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**DIFFICULT CLIMBING: TREATMENT OF GLIOMAS
AND A TRIBUTE TO PROF. G.P.BITI**



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**An overview of the draft of the AIRO Guidelines for
CNS tumors**

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Why do we need CNS tumors guidelines?

The standard definition of Clinical practice guidelines is that of Field and Lohr [1990]: "systematically developed statements to assist practitioners and patient decisions about appropriate health care for specific circumstances".

The CNS intergroup of AIRO decided to create guidelines to support decision-making processes in patient care.

The content of these guidelines is based on a systematic review of clinical evidence.

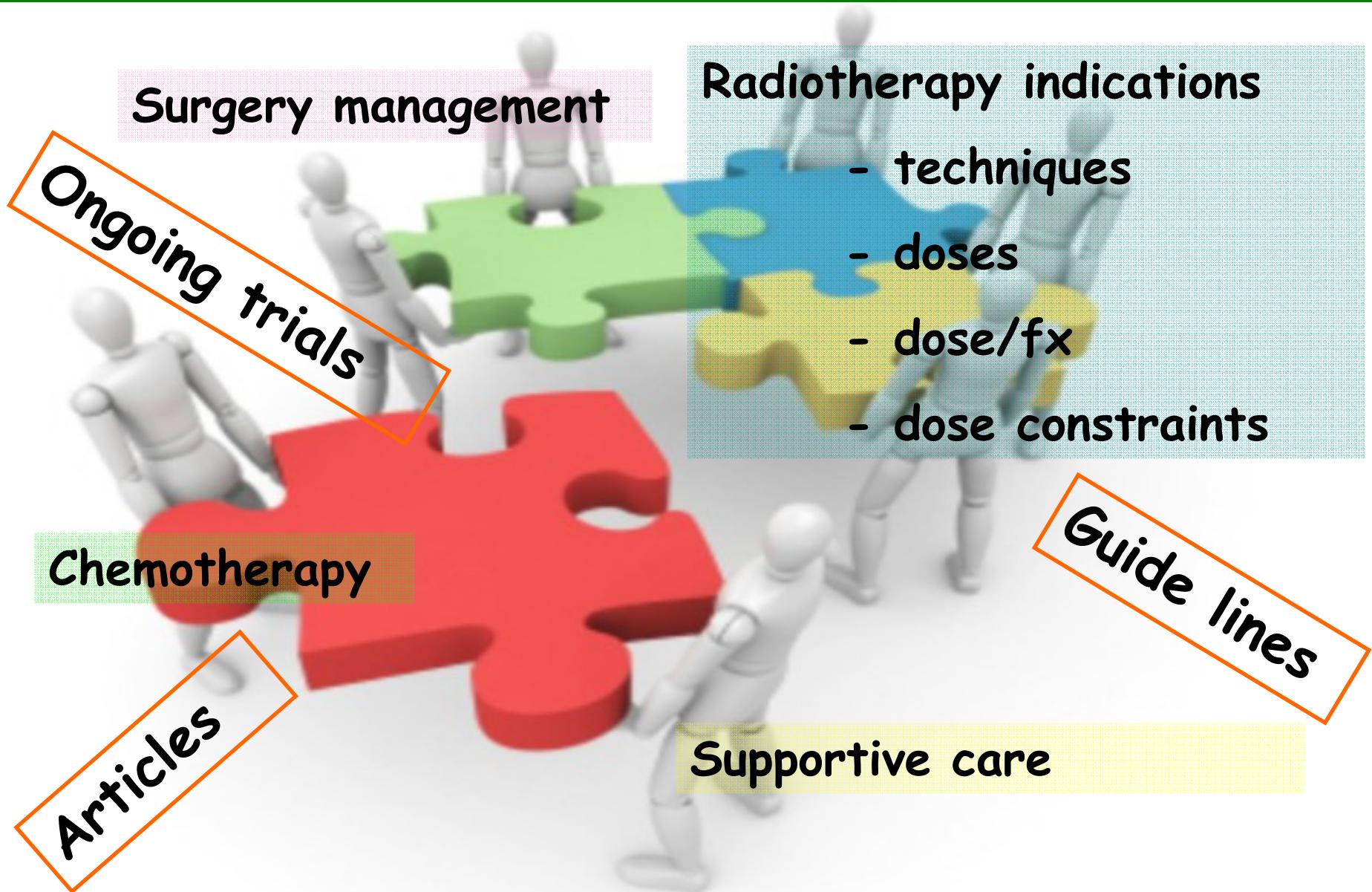
AIRO group

Macro-capitolo	Argomento	Estensore	Revisore
Tumori -extrassiali	Adenomi ipofisari	Giacobazzi (Modena)	Balducci (Roma Cattolica)
	Meningomi Neurinomi	Masini (Novara)	Fusco (Rionero in Vulture)
Tumori rari dell'età adulta	Ependimomi, medulloblastomi	Navarria (Milano-Humanitas)	Ricardi (Torino)
	Cordomi e condrosarcomi	Amelio (Trento ATREP)	Santoni (Roma)
Localizzazioni secondarie al SNC	M1 cerebrali	Amelio (Trento ATREP)	Bertoni (Modena)
	M1 spinali	Ciammella (Reggio Emilia)	Antognoni (Varese)
	Diffusioni meningei, leucemiche e di tumori solidi	Buglione M (Brescia)	Fariselli (Mi-Besta)
Gliomi basso grado	Gliomi I-II	Scoccianti (Firenze)	Sotti (Padova)
Gliomi alto grado	Gliomi III	Minniti (Roma St.Andrea)	Magrini (Brescia)
	GBL	Buglione (Brescia)	Krengli (Novara)
Linfomi	Linfomi primitivi del SNC	Chiesa (Roma Cattolica)	Pirtoli (Siena)
Organi a rischio	Limiti di dose OAR; frazionamento convenzionale e non convenzionale/stereotassi; contornamento	Ciammella (Reggio-Emilia) Montesi (Perugia) Borghetti (Brescia)	Tombolini (Roma - Sapienza)

Which way have we worked?



