

Regimen Monograph

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A - Regimen Name

TECL Regimen

Teclistamab

Disease Site Hematologic
Multiple Myeloma

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 Treatment of relapsed or refractory myeloma in patients who have received previous therapies including an immunomodulatory agent, a proteasome inhibitor, and an anti-CD38 antibody

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B - Drug Regimen**Step-up Dose 1:**

teclistamab	0.06 mg /kg	Subcut	One-time dose*
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(This drug is not publicly funded. Universal compassionate access program is available.)

Then, wait 2 to 7 days and give Step-up Dose 2:

teclistamab	0.3 mg /kg	Subcut	One-time dose*
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(This drug is not publicly funded. Universal compassionate access program is available.)

Wait 2 to 7 days, then:

teclistamab	1.5 mg /kg	Subcut	Once weekly*
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(This drug is not publicly funded. Universal compassionate access program is available.)

*Refer to the dose banding tables in the product monograph for the step-up and treatment doses.

Inpatient admission may be required for cytokine release syndrome monitoring.

Note: ST-QBP funding for ambulatory administration only

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C - Cycle Frequency**Repeat once weekly**

Until disease progression or unacceptable toxicity

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D - Premedication and Supportive Measures

Antiemetic Regimen: Minimal

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

Premedications:

Give 1 to 3 hours prior to each step-up dose and first treatment dose*, to reduce the risk of cytokine release syndrome:

- Corticosteroid (oral or intravenous dexamethasone, 16 mg)
- Antihistamine (oral or intravenous diphenhydramine, 50 mg or equivalent)
- Antipyretic (oral or intravenous acetaminophen, 650 mg to 1000 mg or equivalent)

*May be required prior to other doses. Refer to the product monograph for details.

Other Supportive care:

- Consider prophylaxis against *Pneumocystis jirovecii* pneumonia (PJP) and herpes virus infections.
- Consider other antimicrobial prophylaxis as per local guidelines.
- Teclistamab should be administered to adequately hydrated patients.
- Patients at risk of tumour lysis syndrome should have appropriate prophylaxis and be monitored closely.

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J - Administrative Information

Approximate Patient Visit	1.5 hours
Pharmacy Workload (average time per visit)	17.000 minutes
Nursing Workload (average time per visit)	44.833 minutes

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K - References

Moreau P, Garfall AL, van de Donk NWCJ, et al. Teclistamab in relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma. *N Engl J Med* 2022 Aug 11;387(6):495-505.

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