

Gynecologic Oncology™

U P D A T E

Conversations with Oncology Investigators
Bridging the Gap between Research and Patient Care

FACULTY INTERVIEWS

Ursula A Matulonis, MD
Kathleen Moore, MD

EDITOR

Neil Love, MD



Gynecologic Oncology Update

A Continuing Medical Education Audio Series

OVERVIEW OF ACTIVITY

Gynecologic cancers comprise 5 primary cancers affecting the ovaries, uterine corpus (endometrial cancer), uterine cervix (cervical cancer), vulva and vagina. In 2016, it is anticipated that approximately 105,890 new cases of gynecologic cancer will be documented in the United States and 30,890 individuals will succumb to these diseases. Patient outcomes are critically dependent upon effective multidisciplinary care, which often includes contributions from gynecologic, medical and radiation oncologists in addition to pathologists, diagnostic radiologists, oncology nurses and psychosocial services. Interestingly, despite many commonalities, each of these diseases is quite distinct, and management algorithms employed are varied. To bridge the gap between research and patient care, *Gynecologic Oncology Update* uses one-on-one discussion with leading investigators in these fields. By providing access to the latest scientific developments and the perspectives of experts, this CME activity assists practicing clinicians with the formulation of up-to-date management strategies.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Employ current clinical guidelines and available data in the selection of treatment options for patients with commonly diagnosed gynecologic cancers.
- Consider clinical investigator perspectives regarding the indications for BRCA mutation testing, and use this information to appropriately select patients with ovarian cancer (OC) for this analysis.
- Develop an evidence-based algorithm for the initial and long-term treatment of advanced OC considering the role of the recently approved anti-VEGF antibody bevacizumab.
- Appreciate the recent approval of olaparib for patients with highly refractory advanced OC, and integrate this agent into the clinical care of appropriate individuals.
- Develop an understanding of the emerging efficacy data and toxicity profiles of investigational agents in OC to effectively prioritize clinical trial opportunities for appropriate patients.
- Implement a long-term clinical plan for the management of metastatic cervical cancer, incorporating existing, recently approved and investigational targeted treatments.

ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

Research To Practice is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

CREDIT DESIGNATION STATEMENT

Research To Practice designates this enduring material for a maximum of 1.5 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

AMERICAN BOARD OF INTERNAL MEDICINE (ABIM) — MAINTENANCE OF CERTIFICATION (MOC)

Successful completion of this CME activity enables the participant to earn up to 1.5 MOC points in the American Board of Internal Medicine's (ABIM) Maintenance of Certification (MOC) program. Participants will earn MOC points equivalent to the amount of CME credits claimed for the activity. It is the CME activity provider's responsibility to submit participant completion information to ACCME for the purpose of granting ABIM MOC credit.

Please note, this program has been specifically designed for the following ABIM specialty: **medical oncology**.

Personal information and data sharing: Research To Practice aggregates deidentified user data for program-use analysis, program development, activity planning and site improvement. We may provide *aggregate* and *deidentified* data to third parties, including commercial supporters. **We do not share or sell personally identifiable information to any unaffiliated third parties or commercial supporters. Please see our privacy policy at [ResearchToPractice.com/Privacy-Policy](https://www.researchtopractice.com/privacy-policy) for more information.**

HOW TO USE THIS CME ACTIVITY

This CME activity contains an audio component. To receive credit, the participant should review the CME information, listen to the CD, complete the Post-test with a score of 80% or better and fill out the Educational Assessment and Credit Form located in the back of this booklet or on our website at [ResearchToPractice.com/GOU215/CME](https://www.researchtopractice.com/GOU215/CME). A complete list of supporting references may also be accessed at [ResearchToPractice.com/GOU215](https://www.researchtopractice.com/GOU215).

This activity is supported by educational grants from AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals LP, Genentech BioOncology, ImmunoGen Inc and Myriad Genetic Laboratories Inc.

