



Adroterapia Evidenze Cliniche

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*Improvement in
Technology*



*Improvement in
Dose Distribution*

Improved Dose Distribution

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Technology

Smaller
volume



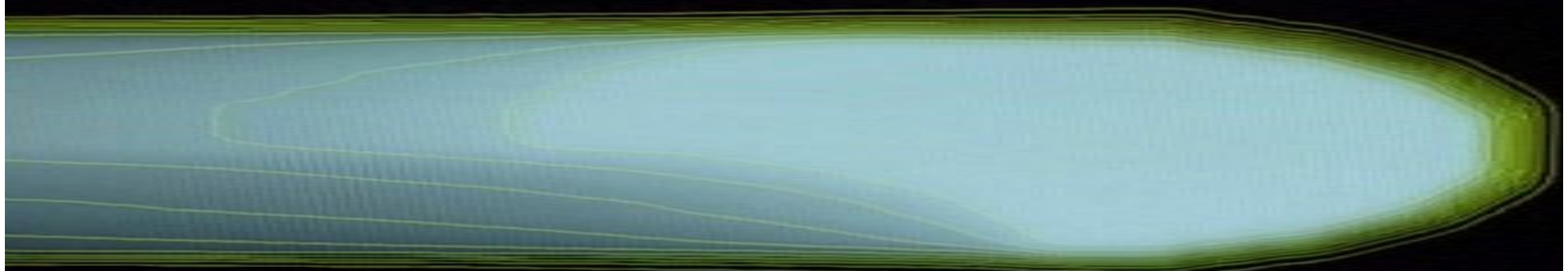
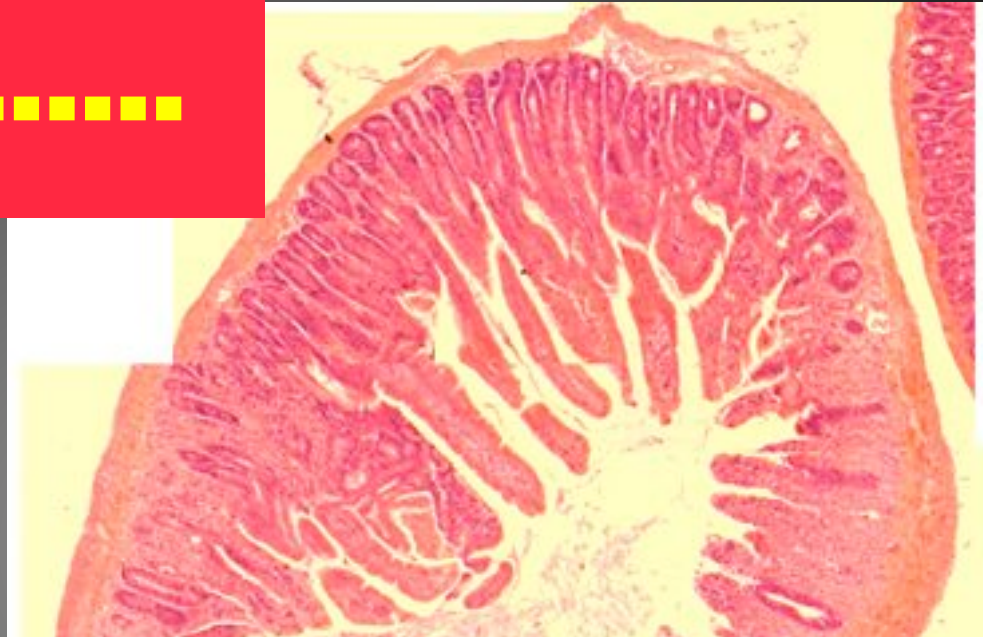
Higher
dose