The investigation focused on ...



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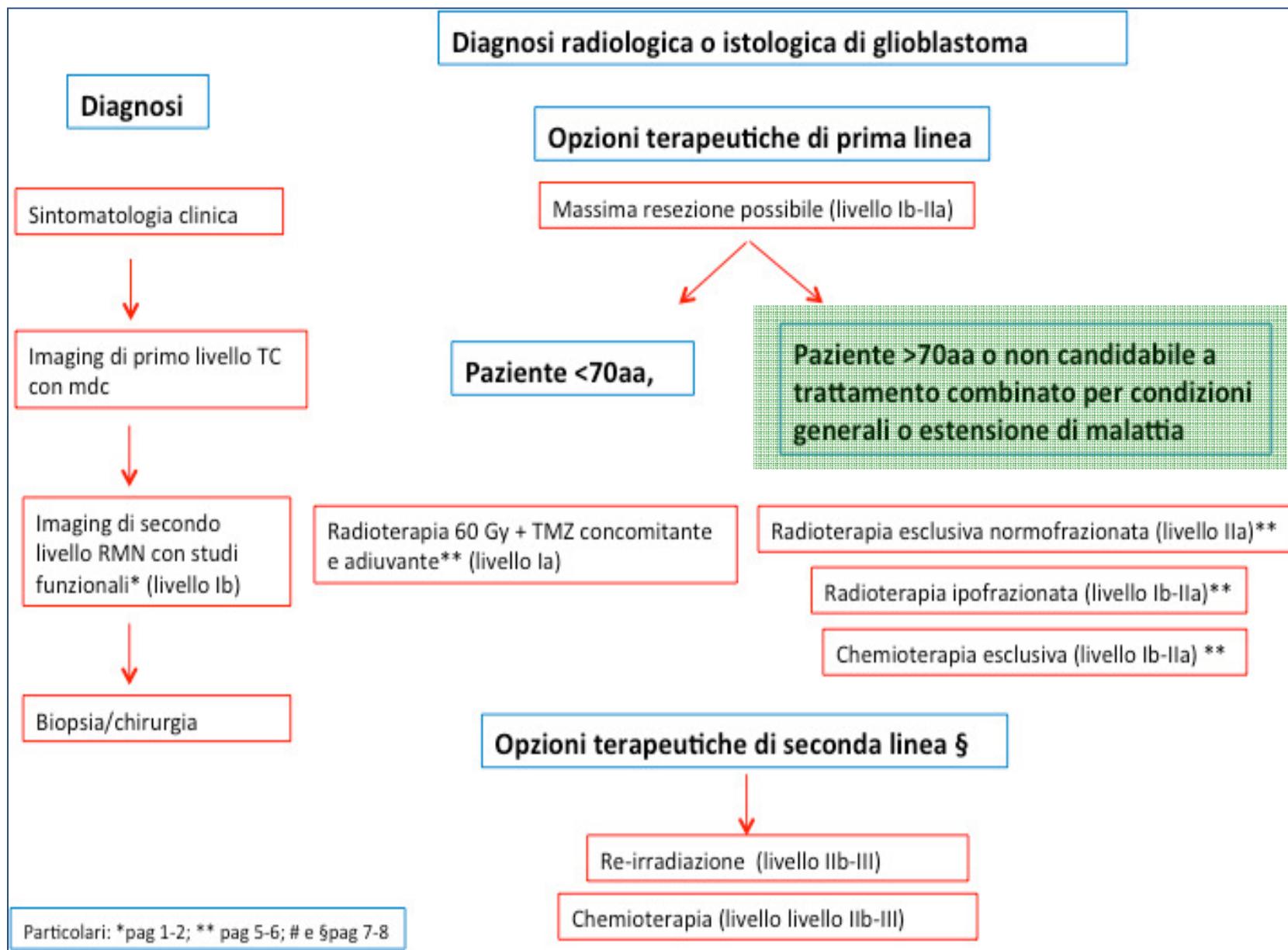
CLINICAL INVESTIGATION

BENIGN MENINGIOMA: PARTIALLY RESECTED, BIOPSIED, AND RECURRENT INTRACRANIAL TUMORS TREATED WITH COMBINED PROTON AND PHOTON RADIOTHERAPY

Central Nervous System



Some examples ... GBM





“Studio clinico randomizzato prospettico di fase II in pazienti affetti da glioblastoma classe prognostica RPA V e VI: confronto tra Radioterapia (RT) ipofrazionata 30 Gy (6 frazioni in due settimane) e Temozolomide (TMZ) esclusiva (200 mg/mq/die per 5 gg ogni 28) ”