CME INFORMATION

FACULTY



Ursula A Matulonis, MD

Medical Director and Program Leader
Gynecologic Oncology Program
Associate Professor of Medicine
Harvard Medical School
Dana-Farber Cancer Institute
Boston, Massachusetts



Kathleen Moore, MD

Jim and Christy Everest
Endowed Chair in
Cancer Research
Director, Oklahoma TSET
Phase I Program
Stephenson Cancer Center
Associate Professor, Section
of Gynecologic Oncology
Director, Gynecologic Oncology
Fellowship
Department of Obstetrics
and Gynecology
University of Oklahoma
Health Sciences Center
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

EDITOR



Neil Love, MD

Research To Practice
Miami, Florida

CONTENT VALIDATION AND DISCLOSURES

Research To Practice (RTP) is committed to providing its participants with high-quality, unbiased and state-of-the-art education. We assess conflicts of interest with faculty, planners and managers of CME activities. Conflicts of interest are identified and resolved through a conflict of interest resolution process. In addition, all activity content is reviewed by both a member of the RTP scientific staff and an external, independent physician reviewer for fair balance, scientific objectivity of studies referenced and patient care recommendations.

FACULTY — The following faculty (and their spouses/partners) reported relevant conflicts of interest, which have been resolved through a conflict of interest resolution process: **Dr Matulonis** — Advisory Committee: Momenta Pharmaceuticals Inc; Speakers Bureau: AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals LP; Unpaid Consultant: AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals LP. **Dr Moore** — Advisory Committee: Advaxis Inc, Amgen Inc, AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals LP, Boehringer Ingelheim Pharmaceuticals Inc, Genentech BioOncology, Pfizer Inc, Roche Laboratories Inc.

EDITOR — Dr Love is president and CEO of Research To Practice, which receives funds in the form of educational grants to develop CME activities from the following commercial interests: AbbVie Inc, Amgen Inc, Astellas Pharma Global Development Inc, AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals LP, Baxalta Inc, Bayer HealthCare Pharmaceuticals, Biodesix Inc, bioTheranostics Inc, Boehringer Ingelheim Pharmaceuticals Inc, Boston Biomedical Pharma Inc, Bristol-Myers Squibb Company, Celgene Corporation, Clovis Oncology, CTI BioPharma Corp, Daiichi Sankyo Inc, Dendreon Pharmaceuticals Inc, Eisai Inc, Exelixis Inc, Foundation Medicine, Genentech BioOncology, Genomic Health Inc, Gilead Sciences Inc, ImmunoGen Inc, Incyte Corporation, Janssen Biotech Inc, Jazz Pharmaceuticals Inc, Lilly, Medivation Inc, Merck, Merrimack Pharmaceuticals Inc, Myriad Genetic Laboratories Inc, NanoString Technologies, Natera Inc, Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation, Novocure, Onyx Pharmaceuticals, an Amgen subsidiary, Pharmacyclics LLC, an AbbVie Company, Prometheus Laboratories Inc, Regeneron Pharmaceuticals, Sanofi, Seattle Genetics, Sigma-Tau Pharmaceuticals Inc, Sirtex Medical Ltd, Spectrum Pharmaceuticals Inc, Taiho Oncology Inc, Takeda Oncology, Teva Oncology, Tokai Pharmaceuticals Inc and VisionGate Inc.

RESEARCH TO PRACTICE STAFF AND EXTERNAL REVIEWERS — The scientific staff and reviewers for Research To Practice have no relevant conflicts of interest to disclose.

This educational activity contains discussion of published and/or investigational uses of agents that are not indicated by the Food and Drug Administration. Research To Practice does not recommend the use of any agent outside of the labeled indications. Please refer to the official prescribing information for each product for discussion of approved indications, contraindications and warnings. The opinions expressed are those of the presenters and are not to be construed as those of the publisher or grantors.

If you would like to discontinue your complimentary subscription to *Gynecologic Oncology Update*, please email us at Info@ResearchToPractice.com, call us at (800) 648-8654 or fax us at (305) 377-9998. Please include your full name and address, and we will remove you from the mailing list.