Inverse Square Law

- > LC & Survival
- < Toxicity
- Shorter treatment

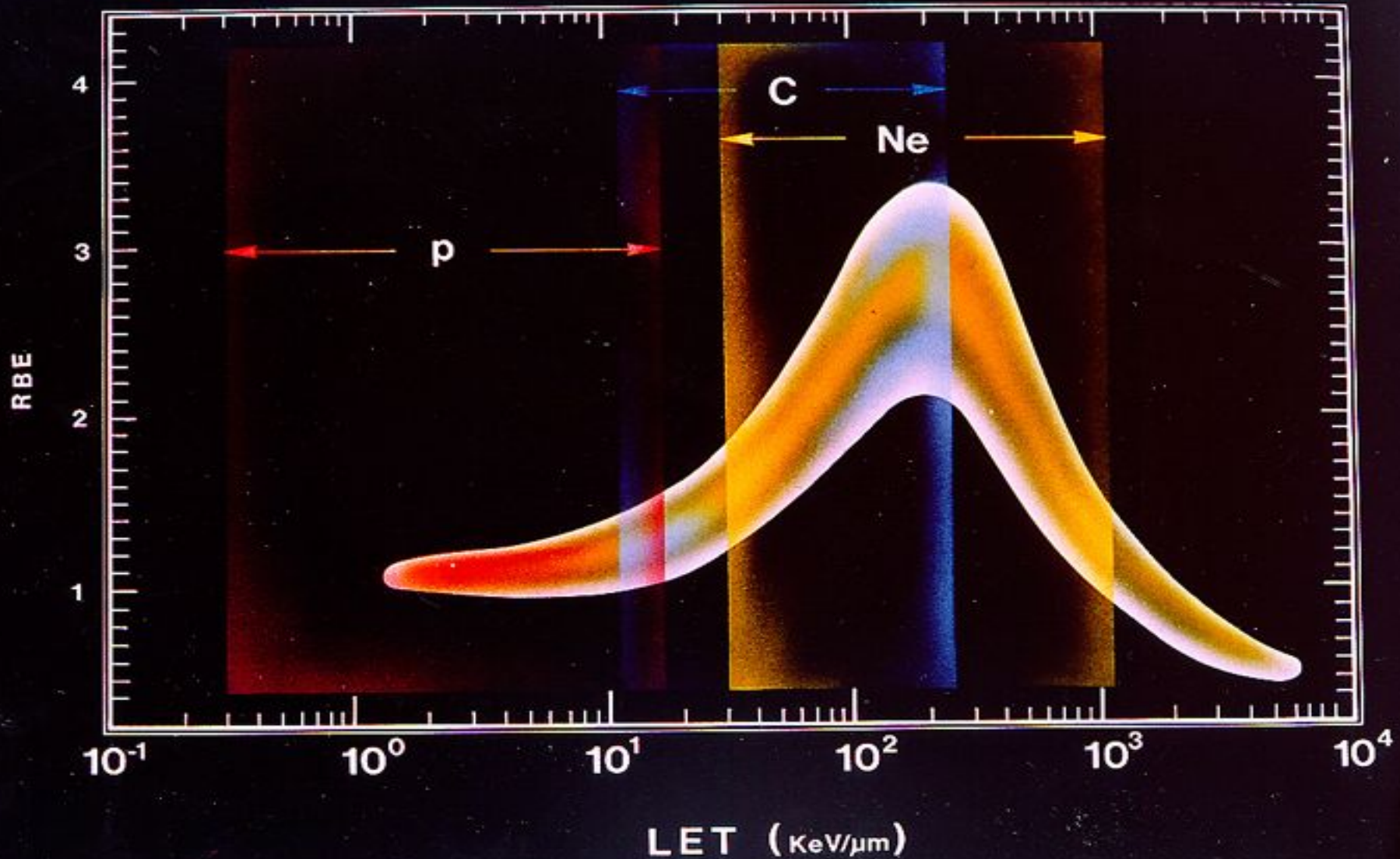
Hadrons. A new dimension



Physical Selectivity

- Inverted depth dose profile (Bragg peak)
- Defined penetration depth
- Less lateral scattering ($1H \neq C12$)
- Reduction of integral dose

Radiobiology of particles



Which tumors might benefit of high LET particles?