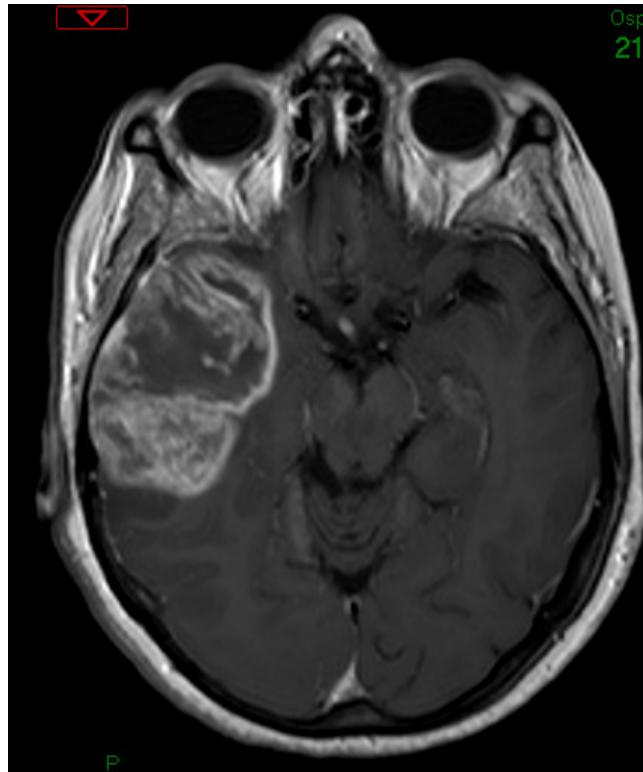
End-Points

- Primary:** Progression disease
Secondary: Quality adjusted survival
Survival

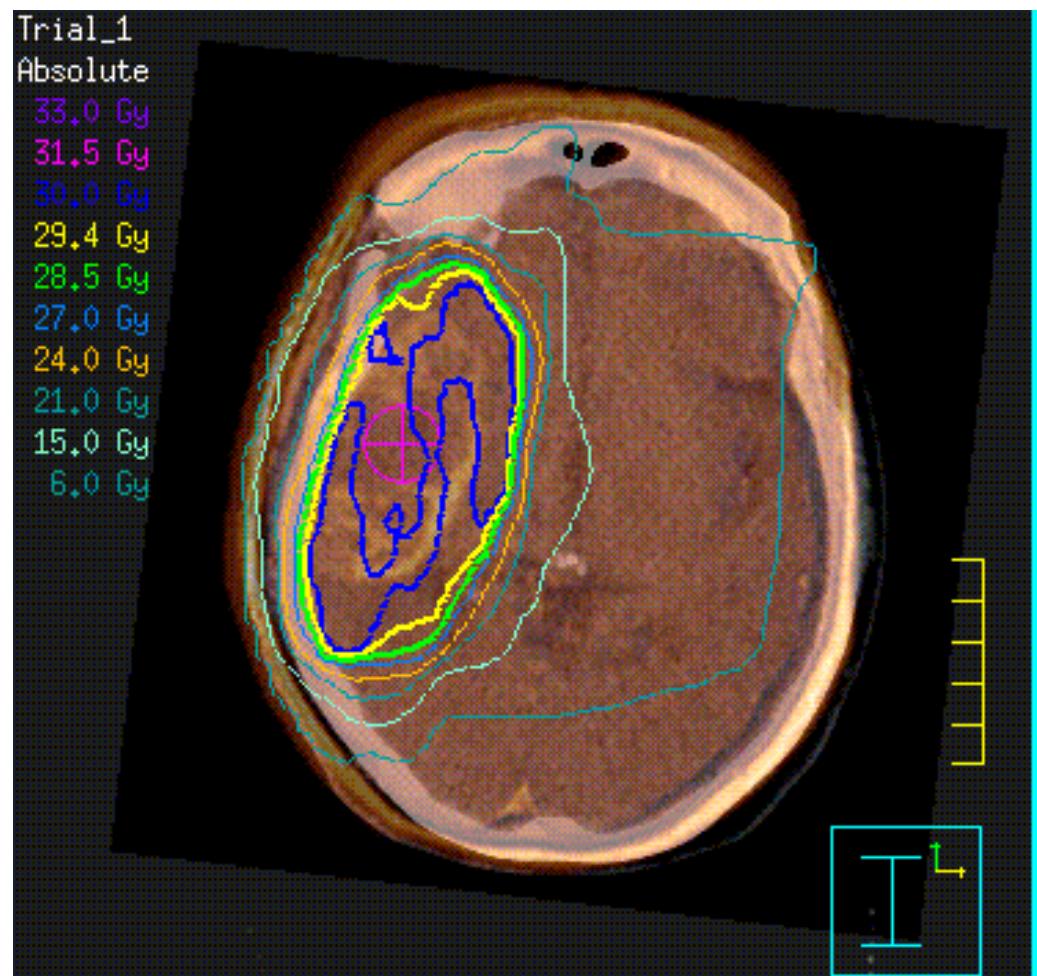
G.M. 69 ys

July, 2012: worsening headache

MRI: cerebral mass. No surgery indication



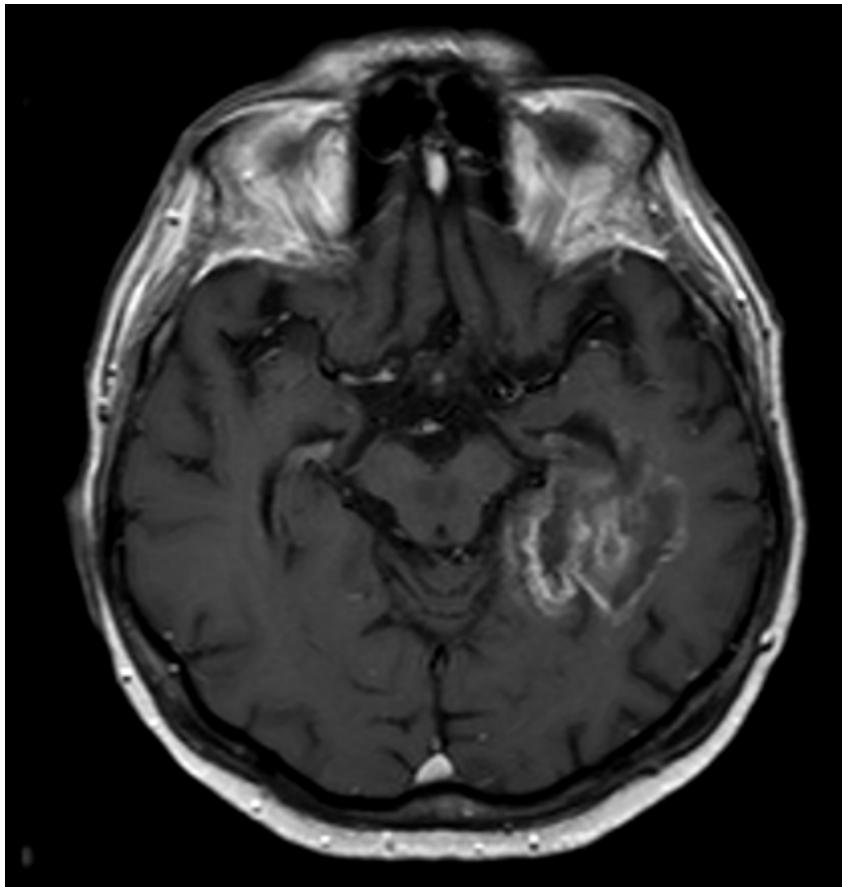
Treatment planning
with MRI fusion



S.Z. 70 ys

July, 2011: worsening headache + aphasia

MRI: cerebral mass. No surgery indication