SELECT PUBLICATIONS

A randomized phase II/III study of the combination of cediranib and olaparib compared to cediranib or olaparib alone, or standard of care chemotherapy in women with recurrent platinum-resistant or -refractory ovarian, fallopian tube, or primary peritoneal cancer (COCOS). [NCT02502266](#)

Armstrong DK et al. **Intraperitoneal cisplatin and paclitaxel in ovarian cancer.** *N Engl J Med* 2006;354(1):34-43.

Burger RA et al. **Incorporation of bevacizumab in the primary treatment of ovarian cancer.** *N Engl J Med* 2011;365(26):2473-83.

Burger RA et al. **Phase III trial of bevacizumab (BEV) in the primary treatment of advanced epithelial ovarian cancer (EOC), primary peritoneal cancer (PPC), or fallopian tube cancer (FTC): A Gynecologic Oncology Group study.** *Proc ASCO* 2010;[Abstract LBA1](#).

Disis ML et al. **Avelumab (MSB0010718C), an anti-PD-L1 antibody, in patients with previously treated, recurrent or refractory ovarian cancer: A phase Ib, open-label expansion trial.** *Proc ASCO* 2015;[Abstract 5509](#).

Domchek SM et al. **Efficacy and safety of olaparib monotherapy in germline BRCA1/2 mutation carriers with advanced ovarian cancer and three or more lines of prior therapy.** *Gynecol Oncol* 2016;140(2):199-203.

Eccles DM et al. **BRCA1 and BRCA2 genetic testing — Pitfalls and recommendations for managing variants of uncertain clinical significance.** *Ann Oncol* 2015;26(10):2057-65.

GOG-9923: Carboplatin, paclitaxel, bevacizumab, and veliparib in treating patients with newly diagnosed stage II-IV ovarian epithelial, fallopian tube, or primary peritoneal cancer. [NCT00989651](#)

Gunderson CC, Moore KN. **BRACAnalysis CDx as a companion diagnostic tool for Lynparza.** *Expert Rev Mol Diagn* 2015;15(9):1111-6.

Herzog TJ et al. **A state by state analysis of BRCA1 and BRCA2 testing in patients with ovarian cancer.** *Proc SGO* 2015;[Abstract 443](#).

Kaufman B et al. **Olaparib monotherapy in patients with advanced cancer and a germline BRCA1/2 mutation.** *J Clin Oncol* 2015;33(3):244-50.

Ledermann J et al. **Olaparib maintenance therapy in patients with platinum-sensitive relapsed serous ovarian cancer: A preplanned retrospective analysis of outcomes by BRCA status in a randomized phase 2 trial.** *Lancet Oncol* 2014;15(8):852-61.

Ledermann J et al. **Olaparib maintenance therapy in platinum-sensitive relapsed ovarian cancer.** *N Engl J Med* 2012;366(15):1382-92.

Lheureux S et al. **Genomic characterization of long-term responders to olaparib.** *Proc ASCO* 2015;[Abstract 5566](#).

Liu JF, Matulonis UA. **Bevacizumab in newly diagnosed ovarian cancer.** *Lancet Oncol* 2015;[Epub ahead of print].

Liu JF et al. **Combination cediranib and olaparib versus olaparib alone for women with recurrent platinum-sensitive ovarian cancer: A randomised phase 2 study.** *Lancet Oncol* 2014;15(11):1207-14.

Matulonis U et al. **Frequency, severity and timing of common adverse events (AEs) with maintenance olaparib in patients (pts) with platinum-sensitive relapsed serous ovarian cancer (PSR SOC).** *Proc ASCO* 2015;[Abstract 5550](#).

Matulonis UA et al. **Olaparib maintenance therapy in patients with platinum-sensitive relapsed serous ovarian cancer and a BRCA mutation: Overall survival adjusted for post-progression PARP inhibitor therapy.** *Proc SGO* 2015;[Abstract 13](#).