**Radioresistant
for genetic alteration**

Up-regulated
oncogenes

Mutated tumor
suppressor genes

Dis-regulated
apoptosis

**Radioresistant
for intratumoral
micromilieu**

Deprivation
of oxygen

Up-regulated
defense system

High angiogenic
potential

**Radioresistant
for proliferation status**

High content
of quiescent
cell clones

Slow
proliferation
activity



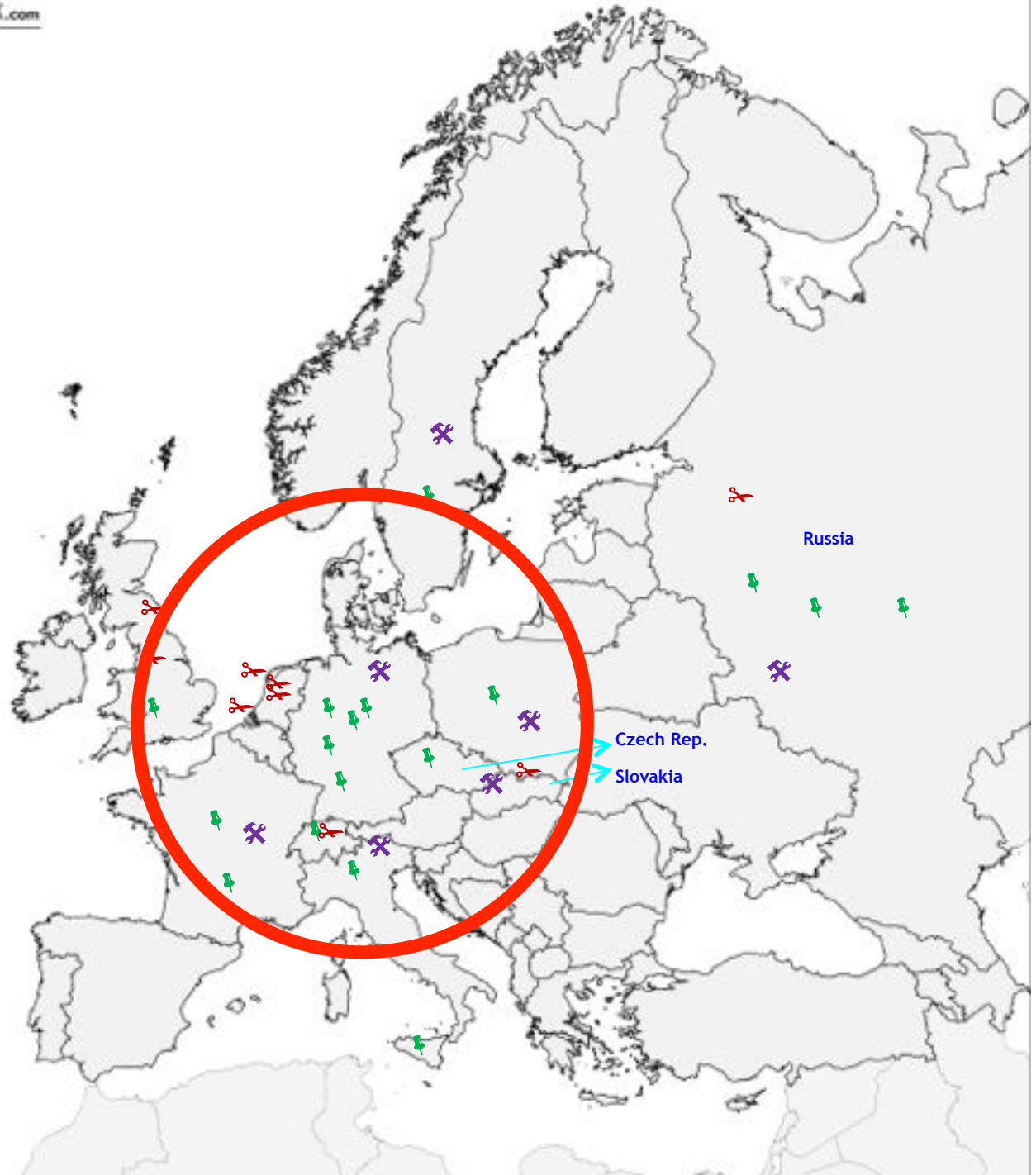