TMZ 200 mg/mq/die
5dy/month

**Combining Hypofractionation with Dose escalation in High Grade Gliomas
(RPA classes III and IV): Simultaneous Integrated Boost
Phase II - Prospective trial**

End-Points

Primary: Overall Survival

Secondary: Progression free, quality of life

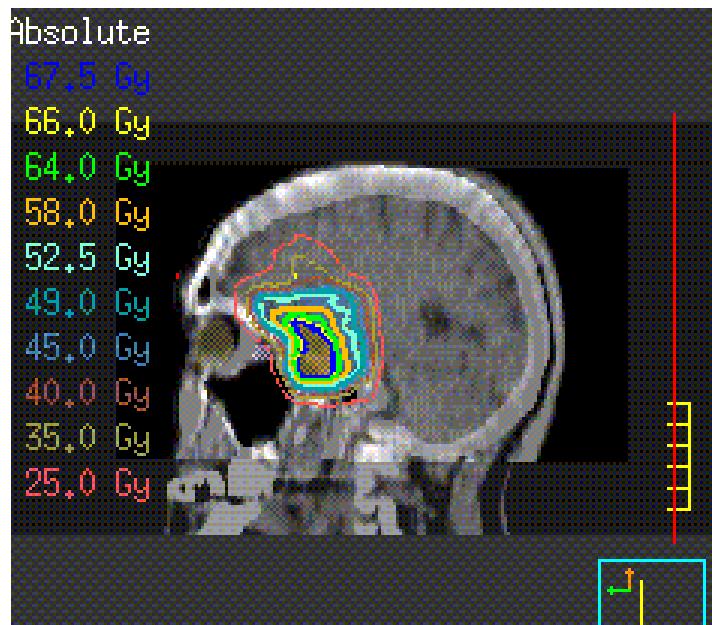
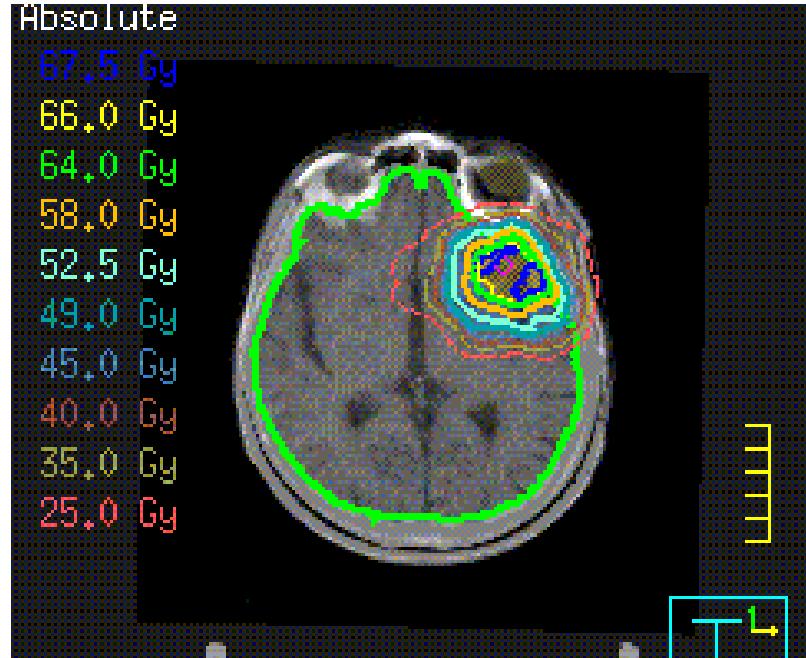
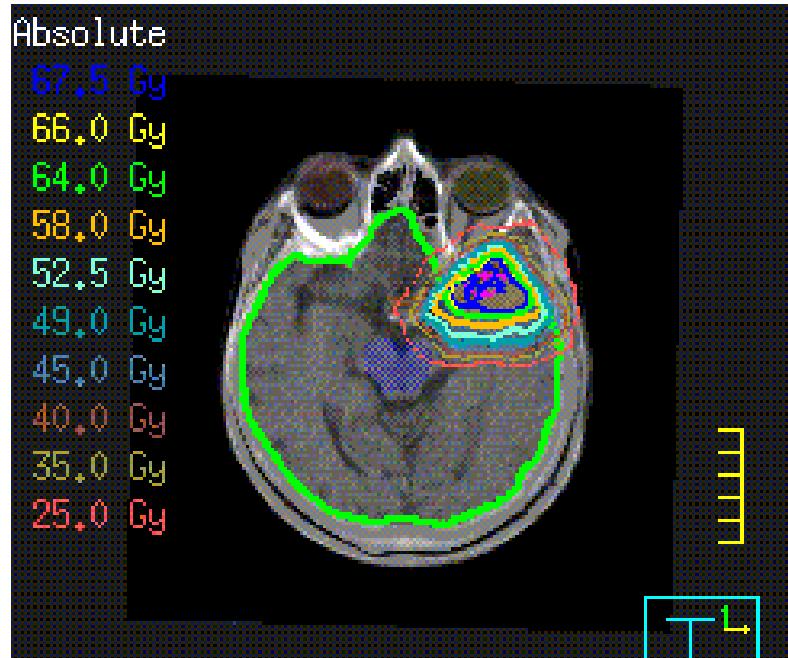
D.M. 60 ys

