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Regimen Reference Order – CLL – oBINutuzumab + chlorambucil

ARIA: CLL - [oBINutuzumab + chlorambucil]

Planned Course: Every 28 days for 6 cycles

Indication for Use: Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia First Line

CVAD: At Provider's Discretion

Proceed with treatment if:

Day 1 of Cycle 1 ONLY

• Proceed regardless of blood counts

Day 1 and Day 15 of Each Cycle

- ANC equal to or greater than 1 x 10⁹/L
- Platelets decrease less than 50% from pre-treatment value (prior to Cycle 1, Day 1)
 - Contact Hematologist if parameters not met

SEQUENCE OF MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION

Pre-treatment Requirements		
Drug	Dose	CCMB Administration Guideline
allopurinol*	300 mg	Orally once daily for 10 days to begin 3 days prior to Cycle 1 and at provider's discretion for subsequent cycles
		(Self-administered at home)
		*Only patients at risk of tumor lysis syndrome will be prescribed allopurinol

Treatment Regimen – CLL – oBINutuzumab + chlorambucil Establish primary solution 500 mL of: normal saline		
Cycle 1		
Day 1		
cetirizine	10 mg	Orally 1 hour prior to oBINutuzumab
acetaminophen	650 mg	Orally 1 hour prior to oBINutuzumab
dexamethasone	40 mg	IV in normal saline 50 mL over 15 minutes 1 hour prior to oBINutuzumab
		*Nursing Alert: oBINutuzumab starts 1 hour after completion of dexamethasone infusion
Wait 1 hour after cor	npletion of IV pre-medica	tion(s) before starting oBINutuzumab
oBINutuzumab	100 mg	IV in normal saline 100 mL following administration rates below:



chlorambucil	0.25 mg/kg	O to 60 minutes – 6 mL/hour 60 to 120 minutes – 12 mL/hour 120 minutes onwards – 24 mL/hour * Alert: Pharmacy to ensure final volume in bag= 100 mL (1 mg/mL final concentration) *Nursing Alert: IV tubing is primed with oBINutuzumab Orally once on an empty stomach Swallow whole
		(Self-administered at home)
Day 2		
cetirizine	10 mg	Orally 1 hour prior to oBINutuzumab
acetaminophen	650 mg	Orally 1 hour prior to oBINutuzumab
dexamethasone	40 mg	IV in normal saline 50 mL over 15 minutes <u>1 hour</u> prior to oBINutuzumab *Nursing Alert: oBINutuzumab starts 1 hour after completion of dexamethasone infusion
Wait 1 hour after con	npletion of IV pre-medic	cation(s) before starting oBINutuzumab
oBINutuzumab	900 mg	IV in normal saline 250 mL following administration rates below: • 0 to 30 minutes – 14 mL/hour • 30 to 60 minutes – 28 mL/hour • 60 to 90 minutes – 42 mL/hour • 90 to 120 minutes – 56 mL/hour • 120 to 150 minutes – 69 mL/hour • 150 to 180 minutes – 83 mL/hour • 180 to 210 minutes – 97 mL/hour • 210 to 240 minutes – 111 mL/hour *Alert: Pharmacy to ensure final volume in bag = 250 mL (3.6 mg/mL final concentration) *Nursing Alert: IV tubing is primed with oBINutuzumab
Day 8		
cetirizine	10 mg	Orally 30 minutes prior to oBINutuzumab
acetaminophen	650 mg	Orally 30 minutes prior to oBINutuzumab
dexamethasone	20 mg	ONLY to be given if patient had a grade 3 or 4 infusion-related reaction with their previous oBINutuzumab infusion or if their lymphocyte count prior to Day 1 of current cycle was greater than 25 X 10 ⁹ /L. IV in normal saline 50 mL over 15 minutes 1 hour prior to oBINutuzumab *Nursing Alert: oBINutuzumab starts 1 hour after completion of dexamethasone infusion
If applicable, wait 1 ho	our after completion of	IV pre-medication(s) before starting oBINutuzumab
oBINutuzumab	1000 mg	Slow Infusion: IV in normal saline 250 mL following