Worldwide Access to Hadrons



Europe

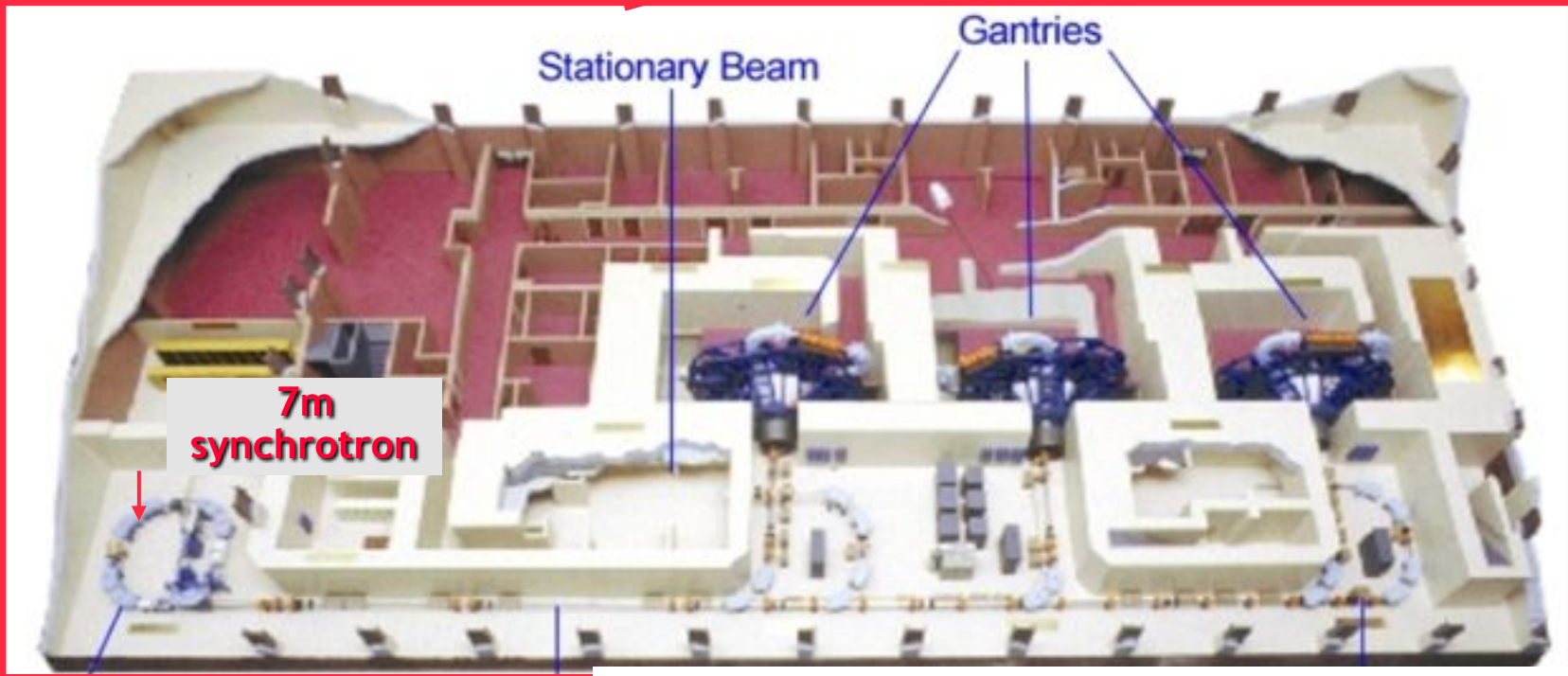


- ✂ under construction
- 📍 in operation
- ✂ in planning stage

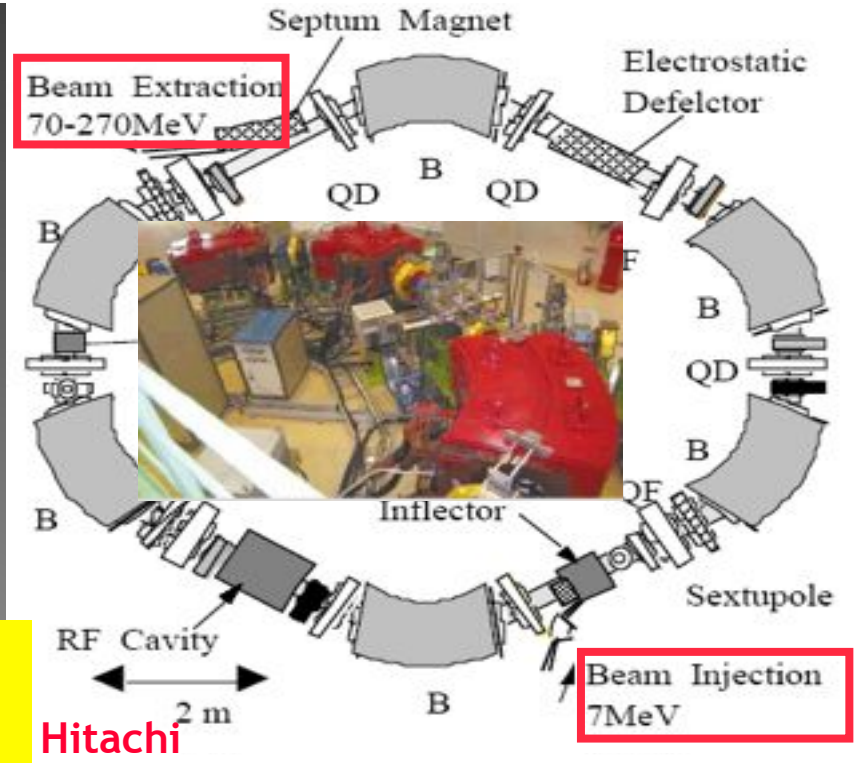


Loma Linda University Medical Center

**First hospital based
protontherapy centre
(1992)**



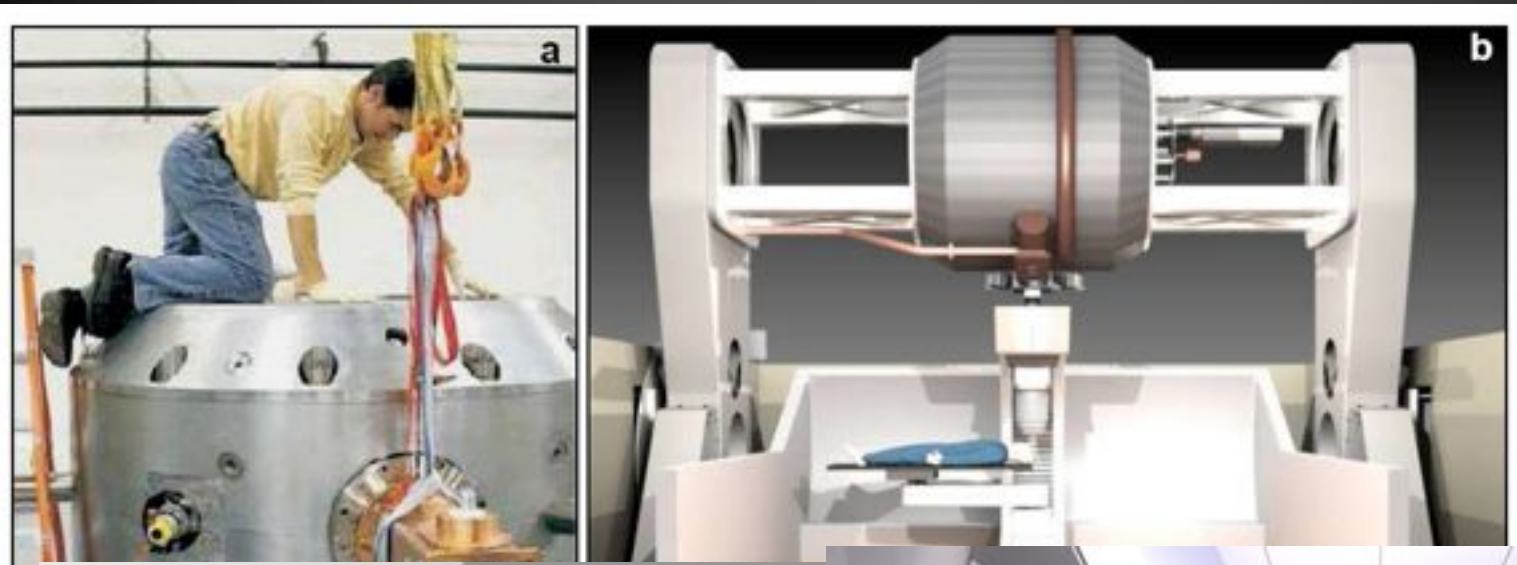
Optivus Ltd. commercialises this centre



Protontherapy: a market exists ...