April, 2010: worsening headache

MRI: cerebral mass.

May, 2010: surgical excision

IMRT-SIB



Cerebral IMRT SIB X 6MV.
CTV1 67.5 Gy 4.5Gy/fx,
CTV2 52.5 3.5Gy/fx

Some examples ... meningioma

Diagnosi radiologica:

- massa di origine durale ± peduncolo durale;
- presa di contrasto omogenea;
- netta demarcazione dal liquor

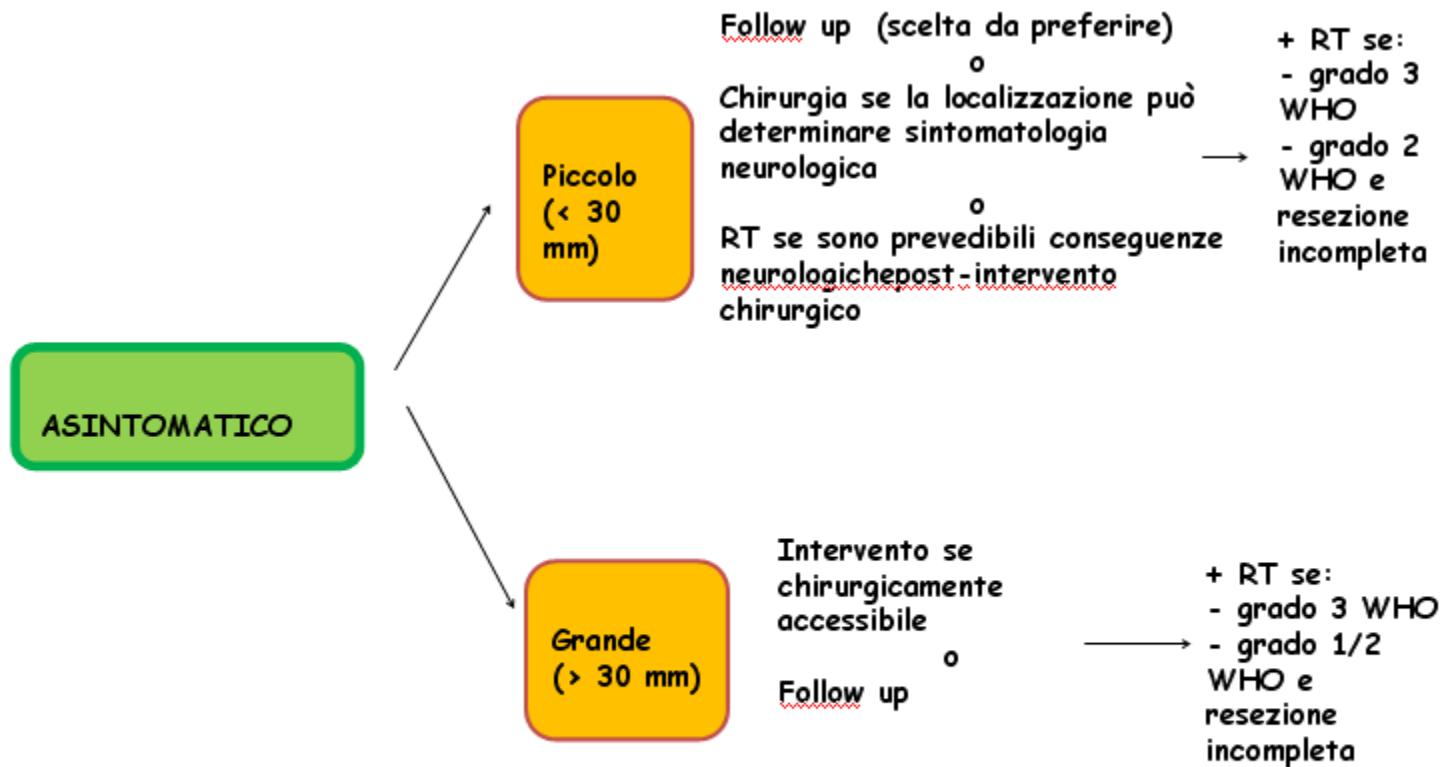


Diagnosi certa con criteri radiologici
o
Possibile diagnosi di **meningioma**:

