#### CONSENT TO PARTICIPATE IN A CLINICAL RESEARCH STUDY

Adult Patient or

Parent, for Minor Patient

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STUDY TITLE: A Phase I/II Study of the Safety and Feasibility of Administering T-Cells Expressing Anti-

EGFRvIII Chimeric Antigen Receptor to Patients with Malignant Gliomas Expressing

**EGFRvIII** 

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#### INTRODUCTION

We invite you to take part in a research study at the National Institutes of Health (NIH).

First, we want you to know that:

Taking part in NIH research is entirely voluntary.

You may choose not to take part, or you may withdraw from the study at any time. In either case, you will not lose any benefits to which you are otherwise entitled. However, to receive care at the NIH, you must be taking part in a study or be under evaluation for study participation.

You may receive no benefit from taking part. The research may give us knowledge that may help people in the future.

Second, some people have personal, religious or ethical beliefs that may limit the kinds of medical or research treatments they would want to receive (such as blood transfusions). If you have such beliefs, please discuss them with your NIH doctors or research team before you agree to the study.

Now we will describe this research study. Before you decide to take part, please take as much time as you need to ask any questions and discuss this study with anyone at NIH, or with family, friends or your personal physician or other health professional.

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## Why is this study being done?

You have been diagnosed with malignant glioma and the standard treatments available have not been effective. We have developed an experimental procedure for treating patients with cancer that uses cells found in their blood. We genetically modify these cells and grow them in the laboratory. We will be using the anti-EGFRvIII gene and a type of virus (retrovirus) in making these special cells (anti- EGFRvIII cells). The anti-EGFRvIII cells target a form of the Epidermal Growth Factor Receptor (EGFR) which is only present in gliomas, not in normal tissue in your body. By blocking EGFRvIII, we hope that these cells when infused will decrease the size of your tumors. However, it is possible that these cells will not have this effect.

The anti-EGFRvIII cells will be given to you as an intravenous (IV) infusion. This type of experimental regimen is called "gene transfer" and is very closely monitored by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and other regulatory agencies. The risks of gene transfer will be described later in this document.

## Why are you being asked to take part in this study?

You are being asked to participate in this study because you have been diagnosed with cancer that has the EGFRvIII molecule on the surface of the tumor.

## How many people will take part in this study?

Up to 107 patients may participate in this study.

## **Description of Research Study**

This study has several stages outlined below:

- Stage 1 is performed under the screening protocol, 99-C-0128 (Evaluation for NCI Surgery Branch Clinical Research Protocols), to which you have already enrolled.
- Stage 2 is performed under the cell harvest protocol, 03-C-0277 (Cell Harvest and Preparation for Surgery Branch Adoptive Cell Therapy Protocols), to which you have already enrolled.
- Stages 3-6 are performed under this protocol.

Stage	Timeframe	Location	<b>Comments &amp; Instructions</b>
1. Work-up	1-2 weeks	Inpatient and/or outpatient	Scans, x-rays, labs and other tests as needed
2. Cell Manufacturing	4-6 weeks	Inpatient and/or outpatient	Leukapheresis
3. Chemotherapy	1 week	Inpatient	Receive IV chemotherapy to prepare your immune system for the cells.

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4. Cells and aldesleukin (IL-2)	1-5 days	Inpatient and possibly ICU	Receive anti-EGFRvIII cells IV, and then aldesleukin (IL-2) about every 8 hours for up to 15 doses.
5. Recovery	1-3 weeks	Inpatient unit	Recover from the effects of treatment.
6. Follow-up	Ongoing until disease progression	Outpatient	Return to clinic for physical exam, review of side effects, labs, scans approximately 4 weeks following treatment, and then monthly for 12 months and then every 1-2 months.

The first few patients enrolled will participate in the Phase I portion of the study, called the "dose escalation" phase. The purpose of dose escalation is to determine the most effective yet safe dose of anti-EGFRvIII cells. There will be 13 dose levels of anti-EGFRvIII cells. The first patients enrolled get the smallest dose and the dose is increased when a level has been determined to be safe.

