

805P: Predicting recurrence-free survival for patients with stage II melanoma – a validated tool to guide selection for adjuvant systemic therapy

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Background

- Keynote 716: improved recurrence-free survival (RFS) for sentinel node negative Stage IIB/C melanoma patients given adjuvant pembrolizumab¹
- Risk:benefit assessment for adjuvant systemic therapy requires accurate, personalised prediction of RFS
- AJCC 8th Edition (AJCC-8) estimates melanoma-specific survival (MSS)²

Objective

To develop a user-friendly, externally validated tool for predicting RFS and overall survival (OS) in stage II melanoma patients (with or without sentinel node biopsy)

- Methods
- Development cohort: Melanoma Institute Australia (MIA) database (n=3243)
 Stage II melanoma diagnosed 01/01/1985 31/12/2010
- (sentinel node negative or no sentinel node biopsy done)Multivariable Cox regression RFS and OS prediction models developed
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 External validation cohorts:
 - a. Dutch national cancer registry (PALGA) (n=8631)
 - b. MD Anderson Cancer Center (n=703).
- Performance assessment: C-statistics (AUC), decision curve analyses and calibration plots

Conclusions

- Large discrimination gains over AJCC-8 staging:
- RFS AUC gain (7.5-12.2%)
- OS AUC gain(4.6-15.7%)
- Good calibration
- External validation: good performance in both institutional and national registry datasets
- Online tool will be at <u>www.melanoma.org.au</u> (once published)



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