Coming up: single room facility



Literature survey
In-silico studies
Cancer Registry

Standard
Indications

Recommends to treat

Improved
Local Control

Reduced
Side Effects

Recommends to investigate

Reduced
Second Tumors

Standard Indications

<1% of RT

Eye, Pediatrics, Base of skull

Improved LC

3% of RT

**Intracranial, H&N, Urologic,
Lung, Sarcoma, Reirradiation**

Reduced Side Effects

12% of RT

**Intracranial, H&N, Urologic, Lung,
Breast, GI, Lymphoma,
Sarcoma, Gynecological**

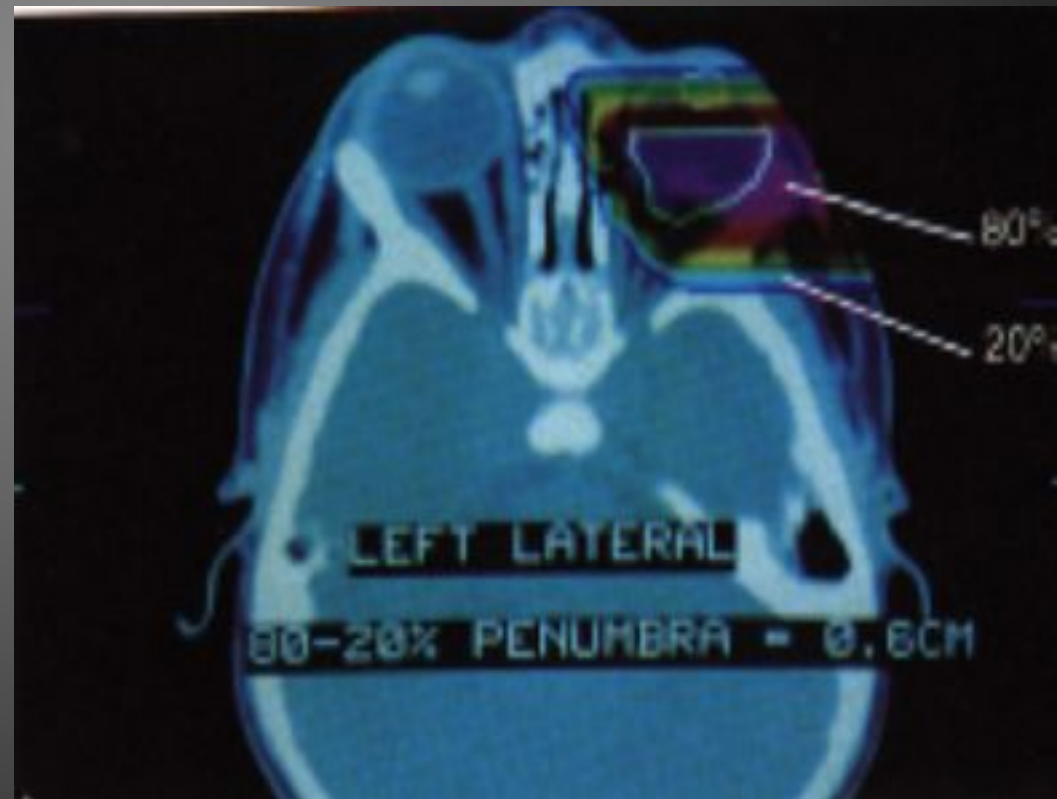
Reduced Second Tumors

2% of RT

Breast, Lymphoma, Testis

UVEAL MELANOMA

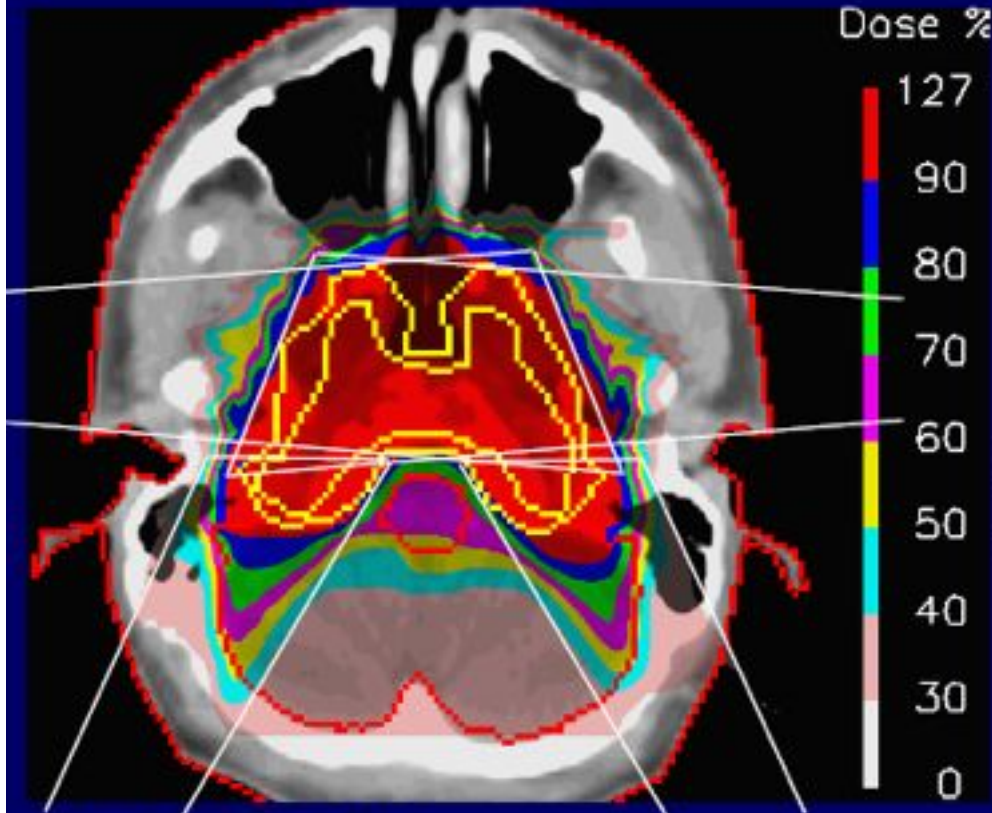
- More than 10,000 patients treated
(MGH/HCL Boston, PSI Villingen, Nice & Orsay,
Clatterbridge)
- 5y-LC rate >95%
- Eye preservation >90%
- Visual acuity >45%