Your study doctor will discuss with you which dose of anti-EGFRvIII cells you will be receiving.

## What will happen if you take part in this research study?

## Before you Begin the Study

The following procedures are conducted under protocols 99-C-0128 or 03-C-0277.

#### Cell Harvest and Growth

You underwent a process called "apheresis", while enrolled on our companion protocol 03-C-0277. This process obtained certain types of blood cells from you. Some of these cells will be grown in the lab and genetically modified to recognize a protein on your tumor cells. If your cells do not grow, unfortunately you will not be able to receive the cell infusion. If that happens, we will look at alternative experimental treatments at the NIH Clinical Center or refer you to the care of your referring physician. We usually know after about 4 weeks whether the cells will grow well enough to be used as an experimental treatment on this protocol. At the time we determine that your cells are not growing, we will inform you and discuss your options with you. Several medications are used during the preparation of your cell product, be sure to tell your doctor if you are allergic to any antibiotics.

#### Work-up

Prior to receiving the experimental regimen, you will undergo many tests. We will evaluate you for eligibility for participation on this trial with a physical examination, CT and/or MRI scans, x-rays, EKG, heart and lung function tests, and blood tests. Patients who have a positive HIV blood test will not be eligible for this protocol because it may put them at higher risk of developing infections. If you are a woman, you will undergo a pregnancy test. You may be admitted to the

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hospital for these tests. However, you will be allowed to leave on pass on the days that you are not having tests performed.

## **Catheter Insertion**

Prior to beginning the experimental regimen, you will have an intravenous (IV) catheter placed in your upper chest. The area will be numbed with an anesthetic before the catheter is put in. Although rare, putting these catheters in can sometimes cause collapse of a lung or cause bleeding. Lung collapse is treated by putting a tube into your chest for a few days to allow your lung to expand. Pressure is placed on any area that might bleed. Other IVs may be needed in one or both of your arms if we to give you extra fluids, medicines, or nutrition.

## Leukapheresis

Leukapheresis, a specific type of "apheresis", is a procedure that allows us to remove certain types of blood cells from you and return the rest of your blood. It is a very common procedure that is done routinely here at the NIH with very few risks. During leukapheresis, blood is removed from you through a needle in your arm, circulated through a machine that divides whole blood into red cells, plasma (the liquid component of blood), and lymphocytes (or white cells), and then the plasma and red cells are returned to you through a second needle in your other arm. The white blood cells collected before treatment may be used to help grow the cells. In addition to the leukapheresis you will undergo as part of your work-up, we will also ask you to undergo one additional apheresis procedure between 4 and 6 weeks after you receive the cell infusion to see the impact of this therapy on the immune system and see if cells we gave you are still active.

The leukapheresis procedure takes between 4-5 hours to complete. Rarely, people may experience lightheadedness or dizziness. We ask that you eat prior to the procedure to prevent this.

#### **During the Study**

## Chemotherapy Regimen (Day -7 through Day -3)

After we have grown the anti-EGFRvIII cells to large numbers in the laboratory, you will be admitted to the hospital to begin your experimental regimen. You will be given two chemotherapy medicines, cyclophosphamide and fludarabine, to suppress your immune system so the anti-EGFRvIII cells can work without any interference from the cells in your immune system. (These medicines will not treat your cancer. They may cause your tumor to shrink some, but this shrinkage is anticipated to be only partial and only for a short time.) The main purpose of the chemotherapy is to see if we can make the cells more effective in fighting cancer tumors. Animal experiments have indicated that this can make the cells more effective in fighting cancer tumors, and we think this is true in humans. You will receive the cyclophosphamide through your catheter over 1 hour for two days (Day -7 and Day -6) and the fludarabine will be given through your catheter for 30 minutes every day for five days (Day -7 through Day -3). The side effects of these medicines are described on the following pages.