Moore KN et al. **Preliminary single agent activity of IMGN853, a folate receptor alpha (FR α)-targeting antibody-drug conjugate (ADC), in platinum-resistant epithelial ovarian cancer (EOC) patients (pts): Phase I trial.** *Proc ASCO* 2015;[Abstract 5518](#).

Niraparib and/or niraparib-bevacizumab combination against bevacizumab alone in HRD platinum sensitive ovarian cancer (AVANOVA). [NCT02354131](#)

Olaparib maintenance monotherapy in patients with BRCA mutated ovarian cancer following first line platinum based chemotherapy (SOLO-1). [NCT01844986](#)

Oza AM et al. **Standard chemotherapy with or without bevacizumab for women with newly diagnosed ovarian cancer (ICON7): Overall survival results of a phase 3 randomised trial.** *Lancet Oncol* 2015;16(8):928-36.

Phase 1 and 2 study of MEDI4736 in combination with olaparib or cediranib for advanced solid tumors and recurrent ovarian cancer. NCT02484404

Saeed Rafii et al. **What clinical factors influence advanced BRCA1/2 mutant ovarian cancer patient (BMOc pt) outcomes to poly(ADP-ribose) polymerase inhibitor (PARPi) treatment?** *Proc ASCO* 2015;**Abstract 5546.**

Tewari D et al. **Long-term survival advantage and prognostic factors associated with intraperitoneal chemotherapy treatment in advanced ovarian cancer: A gynecologic oncology group study.** *J Clin Oncol* 2015;33(13):1460-6.

Varga A et al. **Antitumor activity and safety of pembrolizumab in patients (pts) with PD-L1 positive advanced ovarian cancer: Interim results from a phase Ib study.** *Proc ASCO* 2015;**Abstract 5510.**

Veliparib, pegylated liposomal doxorubicin hydrochloride, carboplatin, and bevacizumab in treating patients with recurrent ovarian cancer, primary peritoneal cancer, or fallopian tube cancer. NCT01459380

QUESTIONS (PLEASE CIRCLE ANSWER):

- As single agents, PARP inhibitors have shown activity in _____.
 - BRCA1 mutation-positive OC
 - BRCA2 mutation-positive OC
 - BRCA1/2 mutation-negative OC
 - Both a and b
 - All of the above
- A Phase II trial reported by Liu and colleagues evaluating the combination of cediranib and olaparib versus olaparib alone for women with recurrent platinum-sensitive OC demonstrated statistically significant improvements in response rate and median progression-free survival with the combination in which of the following populations?
 - Patients with a known deleterious germline BRCA mutation
 - Patients without a known deleterious germline BRCA mutation
 - Both a and b
- The FDA approved olaparib monotherapy for patients with deleterious or suspected deleterious germline BRCA-mutated advanced OC previously treated with 3 or more lines of chemotherapy.
 - True
 - False
- The Phase III SOLO-1 trial is evaluating olaparib maintenance monotherapy for patients with _____ advanced OC after first-line platinum-based chemotherapy.
 - BRCA wild-type
 - Germline BRCA-mutated
 - Both a and b
- Studies investigating anti-PD-1/PD-L1 antibodies have shown these agents to produce response rates of approximately _____ for patients with relapsed/refractory OC.
 - <5%
 - 20%
 - 40%
 - 80%
- Both the GOG-0218 and ICON7 trials demonstrated an improvement in progression-free survival with the addition of bevacizumab to standard chemotherapy for patients with newly diagnosed OC.
 - True
 - False
- Bevacizumab is FDA approved for which of the following gynecologic cancers?
 - Platinum-resistant recurrent epithelial OC
 - Persistent, recurrent or metastatic cervical cancer
 - Platinum-sensitive recurrent OC
 - Both a and b
 - None of the above
- NCCN guidelines recommend that _____ undergo BRCA testing.
 - All patients with epithelial OC
 - Only patients with an Ashkenazi Jewish background
 - Only patients with a strong family history of breast cancer or OC at a young age
- Mirvetuximab soravtansine (IMGN853) is _____.
 - An anti-angiogenic agent
 - An antibody-drug conjugate
 - A PARP inhibitor
- Which of the following toxicities has been observed with mirvetuximab soravtansine?
 - Alopecia
 - Blurred vision
 - Peripheral neuropathy
 - All of the above

Research To Practice is committed to providing valuable continuing education for oncology clinicians, and your input is critical to helping us achieve this important goal. Please take the time to assess the activity you just completed, with the assurance that your answers and suggestions are strictly confidential.

