last Patient In / End of Study planned	Q1 2023 / Q1 2024
Final Analysis planned (13 months after inclusion of last patient)	Q2 2024

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