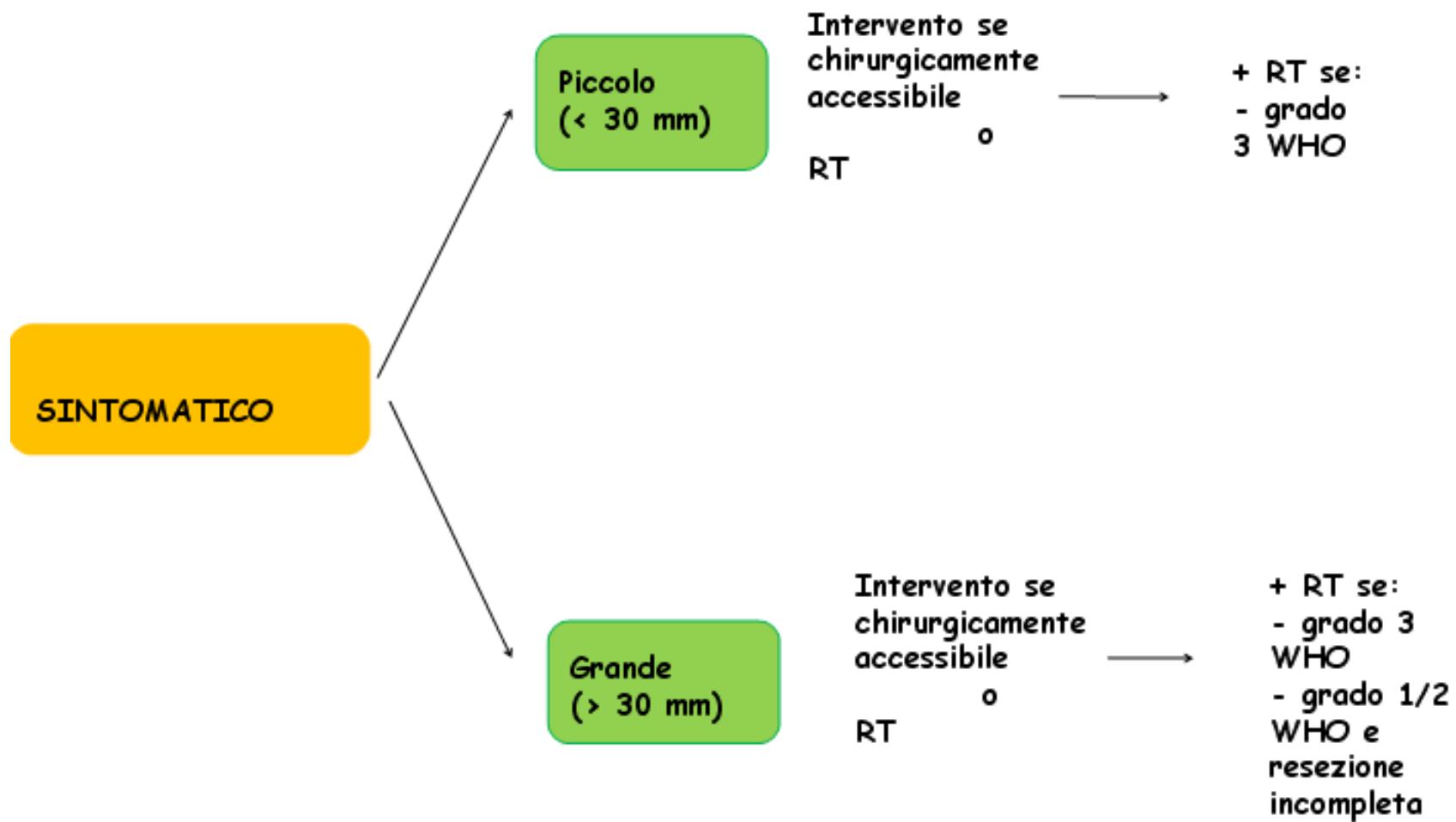
- considerare biopsia/resezione;
- considerare onctreotide-scan se esistono dei dubbi diagnostici