PART 1 — Please tell us about your experience with this educational activity

How would you characterize your level of knowledge on the following topics?

4 = Excellent 3 = Good 2 = Adequate 1 = Suboptimal

	BEFORE	AFTER
Clinical trials investigating the addition of anti-angiogenic agents (ie, bevacizumab, cediranib) to PARP inhibition for patients with advanced OC	4 3 2 1	4 3 2 1
Efficacy of PARP inhibitors in patients with advanced OC with and without germline BRCA1/2 mutations	4 3 2 1	4 3 2 1
NCCN guideline recommendations regarding BRCA testing for patients with epithelial OC	4 3 2 1	4 3 2 1
Mechanism of action and available data with the folate receptor alpha-targeting antibody-drug conjugate mirvetuximab soravtansine (IMGN853) in advanced OC	4 3 2 1	4 3 2 1
Available data and ongoing trials evaluating anti-PD-1/PD-L1 antibodies in advanced OC	4 3 2 1	4 3 2 1

Practice Setting:

- Academic center/medical school Community cancer center/hospital Group practice
 Solo practice Government (eg, VA) Other (please specify).....

Approximately how many new patients with the following do you see per year?

Ovarian cancer:..... Cervical cancer:..... Endometrial cancer:.....

Was the activity evidence based, fair, balanced and free from commercial bias?

- Yes No If no, please explain:.....

Please identify how you will change your practice as a result of completing this activity (select all that apply).

- This activity validated my current practice
 Create/revise protocols, policies and/or procedures
 Change the management and/or treatment of my patients
 Other (please explain):.....

If you intend to implement any changes in your practice, please provide 1 or more examples:

.....

The content of this activity matched my current (or potential) scope of practice.

- Yes No If no, please explain:.....

Please respond to the following learning objectives (LOs) by circling the appropriate selection:

4 = Yes 3 = Will consider 2 = No 1 = Already doing N/M = LO not met N/A = Not applicable

As a result of this activity, I will be able to:

- Employ current clinical guidelines and available data in the selection of treatment options for patients with commonly diagnosed gynecologic cancers. . . . 4 3 2 1 N/M N/A
- Consider clinical investigator perspectives regarding the indications for BRCA mutation testing, and use this information to appropriately select patients with ovarian cancer (OC) for this analysis. 4 3 2 1 N/M N/A
- Develop an evidence-based algorithm for the initial and long-term treatment of advanced OC considering the role of the recently approved anti-VEGF antibody bevacizumab. 4 3 2 1 N/M N/A

EDUCATIONAL ASSESSMENT AND CREDIT FORM (continued)

As a result of this activity, I will be able to:

- Appreciate the recent approval of olaparib for patients with highly refractory advanced OC, and integrate this agent into the clinical care of appropriate individuals..... 4 3 2 1 N/M N/A
- Develop an understanding of the emerging efficacy data and toxicity profiles of investigational agents in OC to effectively prioritize clinical trial opportunities for appropriate patients..... 4 3 2 1 N/M N/A
- Implement a long-term clinical plan for the management of metastatic cervical cancer, incorporating existing, recently approved and investigational targeted treatments..... 4 3 2 1 N/M N/A

Please describe any clinical situations that you find difficult to manage or resolve that you would like to see addressed in future educational activities:

.....

Would you recommend this activity to a colleague?