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## Cell Infusion and Aldesleukin (IL-2) Regimen (Day 0 through Day 5)

Two to four days after the last dose of chemotherapy, you will be given the anti-EGFRvIII cells. The anti-EGFRvIII cells will be given through your catheter over 20-30 minutes. Within 24 hours after the anti-EGFRvIII cell infusion, you will be given low-dose or high-dose aldesleukin through your catheter. Patients enrolled in Dose Level 9D-1, 9D-2, or 10 will receive high-dose aldesleukin. Prior dose levels have identified this dose of cells is safe to administer with low-dose aldesleukin and we will now be testing whether high-dose IL-2 can be administered after the gene engineered cells (CAR T-cells). Aldesleukin is approved by the FDA for treatment of metastatic melanoma and metastatic renal cell cancer. The purpose of giving the aldesleukin with this therapy is to keep the cells we give you active for as long as possible so they will fight your tumor. Aldesleukin will be given as a 15-minute infusion about every 8 hours for up to five days after the cell infusion (maximum number of doses is 15). Doses may be skipped or delayed depending on how well you tolerate the doses. The risks of the cells and aldesleukin are described on the following pages.

The day after you receive the anti-EGFRvIII cells, we may give you G-CSF (filgrastim) as a shot or injection under the skin every day to stimulate your blood cells until they increase to a sufficient number. This will continue until your white blood cell counts begin to return to normal.

We will watch you closely during this entire time for any side effects of this experimental regimen. We will discuss the side effects below and we will include in your care all the medicines and treatments to prevent as many of these side effects and to make you as comfortable as we can.

## When you are Finished with Treatment

#### Recovery

You will recover in the hospital until you are well enough to go home. This usually takes 7 to 21 days after you have received the cells or your last dose of aldesleukin; however, you may need to stay in the hospital for longer than this before you are well enough to go home. We will continue to give you support medications, do laboratory tests, and watch you closely for any side effects until we feel your condition is stable.

In addition to the laboratory tests to monitor your condition, we will remove approximately 1-9 teaspoons of blood three times per week to study the effects of this regimen on your immune system. The maximum amount of blood for research is approximately 2.3 cups in 8 weeks.

#### Follow-up and Evaluation of Experimental Regimen

You will need to continue to take Bactrim, an antibiotic, for at least 6 months following your treatment to prevent you from catching a certain type of pneumonia seen in patients who have low white blood cell counts. You may also need to take Valtrex, an anti-viral, for at least 6 months following your treatment to prevent any type of herpes simplex virus, like shingles.

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After you are discharged, we will ask you to return to the NIH Clinical Center approximately 4 weeks following treatment, and then if you are responding to the treatment, every month for one year and then every 1-2 months after one year.

The first follow-up visit will probably take 2 days; the following visits may only take one day. At each visit you will have lab tests, imaging studies, and a physical examination. At some of your follow-up visits, you may undergo leukapheresis or have about 8 tubes of blood drawn (4 tablespoons) so that we can see the effect this therapy has had on your immune system and if the cells we gave you are still alive. If you are unwilling or unable to travel to the NIH Clinical Center, we will contact you by phone or email and we may ask you to send us lab, imaging, and physical exam reports. If your tumor appears to be growing, we will look for other investigational therapies you may be eligible for, or refer you back to the care of your local physician.

#### **Birth Control**

If you are a woman who is breast feeding or pregnant, you may not participate in the study because we do not know how this medicine would affect your unborn child or your baby. If you are a woman who can become pregnant, or are the partner of a woman who can become pregnant, you will need to practice an effective form of birth control before starting study treatment, during study treatment, and for four months after you finish study treatment. Males should also refrain from sperm donation during this time-period. If you think that you or your partner is pregnant, you should tell your study doctor or nurse as soon as possible.

