IS INTERIM PET OF CLINICAL VALUE IN LYMPHOMAS OTHER THAN HL AND DLBCL? OR CLINICAL CONSEQUENCES FROM AND EARLY RESPONSE SCAN?

Hagenbeek

Low grade malignant lymphomas

Follicular, NHL, grades I-3A

SLL

MZL/MALT

CLL

No clinical consequences given biology

Very aggressive lymphomas

Lymphoblastic

Burkitt

Not much to escalate after interim PET (+) scan

NB Scanty data/collection of end of tx PET data

Currently ongoing interim PET studies in:

MCL (European studies)
PMBCL (Israel abstract B114)
T-cell lymphomas
(Japan/B107; Korea B110)

Ultimate question: Will interim PET lead to improved treatment outcome?