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#### A - Regimen Name

# CISPGEMC(W) Regimen

**CISplatin-Gemcitabine** 

**Disease Site** Gastrointestinal

**Pancreas** 

**Intent** Palliative

# Regimen Category

#### **Evidence-informed:**

Regimen is considered appropriate as part of the standard care of patients; meaningfully improves outcomes (survival, quality of life), tolerability or costs compared to alternatives (recommended by the Disease Site Team and national consensus body e.g. pan-Canadian Oncology Drug Review, pCODR). Recommendation is based on an appropriately conducted phase III clinical trial relevant to the Canadian context OR (where phase III trials are not feasible) an appropriately sized phase II trial. Regimens where one or more drugs are not approved by Health Canada for any indication will be identified under Rationale and Use.

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# Rationale and Uses

For the treatment of locally advanced or metastatic pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma with germline BRCA/PALB2 mutation.

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# **B** - Drug Regimen

<u>CISplatin</u> 25 mg /m<sup>2</sup> IV Days 1 and 8

gemcitabine 600 mg /m<sup>2</sup> IV Days 1 and 8

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# **C** - Cycle Frequency

# **REPEAT EVERY 21 DAYS**

Until disease progression or unacceptable toxicity, usually up to 6 cycles due to cumulative cisplatin toxicity

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# **D** - Premedication and Supportive Measures

**Antiemetic Regimen:** Moderate

# Other Supportive Care:

Also refer to CCO Antiemetic Recommendations.

All patients should receive adequate hydration and premedication for emesis, according to local guidelines.

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# J - Administrative Information

Approximate Patient Visit 3 hours

Pharmacy Workload (average time per visit) 34.104 minutes

Nursing Workload (average time per visit) 46.667 minutes

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#### **K** - References

O'Reilly EM, Lee JW, Zalupski M, et al. Randomized, Multicenter, Phase II Trial of Gemcitabine and Cisplatin With or Without Veliparib in Patients With Pancreas Adenocarcinoma and a Germline *BRCA/PALB2* Mutation. J Clin Oncol. 2020 May 1;38(13):1378-1388.

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