Effective forms of birth control include:

- Abstinence
- Intrauterine device (IUD)
- Hormonal [birth control pills, injections, or implants]
- Tubal ligation
- Vasectomy

## Gene Therapy Long-Term Follow-up (Retroviral Vectors)

Because we do not know the long-term side effects of gene therapy, we will collect your blood over the next several years, frequently at first and then less frequently. If you return to your referring physician after treatment here, we will ask you to have your physician send your blood specimens here for this testing. This testing will determine if the cells have grown or changed in your body. We will test your blood immediately after you receive the cells, and then at 3, 6, and 12 months (2 teaspoons each time) post-cell administration. If all of the tests are normal and show no change, we will collect blood from you every year after that to store in case you develop symptoms later.

According to FDA requirements, we need you to return annually to the NIH for a physical examination for five years after you receive the cells. After that time, we will be sending you a

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questionnaire to get information regarding your health for the next ten years, for a total follow-up time-period of 15 years. For this reason, we ask that you continue to provide us with a current address and telephone number, even after you complete this research study. At the time of your death, no matter the cause, we may request permission for an autopsy in order to obtain vital information concerning the safety of this experimental treatment approach. Please discuss this with your family to inform them of this request. These long-term follow-up evaluations will be conducted under our companion protocol 09-C-0161, "Follow up Protocol for Subjects Previously Enrolled in NCI Surgery Branch Studies", to which you will be enrolled following treatment.

## **Risks or Discomforts of Participation**

## What side effects or risks can I expect from being in this study?

The risks and discomforts of this research study can be significant. This experimental treatment can lead to long-term decrease in your immune function. It is also possible that you may lose your fertility following this experimental treatment. It is possible, although unlikely, that this experimental treatment may cause your death.

As of December 2014, we have treated approximately 18 patients since the study opened. Out of the 18 patients enrolled on this study, we have encountered one treatment-related death. This patient's cells were much more "active" than other patients' cells (producing a large amount of a substance that probably helps fight the tumor cells but also causes toxicities). We have revised the process so that future cells will not be as "active" when they are given back to the patients.

# The major side effects of this experimental regimen (described in detail on the following pages) that are most severe include:

- Infection and low blood counts caused by the chemotherapy
- Confusion and changes in mental status caused by the IL-2
- Fluid retention, low blood pressure, and high heart rate caused by the IL-2

We will discuss the side effects of this experimental regimen with you. You will be given medicines, transfusions, and treatments to prevent or treat the side effects including drugs to prevent and/or treat different types of infections. We will try to make you as comfortable as possible. You should talk to your study doctor about any symptoms that you experience while taking part in the study.

As this is a new experimental therapy, you may experience side effects that we do not expect that may cause your condition to worsen. Any new information that becomes available during the course of this study will be shared with you.

## **Anti-EGFRvIII Cell Infusion (Gene Transfer)**

The cells we will be giving you have a type of virus (retrovirus) put into them along with the anti-EGFRvIII protein. Although this retrovirus is not active, there is the rare possibility that it may cause infection. The cells could also cause you to develop another type of cancer, such as leukemia

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or lymphoma. We do not have much information about the specific side effects of the anti-EGFRvIII cells since this is our first study using these cells. We have studied similar types of cells in patients with cancer in other studies, and have seen the following side effects:

- Fever, chills and shortness of breath, which may last for a few hours (common)
- Lung congestion
- Immune-type reaction
  - o In similar clinical trials with cells targeting a melanoma protein, we have observed the following immune-mediated toxicities: loss of skin pigment (known as vitiligo), inflammation of the eye (uveitis), hearing loss, and dizziness. The skin, the eye, and the ear are all sites where that targeted melanoma protein is known to exist.
  - o In another clinical trial with a similar type of cell, a patient died due to an immune type reaction from the cells.
  - o The anti-EGFRvIII cells may cause an immune type of reaction in your brain which may result in seizures, swelling, and bleeding.

You will be treated on this gene transfer protocol with a viral vector that was manufactured at the NCI Surgery Branch Vector Production Facility before May 2016. An internal review of the facility that made the vector for this protocol determined that the facility needed to be closed due to manufacturing issues. We know of no additional risks related to the previously produced vector for patients who have received cells with vectors made in this facility as the vectors were extensively tested by outside experts. Therefore, the IRB has determined that the potential benefit to you outweighs the potential risks.