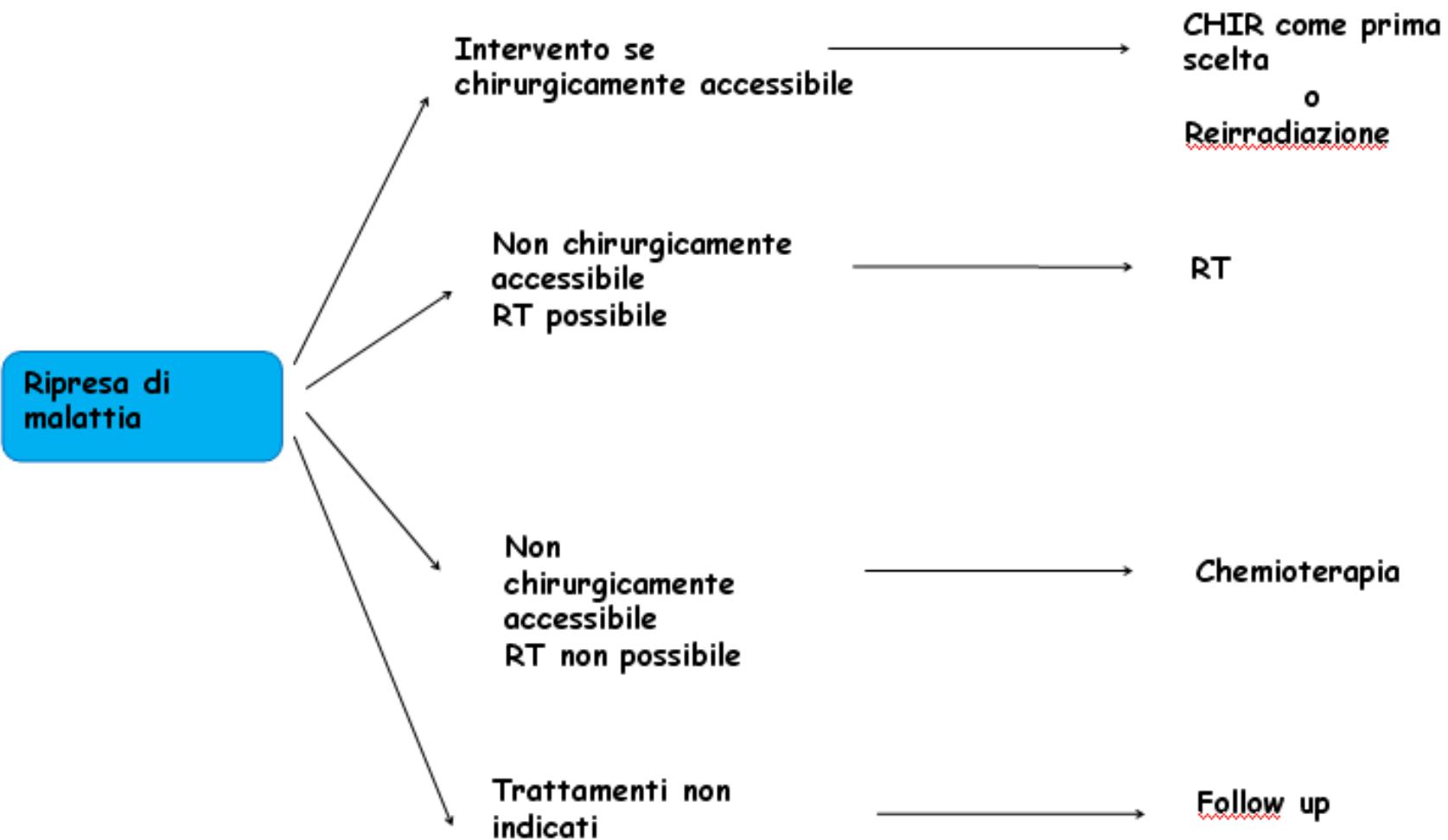
ASINTOMATICO

SINTOMATICO



Tutte le raccomandazioni sono di categoria 2A





Technical aspects: target volume definition, doses, emerging techniques

Volumi Target:

- GTV residuo
- CTV = GTV o cavità chirurgica
- CTV meningomi atipici = GTV +1 - 2 cm di margine
- CTV meningioma anaplastico = GTV + 2 - 3 cm di margine
- PTV 1 - 5 mm in relazione alla tecnica RT usata

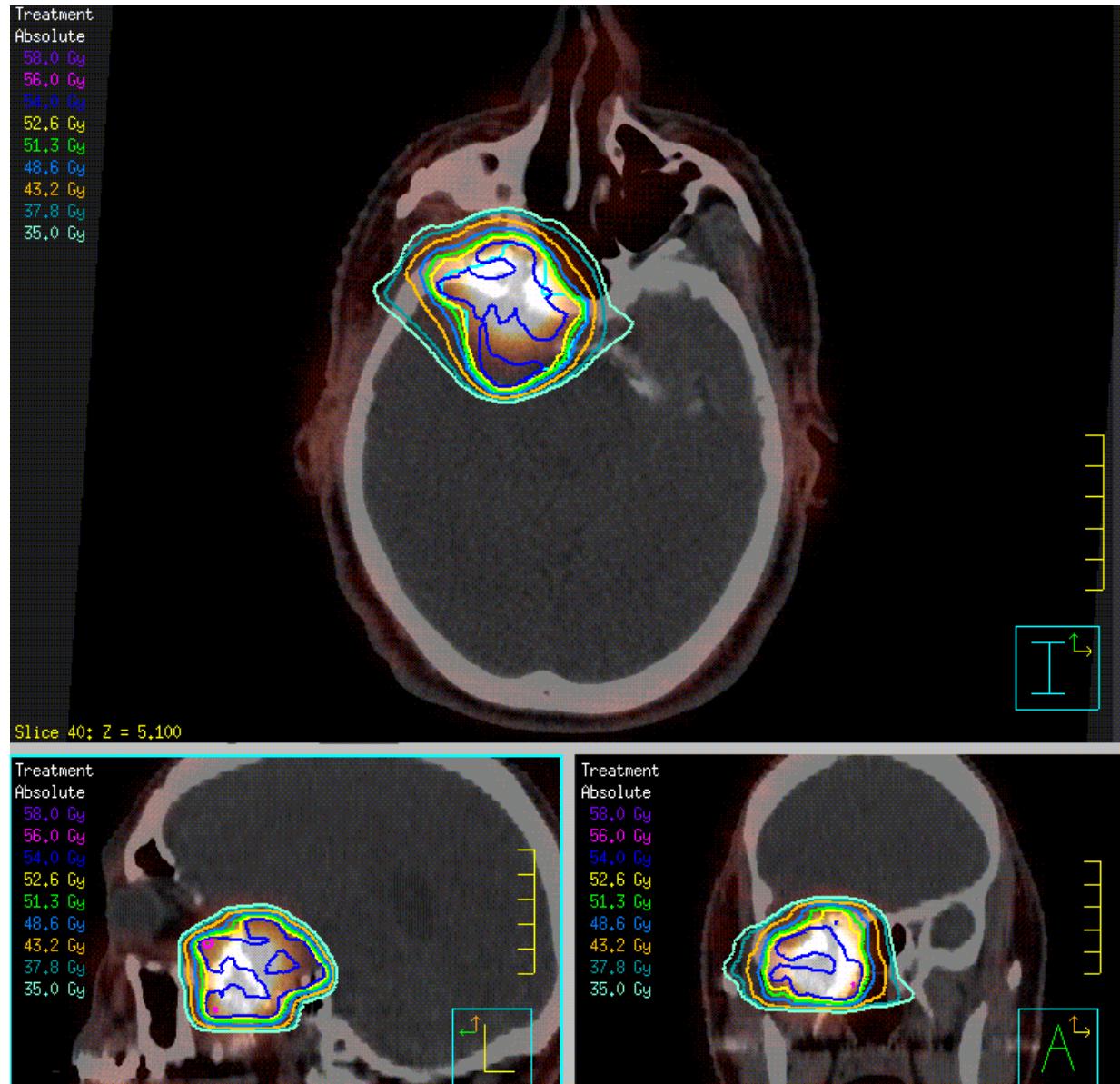
Tecnica Radioterapica (in relazione alla disponibilità e alla sede della neoplasia)