		administration rates below:
		• 0 to 30 minutes – 25 mL/hour
		• 30 to 60 minutes – 50 mL/hour
		60 to 90 minutes – 75 mL/hour
		90 minutes onwards – 100 mL/hour
		*Alert: Pharmacy to ensure final volume in bag = 250 mL (4 mg/mL final concentration)
		*Nursing Alert: IV tubing is primed with oBINutuzumab
Day 15		
cetirizine	10 mg	Orally 30 minutes prior to oBINutuzumab
acetaminophen	650 mg	Orally 30 minutes prior to oBINutuzumab
dexamethasone	20 mg	ONLY to be given if patient had a grade 3 or 4 infusion-related reaction with their previous oBINutuzumab infusion or if their lymphocyte count prior to Day 1 of current cycle was greater than 25 X 10 ⁹ /L.
		IV in normal saline 50 mL over 15 minutes 1 hour prior to oBINutuzumab
		*Nursing Alert: oBINutuzumab starts 1 hour after completion of dexamethasone infusion
If applicable, wait 1 he	our after completion of	IV pre-medication(s) before starting oBINutuzumab
oBINutuzumab	1000 mg	Slow Infusion: IV in normal saline 250 mL following
		administration rates below:
		0 to 30 minutes – 25 mL/hour
		30 to 60 minutes – 50 mL/hour
		60 to 90 minutes – 75 mL/hour
		90 minutes onwards – 100 mL/hour
		*Alert: Pharmacy to ensure final volume in bag= 250 mL (4 mg/mL final concentration)
		*Nursing Alert: IV tubing is primed with oBINutuzumab
chlorambucil	0.25 mg/kg	Orally once on an empty stomach
		Swallow whole
		(Self-administered at home)
Cycles 2 to 6		
Day 1		
cetirizine	10 mg	Orally 30 minutes prior to oBINutuzumab
acetaminophen	650 mg	Orally 30 minutes prior to oBINutuzumab
dexamethasone	20 mg	ONLY to be given if patient had a grade 3 or 4 infusion-related reaction with their previous oBINutuzumab infusion or if their lymphocyte count prior to Day 1 of current cycle was greater than 25 X 10 ⁹ /L.
		IV in normal saline 50 mL over 15 minutes <u>1 hour</u> prior to oBINutuzumab
		*Nursing Alert: oBINutuzumab starts 1 hour after completion of dexamethasone infusion



oBINutuzumab	1000 mg	Rapid Infusion: IV in normal saline 250 mL following administration rates below:
		0 to 30 minutes – 25 mL/hour
		• 30 to 93 minutes – 225 mL/hour
		*Alert: Pharmacy to ensure final volume in bag = 250 mL (4 mg/mL final concentration) *Nursing Alert: IV tubing is primed with oBINutuzumab
		<u>Slow Infusion</u> : IV in normal saline 250 mL following administration rates below:
		• 30 to 60 minutes – 50 mL/hour
		• 60 to 90 minutes – 75 mL/hour
		• 90 minutes onwards – 100 mL/hour
		*Alert: Pharmacy to ensure final volume in bag = 250 mL (4 mg/mL final concentration)
chlorambucil	0.25 mg/kg to	Orally once on an empty stomach
	0.5 mg/kg	Swallow whole
		(Self-administered at home)
		Dose may be increased to 0.5 mg/kg at Cycle 2 at physician's discretion
Day 15		
chlorambucil	0.25 mg/kg to	Orally once on an empty stomach
	0.5 mg/kg	Swallow whole
		(Self-administered at home)
		Dose may be increased to 0.5 mg/kg at Cycle 2 at physician's discretion

In the event of an infusion-related hypersensitivity reaction, refer to the 'Hypersensitivity Reaction Standing Order'

REQUIRED MONITORING

Day 1

• CBC, serum creatinine, urea, electrolytes, liver enzymes, LDH, total bilirubin, uric acid and albumin as per Physician Orders

Day 15

• CBC as per Physician Orders

Cycle 1, Day 1 Only - oBINutuzumab

• Full vital signs (temperature, heart rate, respiratory rate, blood pressure and O₂ saturation) at baseline and as clinically indicated



• No observation period is required after oBINutuzumab administration. Patient can be discharged from treatment room if stable whether they had a reaction or not

Recommended Support Medications		
Drug	Dose	CCMB Administration Guideline
ondansetron	8 mg	Orally 30 minutes prior to chlorambucil on Days 1 and 15
metoclopramide	10 – 20 mg	Orally every 4 hours as needed for nausea and vomiting

DISCHARGE INSTRUCTIONS

- Patients should be instructed to contact their cancer team immediately if symptoms of hypersensitivity reactions occur after discharge
- Instruct patient to continue taking anti-emetic(s) at home
- chlorambucil is a cancer therapy in this treatment regimen. Remind patient to take chlorambucil at home (Days 1 and 15)
- chlorambucil is stored in the refrigerator
- Reinforce applicable safe handling precautions of medications, blood and body fluids for 48 hours after completion of chemotherapy

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Administering nurse must document any infusion-related reactions with any dose of oBINutuzumab
- Ensure there were **no Grade 3 or 4** infusion-related reactions with the three preceding infusions prior to administering oBINutuzumab via rapid infusion. Patients will be switched to rapid infusion at Cycle 2, Day 1 if lymphocyte count is less than $5 \times 10^9/L$
- Note: For Cycles 2 to 6, an entry called "Physician Reminder oBlNutuzumab infusion time 1 Units Insert Miscellaneous once" will appear in the electronic drug order. No action is required. This prompt is to remind the prescriber to confirm that patient is eligible for oBlNutuzumab rapid infusion
- For Cycle 1, Days 1 and 2, oBINutuzumab administration is 6 to 8 hours on average. Treatment should be booked for earliest morning appointment
- Administration site restrictions are in place for oBINutuzumab as per CCMB Drug Formulary. Cycle 1, Days 1 and 2 must be administered at CCMB MacCharles or Tache in Winnipeg