Yes No If no, please explain:

PART 2 — Please tell us about the faculty and editor for this educational activity

	4 = Excellent	3 = Good	2 = Adequate	1 = Suboptimal				
Faculty	Knowledge of subject matter				Effectiveness as an educator			
Ursula A Matulonis, MD	4	3	2	1	4	3	2	1
Kathleen Moore, MD	4	3	2	1	4	3	2	1
Editor	Knowledge of subject matter				Effectiveness as an educator			
Neil Love, MD	4	3	2	1	4	3	2	1

REQUEST FOR CREDIT — Please print clearly

Name: Specialty:

Professional Designation:

MD DO PharmD NP RN PA Other

Street Address: Box/Suite:

City, State, Zip:

Telephone: Fax:

Email:

Research To Practice designates this enduring material for a maximum of 1.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

I certify my actual time spent to complete this educational activity to be _____ hour(s).

Signature: Date:

I would like Research To Practice to submit my CME credits to the ABIM to count toward my MOC points. I understand that because I am requesting MOC credit, Research To Practice will be required to share personally identifiable information with the ACCME and ABIM.

Additional information for MOC credit (required):

Date of Birth (Month and Day Only): ___ / ___ / ___ ABIM 6-Digit ID Number:

If you are not sure of your ABIM ID, please visit <http://www.abim.org/online/findcand.aspx>.

QID 1556

The expiration date for this activity is April 2017. To obtain a certificate of completion and receive credit for this activity, please complete the Post-test, fill out the Educational Assessment and Credit Form and fax both to (800) 447-4310, or mail both to Research To Practice, One Biscayne Tower, 2 South Biscayne Boulevard, Suite 3600, Miami, FL 33131. You may also complete the Post-test and Educational Assessment online at www.ResearchToPractice.com/GOU215/CME.

Gynecologic Oncology™

U P D A T E

Editor	Neil Love, MD
Director, Clinical Content and CPD/CME	Kathryn Ault Ziel, PhD
Scientific Director	Richard Kaderman, PhD
Editorial	Clayton Campbell Marilyn Fernandez, PhD Gloria Kelly, PhD Kemi Obajimi, PhD Margaret Peng
Creative Manager	Fernando Rendina
Graphic Designers	Tamara Dabney Silvana Izquierdo
Managing Editor	Kirsten Miller
Senior Production Editor	Aura Herrmann
Copy Editors	Rosemary Hulse Pat Morrissey/Havlin Alexis Oneca
Production Manager	Tracy Potter
Audio Production	Frank Cesarano
Web Master	John Ribeiro
Faculty Relations Manager	Stephanie Bodanyi, CMP
Continuing Education Administrator for Nursing	Karen Gabel Speroni, BSN, MHSA, PhD, RN
Contact Information	Neil Love, MD Research To Practice One Biscayne Tower 2 South Biscayne Boulevard, Suite 3600 Miami, FL 33131 Fax: (305) 377-9998 Email: DrNeilLove@ResearchToPractice.com
For CME/CNE Information	Email: CE@ResearchToPractice.com

Copyright © 2016 Research To Practice. All rights reserved.

The compact disc, Internet content and accompanying printed material are protected by copyright. No part of this program may be reproduced or transmitted in any form or by any means, electronic or mechanical, including photocopying, recording or utilizing any information storage and retrieval system, without written permission from the copyright owner.

The opinions expressed are those of the presenters and are not to be construed as those of the publisher or grantors.

Participants have an implied responsibility to use the

newly acquired information to enhance patient outcomes and their own professional development. The information presented in this activity is not meant to serve as a guideline for patient management.

Any procedures, medications or other courses of diagnosis or treatment discussed or suggested in this activity should not be used by clinicians without evaluation of their patients' conditions and possible contraindications or dangers in use, review of any applicable manufacturer's product information and comparison with recommendations of other authorities.

Gynecologic Oncology™

U P D A T E

Copyright © 2016 Research To Practice.

This activity is supported by educational grants
from AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals LP, Genentech BioOncology,
ImmunoGen Inc and Myriad Genetic Laboratories Inc.

Research
To Practice®

Research To Practice is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing
Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Release date: April 2016
Expiration date: April 2017
Estimated time to complete: 1.5 hours