- Radioterapia 3D-conformazionale
- Radioterapia stereotassica frazionata (FSRT)- Radiochirurgia
- Radioterapia a intensità modulata (IMRT)
- Terapia con particelle : protoni e ioni carbonio

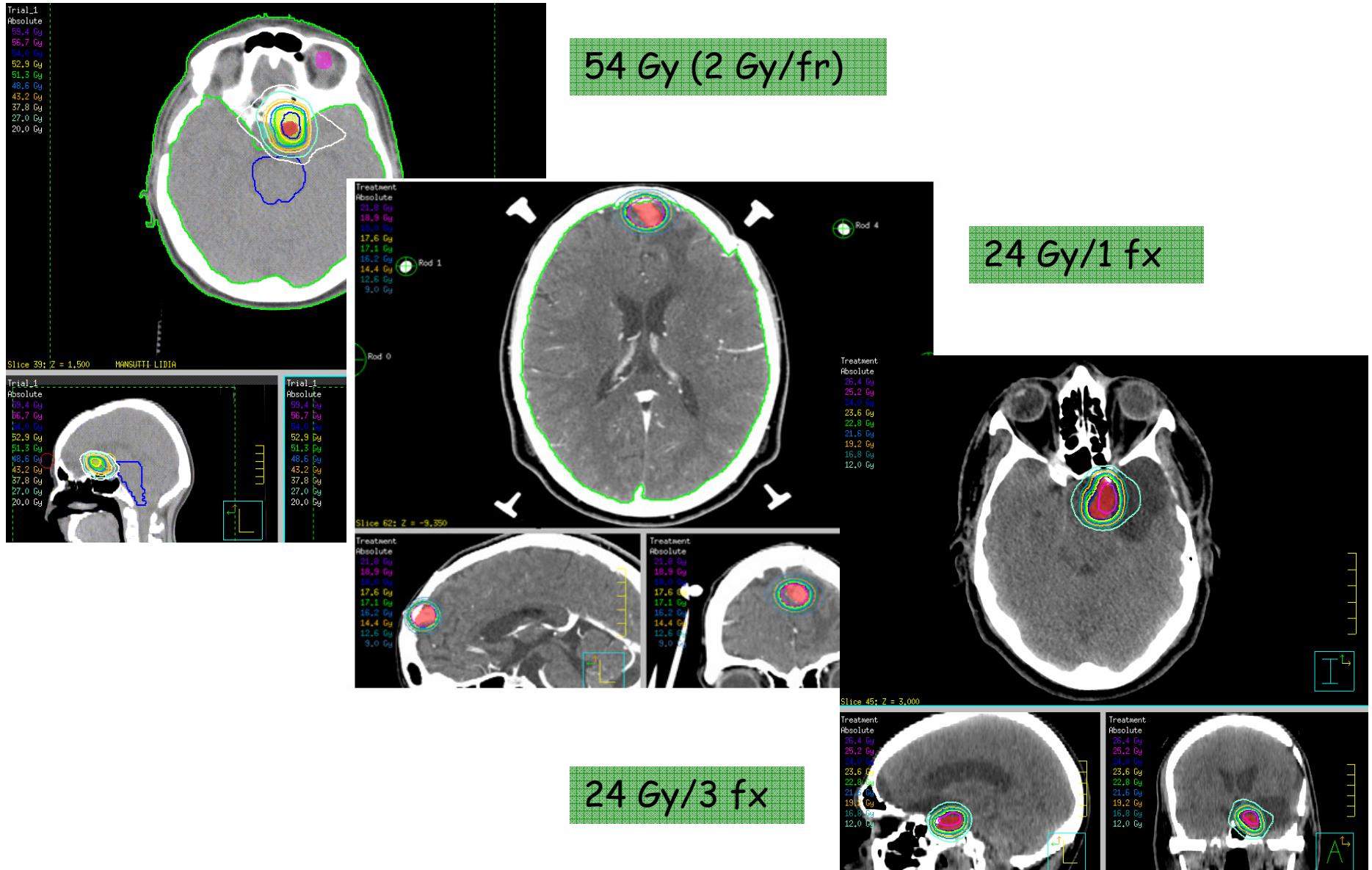
Dose

- \geq 60 Gy atipici
- \geq 66 Gy maligni
- 54 Gy fraz 2 Gy, meningomi benigni, 12-14 Gy radiochirurgia

Technical aspect: FSRT



Technical aspect: IMRT, radiosurgery and FSRT



Conclusion



These guidelines have to be evaluated by the AIRO CD and then they could be used by every radiation oncologist....