#### Aldesleukin (IL-2)

When IL-2 is given through an intravenous catheter, it can make you feel like you have the flu. It can also cause confusion and mental status changes making you unable to make sound decisions. Prior to beginning treatment, we will ask you to complete a Durable Power of Attorney so that a person of your choosing can make health care decisions for you in case you develop these side effects. In our experience giving IL-2 to over 2,000 patients, we have found that these side effects go away within a few days of stopping the IL-2.

#### **Medications**

The side effects of cyclophosphamide, fludarabine, IL-2 and some of the other medications you will receive are listed below.

Cyclophosphamide and Fludarabine Side Effects			
Common	Less Common	Rare	
Changes in blood counts including: low red cell	Bleeding	Heart damage	

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count (causing fatigue and shortness of breath), low platelet count (increasing the risk of bleeding and bruising), decrease in white blood cells (increasing the risk of infection and the need for treatment with antibiotics or other treatment)

- Loss of appetite, nausea, vomiting
- Diarrhea, stomach pain
- Mouth sores
- Hair loss
- Fatigue
- Muscle or joint aches

- Infection
- Bladder irritation with bloody urine
- Severe allergic reaction (difficulty breathing/swelling)
- Headache or dizziness
- Sweating
- Swelling of arms or legs
- Skin changes, rash, blisters
- Weakness
- Hearing loss

- Lung damage
- Kidney damage
- Inflammation of the eye resulting in blindness
- Inflammation of nervous system resulting in death
- Lymphoma. This can be fatal. (Two patients on other studies in the Surgery Branch developed EBV lymphoma, and both died as a result of this disease.)
- Loss of fertility

Rare

 Complications resulting from suppression of immune function, which can result in a severe infection and can be fatal.

## Low-Dose Aldesleukin (IL-2) Side Effects

Common	Unlikely	
Local swelling at site of injection	Nausea	
<ul> <li>Low blood pressure</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Vomiting</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Tiredness</li> </ul>	• Diarrhea	
<ul> <li>Swelling in hands and feet</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Infection</li> </ul>	
- Rash	<ul> <li>Laboratory changes including kidney blood tests</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Decreased urine</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Changes in consciousness</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Infections</li> </ul>	
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- Fever, chills, and fatigue
- Lowered platelet and red blood cell levels that may require transfusions
- Significant fluid retention causing weight gain (as much as 20 pounds)
- Low blood pressure
- Increased heart rate
- Shortness of breath
- Low urine output
- Swelling in your extremities
- Fluid in your lungs that can require oxygen
- Dry mouth, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea
- Rash, itching
- Changes in skin or hair pigmentation, called vitiligo
- Changes in mental status, including confusion, difficulty sleeping or vivid dreams; this can be severe and require sedation and monitoring in the ICU.

- Decrease in thyroid function that may require daily thyroid hormone replacement
- Abnormal kidney and liver function that can be severe
- Abnormal heartbeats or low blood pressure that may require treatment in the ICU
- Breathing problems which may need monitoring in ICU and insertion of a breathing tube

- Bowel perforation (a hole) requiring longer hospitalization or surgery.
- Autoimmune disease, where your immune system attacks cells in organs of your body. Should this occur, you will be treated with steroids to stop the immune response.
- Damage to the heart muscle or heart attack
- Loss of blood flow to the extremities due to medicines used to treat very low blood pressure and shock. In one instance, a patient had to have her lower arm amputated after treatment with these medicines.
- IL-2 is mixed with human albumin which could cause an allergic reaction or potentially transmit viral infections, although we have not had this occur.

