

Regimen Monograph

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A - Regimen Name

OXALRALT+ZOLB Regimen

Oxaliplatin-Raltitrexed-Zolbetuximab

Disease Site Gastrointestinal
Gastric / Stomach

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 First-line treatment of CLDN18.2 positive, HER2-negative locally advanced unresectable or metastatic gastric or gastroesophageal junction (GEJ) adenocarcinoma, in patients who cannot receive fluorouracil

(Refer to the NDFP eligibility form for detailed funding criteria.)

**Supplementary
Public Funding**

[zolbetuximab](#)

New Drug Funding Program (Zolbetuximab - First-line Treatment of Advanced Gastric and Gastroesophageal Junction Adenocarcinoma) ([NDFP Website](#))

[raltitrexed](#)

New Drug Funding Program (Raltitrexed - Metastatic Esophageal, Gastroesophageal Junction, or Gastric Cancer) ([NDFP Website](#))

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B - Drug Regimen

Cycle 1:

zolbetuximab ¹	800 mg /m ²	IV loading dose	Day 1
raltitrexed	3 mg /m ²	IV	Day 1
oxaliplatin	100-130 mg /m ²	IV	Day 1

Cycle 2 and beyond:

zolbetuximab ¹	600 mg /m ²	IV maintenance dose	Day 1
raltitrexed	3 mg /m ²	IV	Day 1
oxaliplatin	100-130 mg /m ²	IV	Day 1

¹Give zolbetuximab before chemotherapy when given on the same day.

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C - Cycle Frequency**REPEAT EVERY 21 DAYS**

Until disease progression or unacceptable toxicity

If chemotherapy is discontinued, zolbetuximab may be continued as single agent, until disease progression or unacceptable toxicity. (Refer to ZOLB(MNT).)

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D - Premedication and Supportive Measures

Antiemetic Regimen: High

- Also refer to [CCO Antiemetic Recommendations](#).

Screen for hepatitis B virus in all cancer patients starting systemic treatment. Refer to the [hepatitis B virus screening and management](#) guideline.

Other Supportive Care:

- Avoid mucositis prophylaxis with ice chips as cold temperatures can precipitate or exacerbate acute neurological symptoms of oxaliplatin.

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J - Administrative Information

Approximate Patient Visit	5 hours
Pharmacy Workload (average time per visit)	59.790 minutes
Nursing Workload (average time per visit)	67.50 minutes

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K - References

Oxaliplatin drug monograph. Ontario Health (Cancer Care Ontario).

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