Passive scattering - MGH

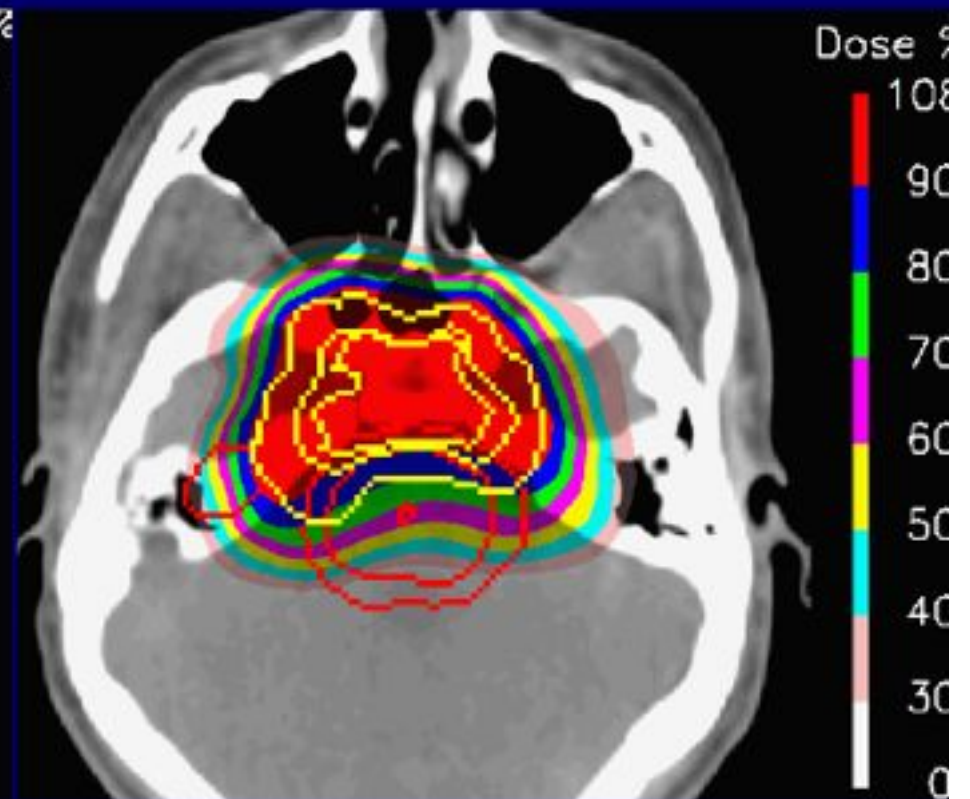
Field patching

Matching distal and lateral field edges



Courtesy of MGH

Spot-scanning technique - PSI



PT in Skull Base Chordomas and Chondrosarcomas

PT in Skull Base Chordomas and Chondrosarcomas

Reference	Institution	Pts	Histo-logy	RT	GTV	Dose , mean (CGE)	% LC	F-up (Months)
Hug et al, 1999	LLUMC	58	C (33) CS (25)	X+p	(9%): 0 to ≤15 mL (12%): >15 to ≤25 mL (79%): >25 mL	71.9 (66.6-79.2)	3 yrs: 67 (C) 5 yrs: 59 5 yrs: 79 (CS)	33 (7-75)
Munzenrider et al, 1999	MGH	290	C	X+p	NA	72 (70 – 75.6)	5 yrs: 73 (C)	41 (1-254)
		22					5 yrs: 98 (CS)	
Igaki et al, 2004	Tsukuba	13				mean 72.0 (65.0-95.0)	3 yrs: 67.1 (C) 5 yrs: 46.0	69.3 (14.6-123.4)
Noel et al, 2005	CPO	100	C	X+p	23 cm3 (1 - 125 cm3)	Median 67.0 (60.0-71.0)	2 yrs: 86 (C) 4 yrs: 53	31 (0-87)
Noel et al, 2004	CPO	26	Cs	X+p	NA	Median 67.0 (22-70)	3 yrs: 91 (CS)	34 (3-74)
Ares C et al, 2009	PSI	42	C (42) CS (22)	p	≤25 mL n=24 (C) , n= 15 (CS)	73.5 for C (67-74)	3yrs: 87 (C) 5yrs: 81	38 (14-92)
					> 25 mL n=18 (C) , n= 7 (CS)	68.4 for CS (63-74)	3 yrs: 94 (CS) 5 yrs: 94	

**5-y Local Control
Chordoma 59-81%
Chondrosarcoma 79-98%**

Carbon ion therapy in Skull Base Chordomas and Chondrosarcomas

Ref	Institution	Pts	Histo	RT	GTV Mean	Dose , mean (CGE)	% LC	Fu (Months)
Schulz-Ertner D et al, 2007	GSI	96	C	CRT	80.3 ml (13.9-594.2)	Median 60 (60-70) 3.0-3.5 GyE x 7 weekly	80 % at 3 yrs 70 % at 5 yrs	Mean 31 mo (3-91)
Schulz-Ertner D et al, 2007	GSI	54	CS	CRT	57.2 mL (range, 13.1–255.7 mL)	Median 60 (57-70) 3.0 GyE x 7 weekly	96.2 % at 3 yrs 89.8 % at 4 yrs	Median 33 months (3-84 mo.)
Mizoe et al, 2009 Hasegawa *, 2010	NIRS	39	C	CRT	51 cm ³ (2-328)	48-57.6 (10) 60.8 (29) 16 fractions for 4 weeks 3.0-3.6 / Fr 3.8/Fr	60 % at 5 for 48-57.6 Gy E 95 % at 5 for 60.8 GyE p =0.03	Mean 53 mo. (8-129)
		12	CS		NA	48-57.6 (2) 60.8 (10) 16 fractions for 4 weeks 3.0-3.6 / Fr 3.8/Fr	100 % at 5y	NA

•Up-dated analysis at international meeting

Proton therapy for Atypical and Malignant Meningiomas

Hug E, Journal of Neuro-Oncol 2000

Parameters/Results	Atypical Meningioma (AM)	Malignant Meningioma (MM)	p-Value
Photon RT only	4/15 (27%)	11/16 (73%)	—
Combined Proton/Photon RT	11/15 (73%)	5/16 (31%)	—
Mean RT Target Doses (Gy/CGE)	62	58	—
Range	50–68	40–72	—
Local Control	7/15 (47%)	6/13 (46%)*	—
At 5 years (actuarial)	38%	52%	—
At 8 years (actuarial)	19%	17%	—
Failure site			
In-field	6/8 (75%)	7/7 (100%)	—
Marginal	1/8	—	—
Not evaluable	1/8	—	—
RT Target Dose ≥60 versus <60 Gy/CGE	90% vs. 0%	100% vs. 0% (at 5 years)	0.025 (AM) 0.002 (MM)
Distant Metastasis	0/15	3/16 (19%)	—
Survival			
Alive	14/15 (93%)	6/16 (38%)	—
no evidence of disease	10/15 (67%)	6/16 (38%)	—
with disease	4/15 (37%)	0	—
Dead of disease	1/15 (07%)	10/16 (63%)	—
of intercurrent disease	0	0	—
At 5 years (actuarial)	89%	51%	0.02
At 8 years (actuarial)	89%	51%	0.02
RT dose ≥60 vs. <60 Gy/CGE	—	87% vs. 15% (at 5 years)	0.025

*excludes 3 pts. who died at or shortly after XRT; Gy = Gray; CGE = Cobalt Gray Equivalent.

PROTON BEAM THERAPY FOR UNRESECTABLE MALIGNANCIES OF THE NASAL CAVITY AND PARANASAL SINUSES

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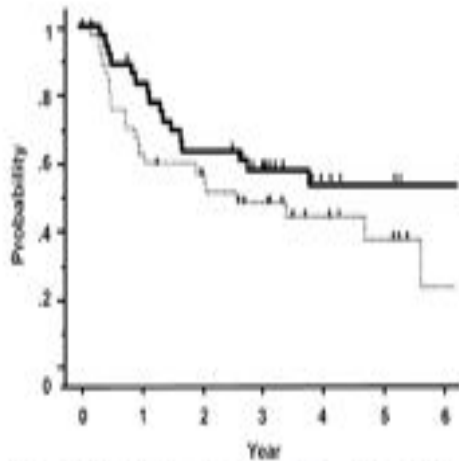


Fig. 2. Overall and progression-free survival. Solid line indicates overall survival curve. 3-year overall 99.3% and 49.1

Table 2. Results of univariate analysis (N = 39)

Covariate	3-Year OS and PFS rates	Hazard ratio (95% CI)
Age		
OS		1.01 (0.99-1.04)
PFS		1.01 (0.98-1.04)
Sex (female vs. male)		
OS	62.5% vs. 56.9%	0.87 (0.34-2.21)
PFS	48.6% vs. 49.6%	1.17 (0.51-2.65)
Tumor type (SCC vs. other)		
OS	48.0% vs. 63.7%	2.17 (0.81-8.55)
PFS	40.0% vs. 52.1%	1.12 (0.45-2.85)
Primary site (nasal cavity vs. other)		
OS	69.2% vs. 37.0%	0.37 (0.15-0.95)
PFS	60.6% vs. 25.0%	0.55 (0.23-1.30)
Induction chemotherapy (yes vs. no)		
OS	70.0% vs. 56.7%	0.67 (0.22-2.05)
PFS	66.7% vs. 38.5%	0.50 (0.17-1.50)
Radiation dose		
OS		1.04 (0.88-1.22)
PFS		0.94 (0.81-1.08)

Abbreviations: BED = biologically equivalent dose; CI = confidence interval; OS = overall survival; PFS = progression-free survival; SCC = squamous cell carcinoma.