## **Support Medications – Side Effects**

Common	Less Common	Rare
Filgrastim (To increase produ	uction of white blood cells)	
Bone pain	Severe headache	<ul><li>Severe breathing problems</li><li>Rupture of your spleen</li></ul>
Bactrim (To prevent a specifi	c type of pneumonia)	

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Fluconazole (To prevent fung	<ul> <li>Fever</li> <li>Nausea, vomiting</li> <li>Skin rash with itching</li> <li>Reduced number of white blood cells</li> <li>Allergic reaction</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Headache</li> <li>Nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, abdominal pain</li> <li>Itching</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>A skin disorder called Stevens Johnson Syndrome, which can be fatal</li> <li>Liver damage, which may be permanent</li> </ul>
Acyclovir and Valacyclovir	<ul> <li>Temporary decrease in kidney function, which may not cause any symptoms</li> <li>Nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, constipation</li> <li>Pain and irritation at place of injection</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Skin rash, hives, itching</li> <li>Tremors, dizziness, confusion, seizures</li> <li>Fatigue</li> <li>Blood in the urine</li> </ul>

## Gene Therapy Risk of Cancer and Other Disease

When retroviral vectors enter a normal cell in the body, the DNA of the vector inserts itself into the normal DNA in that cell; this process is called integration. Most integration is expected to cause no harm to the cell or to the patient. However, there is a chance that there may be some regions of the normal human DNA where integration of the viral vector's DNA may result in activation of neighboring genes. For example, if one of these genes were a growth factor, this may cause uncontrolled division of the cell, resulting in a cancer. This type of event has occurred in one animal study in mice where the vector integration site correlates with the occurrence of cancer in these mice. Five instances of a similar event have been reported in five children out of 22 who received a retroviral vector in two experimental gene transfer studies for X-linked Severe Combined Immunodeficiency (SCID) conducted in Europe, not under the jurisdiction of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA). While most of the children who participated in this clinical trial appear to have been cured of their disease, five children developed leukemia (a form of cancer of the blood) approximately 2-6 years after receiving the gene transfer regimen. The first patient had extensive testing done to determine the cause of the leukemia. A group of experts in this field

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have looked at all the test results, and concluded that the gene transfer caused the leukemia in the first child. One of the children died as a result of their leukemia. The risk of another cancer developing in you, including leukemia, is unknown, but you need to be aware of this possible risk. To monitor you for this risk, we will be testing your blood 3 months after cell infusion, then at 6 and 12 months, and then annually thereafter. If we find that the cells we have given you grow out of control, chemotherapy will be given to you to kill the cells, given their risk of causing leukemia or a second cancer. This testing will be conducted on protocol 09-C-0161.

## **Potential Benefits of Participation**

#### Are there benefits to taking part in this study?

We do not know if you will receive personal, medical benefit from taking part in this study. These potential benefits could include shrinking of your tumor or lessening of your symptoms, such as pain, that are caused by the cancer. Because there is not much information about the effect of this treatment on cancer, we do not know if you will benefit from taking part in this study, although the knowledge gained from this study may benefit others in the future who have cancer.

## **Alternative Approaches or Treatments**

## What other choices do I have if I do not take part in this study?

Instead of being in this study, you have the following options:

- Taking part in another study
- Getting treatment or care for your cancer without being in a study.
- Getting no treatment or getting comfort care, which is also called palliative care. This type of care helps reduce pain, tiredness, appetite problems, and other problems caused by cancer. It does not treat the cancer directly, but instead tries to improve how you feel. Comfort care tries to keep you as active and comfortable as possible.

Please talk to your doctor about these and other options.

#### **Stopping Therapy**

Your doctor may decide to take you off this study if:

- He/she believes that it is in your best interest
- Your disease comes back during treatment
- You become pregnant
- You have side effects from the treatment that your doctor thinks are too severe
- New information becomes available that shows another treatment would be better for you

In this case, you will be informed of the reason for the decision to take you off the study.

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You can stop participating in the study at any time. However, if you decide to stop participating in the study, we encourage you to talk to the study doctor and your regular doctor first. If you refuse to participate or withdraw from the protocol or at the completion of the protocol, we will attempt to offer you participation in other NIH protocols if these are available, or will refer you to your home physician for further management.

If you decide at any time to withdraw your consent to participate in the trial, we will not collect any additional medical information about you. However, according to FDA guidelines, information collected on you up to that point may still be provided to the Sponsor. If you withdraw your consent and leave the trial, any samples of yours that have been obtained for the study and stored at the NCI can be destroyed upon request. However, any samples and data generated from the samples that have already been distributed to other researchers or placed in the research databases cannot be recalled and destroyed.

## Research Subject's Rights

## What are the costs of taking part in this study?

If you choose to take part in the study, the following will apply, in keeping with the NIH policy:

- You will receive study treatment at no charge to you. This may include surgery, medicines, laboratory testing, x-rays or scans done at the Clinical Center, National Institutes of Health (NIH), or arranged for you by the research team to be done outside the Clinical Center, NIH if the study related treatment is not available at the NIH.
- There are limited funds available to cover the cost of some tests and procedures performed outside the Clinical Center, NIH. You may have to pay for these costs if they are not covered by your insurance company.
- Medicines that are not part of the study treatment will not be provided or paid for by the Clinical Center, NIH.
- Once you have completed taking part in the study, medical care will no longer be provided by the Clinical Center, NIH.

#### Will your medical information be kept private?

We will do our best to make sure that the personal information in your medical record will be kept private. However, we cannot guarantee total privacy. Organizations that may look at and/or copy your medical records for research, quality assurance, and data analysis include:

- The National Cancer Institute (NCI) and other government agencies, like the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), which are involved in keeping research safe for people.
- NCI Institutional Review Board
- The study Sponsor, Center for Cancer Research, or their agents
- Our research collaborator, Kite Pharma, Inc.

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A description of this clinical trial will be available on <a href="http://www.Clinicaltrials.gov">http://www.Clinicaltrials.gov</a>, as required by U.S. Law. This website will not include information that can identify you. At most, the website will include a summary of the results. You can search this website at any time.

## **Certificate of Confidentiality**

To help us protect your privacy, we have obtained a Certificate of Confidentiality. The researchers can use this Certificate to legally refuse to disclose information that may identify you in any federal, state, or local civil, criminal, administrative, legislative, or other proceedings, for example, if there is a court subpoena. The researchers will use the Certificate to resist any demands for information that would identify you, except as explained below.

You should also know that there are several circumstances in which the Certificate does not provide coverage. These include when information:

- will be used for auditing or program evaluation internally by the NIH; or
- must be disclosed to meet the legal requirements of the federal Food and Drug Administration (FDA).
- is necessary for your medical treatment and you have consented to this disclosure;
- is for other research.

In addition, identifiable, sensitive information protected by this Certificate cannot be admissible as evidence or used for any purpose in any action, suit, or proceeding without your consent.

You should understand that a Certificate of Confidentiality does not prevent you or a member of your family from voluntarily releasing information about yourself or your involvement in this research. If an insurer, employer, or other person obtains your written consent to receive research information, then the researchers will not use the Certificate to withhold that information.

The Certificate of Confidentiality will not protect against the required reporting by hospital staff of information on suspected child abuse, reportable communicable diseases, and/or possible threat of harm to self or others.

#### **Conflict of Interest**

The National Institutes of Health (NIH) reviews NIH staff researchers at least yearly for conflicts of interest. This process is detailed in a Protocol Review Guide. You may ask your research team for additional information or a copy of the Protocol Review Guide. Members of the research team who do not work for NIH are expected to follow these guidelines but they do not need to report their personal finances to the NIH.

Members of the research team working on this study may have up to \$15,000 of stock in the companies that make products used in this study. This is allowed under federal rules and is not a conflict of interest.

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The NIH and the research team for this study are working with Kite Pharma, Inc. to see if this type of study could be done at institutions other than the NIH Clinical Center. Kite Pharma, Inc. also provides financial support for this study.

## Use of Specimens and Data for Future Research

Blood and tissue collected during the course of this study will be used for future research and will be stored, tracked and disposed of under our companion protocol 03-C-0277.