Table 3. Toxicity in study patients (N = 39)

	Grade (CTCAE v3.0)					% 3-5
	1	2	3	4	5	
Dermatitis	17	13	0	0	0	0
Conjunctivitis	1	1	0	0	0	0
Mucositis	4	4	0	0	0	0
Hearing loss	0	1	0	0	0	0
Cataract	0	0	1	0	0	2.6
CSF leakage	0	0	0	0	1	2.6
Neuropathy						
CN-II	0	1	0	1	0	2.6
CN-VI	0	0	1	0	0	2.6
Brain necrosis	2	1	0	0	0	0
Soft tissue necrosis	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bone necrosis	0	2	1	0	0	2.6

Treatment-related death: 2.6%

Abbreviations: CN = central nerve; CSF = cerebrospinal fluid; CTCAE v3.0 = common terminology criteria for adverse events v3.0.

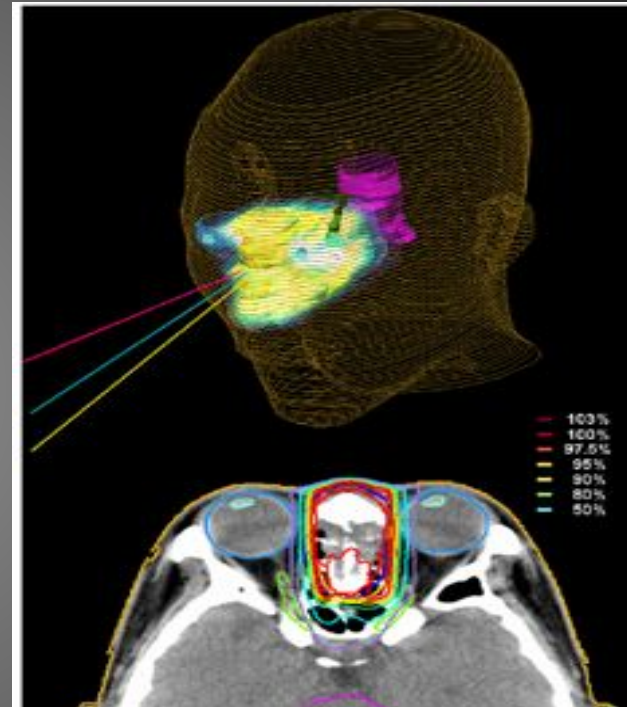
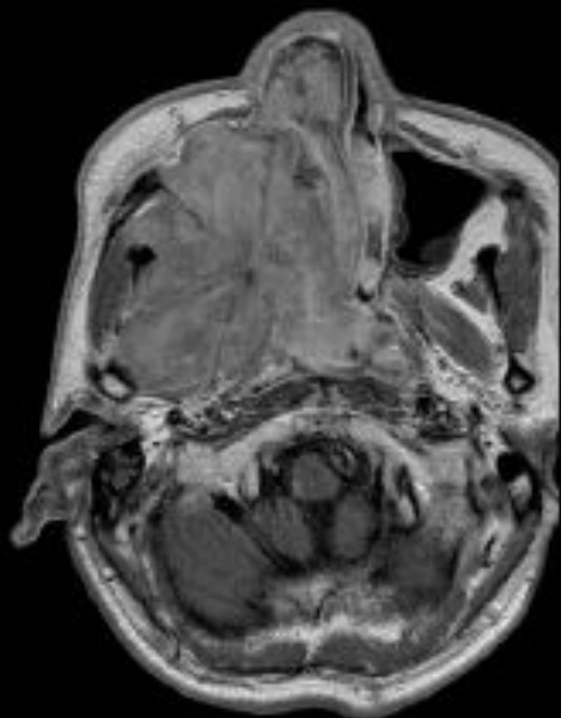


Table 4. Late toxicity in study: Grade 3-4 (severe toxicity)