In addition, to advance science, it is helpful for researchers to share information they get from studying human samples. They do this by putting it into one or more scientific databases, where it is stored along with information from other studies. A researcher who wants to study the information must apply to the database and be approved. Researchers use specimens and data stored in scientific databases to advance science and learn about health and disease.

We plan to keep some of your specimens and data that we collect and use them for future research and share them with other researchers. We will not contact you to ask about each of these future uses. These specimens and data will be stripped of identifiers such as name, address or account number, so that they may be used for future research on any topic and shared broadly for research purposes. Your specimens and data will be used for research purposes only and will not benefit you. It is also possible that the stored specimens and data may never be used. Results of research done on your specimens and data will not be available to you or your doctor. It might help people who have cancer and other diseases in the future.

If you do not want your stored specimens and data used for future research, please contact us in writing and let us know that you do not want us to use your specimens and/or data. Then any specimens that have not already been used or shared will be destroyed and your data will not be used for future research. However, it may not be possible to withdraw or delete materials or data once they have been shared with other researchers.

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#### OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION

1. Confidentiality. When results of an NIH research study are reported in medical journals or at scientific meetings, the people who take part are not named and identified. In most cases, the NIH will not release any information about your research involvement without your written permission. However, if you sign a release of information form, for example, for an insurance company, the NIH will give the insurance company information from your medical record. This information might affect (either favorably or unfavorably) the willingness of the insurance company to sell you insurance.

The Federal Privacy Act protects the confidentiality of your NIH medical records. However, you should know that the Act allows release of some information from your medical record without your permission, for example, if it is required by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), members of Congress, law enforcement officials, or authorized hospital accreditation organizations.

- 2. Policy Regarding Research-Related Injuries. The Clinical Center will provide short-term medical care for any injury resulting from your participation in research here. In general, no long-term medical care or financial compensation for research-related injuries will be provided by the National Institutes of Health, the Clinical Center, or the Federal Government. However, you have the right to pursue legal remedy if you believe that your injury justifies such action.
- **3. Payments.** The amount of payment to research volunteers is guided by the National Institutes of Health policies. In general, patients are not paid for taking part in research studies at the National Institutes of Health. Reimbursement of travel and subsistence will be offered consistent with NIH guidelines.
- 4. **Problems or Questions.** If you have any problems or questions about this study, or about your rights as a research participant, or about any research-related injury, contact the Principal Investigator, **Steven A. Rosenberg, M.D., Ph.D.**, Building 10 CRC, Room **3-3940**, Telephone: **240-760-6218**. If you have any questions about the use of your specimens or data for future research studies, you may also contact the Office of the Clinical Director, Telephone: 240-760-6070. You may also call the Clinical Center Patient Representative at 301-496-2626.
- 5. Consent Document. Please keep a copy of this document in case you want to read it again.

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COMPLETE APPROPRIATE ITEM(S) BELOW:				
A. Adult Patient's Consent		B. Parent's Permission for Minor Patient		
I have read the explanation about this study and have been given the opportunity to discuss it and to ask questions. I hereby consent to take part in this study.		I have read the explanation about this study and have been given the opportunity to discuss it and to ask questions. I hereby give permission for my child to take part in this study.		
		(Attach NIH 2514-2, Minor's As applicable.)	sent, if	
Signature of Adult Patient/ Date Legal Representative		Signature of Parent(s)/ Guardian	Date	
Print Name		Print Name		
C. Child's Verbal Assent (If Ap	plicable)			
The information in the above coparticipate in the study.	onsent was d	lescribed to my child and my ch	ild agrees to	
Signature of Parent(s)/Guardian	Date	Print Name		
THIS CONSENT DOCUMENT HAS BEEN APPROVED FOR USE FROM JULY 09, 2018 THROUGH FEBRUARY 04, 2019.				
Signature of Investigator	Date	Signature of Witness	Date	
Print Name	,	Print Name	,	

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