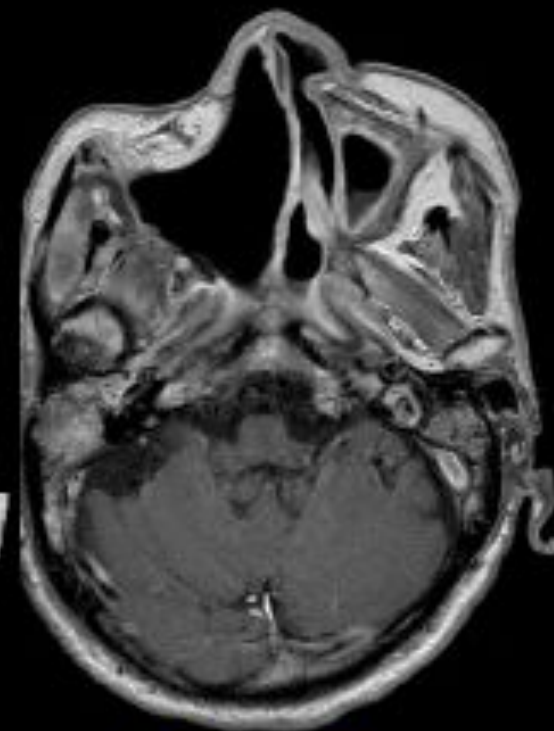
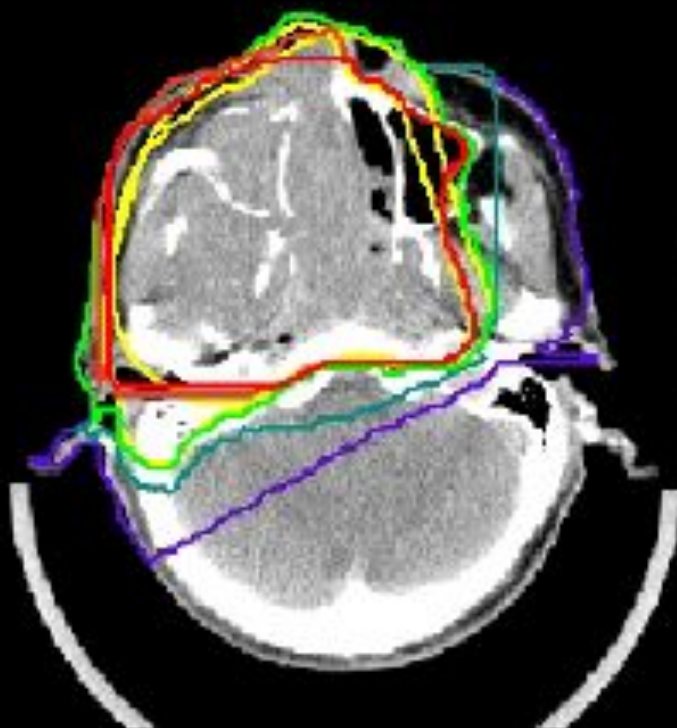
Case no.	Age (y)	Sex	Treatment	Tumor site	Toxicity	Time to onset	Recurrence	Status
11	58	Male	IC → PBT (70 GyE/28 fr)	Sphenoid sinus	Brain necrosis Grade 2 CN-VI disorder Grade 3	35.2 mo	None	Alive 65.6 mo
12	61	Female	IC → PBT (65 GyE/26 fr)	Nasal cavity	CSF leakage Grade 5	13.6 mo	None	Treatment-related death
25	63	Male	IC → PBT (65 GyE/26 fr)	Nasal cavity	Bone necrosis Grade 3	38.7 mo	None	Alive 45.4 mo
27	79	Male	PBT (60 GyE/15 fr)	Nasal cavity	Visual Loss Grade 4	16.6 mo	None	Alive 38.1 mo
30	73	Female	PBT (65 GyE/26 fr)	Nasal cavity	Cataract Grade 3	4.0 mo	Distant	Died 23.8 mo

Abbreviations: CSF = cerebrospinal fluid; CN = central nerve; fr = fractions; IC = induction chemotherapy; PBT = proton beam therapy.

Malignant Melanoma
57.6GyE/16fr/ 4wks



Pre RT

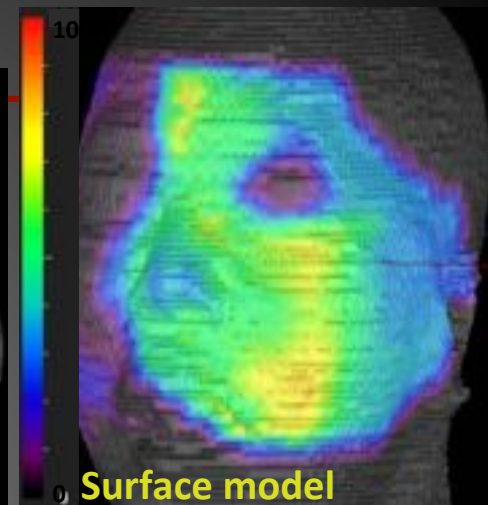
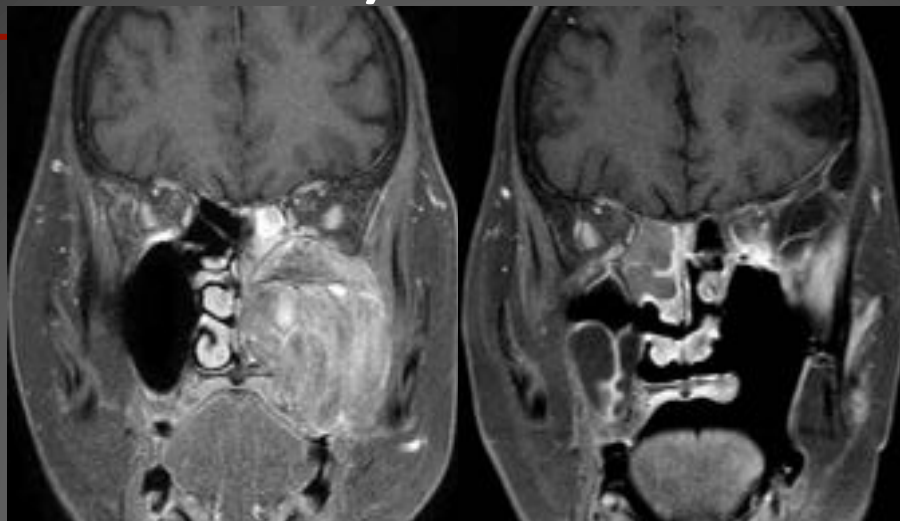


53 months

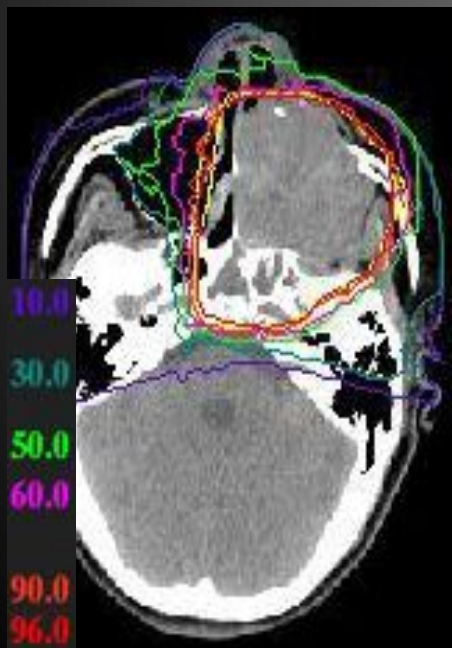
Carbon ion RT at NIRS

Malignant Melanoma in the Left Maxillary Sinus (Target volume = 151.9 ml)

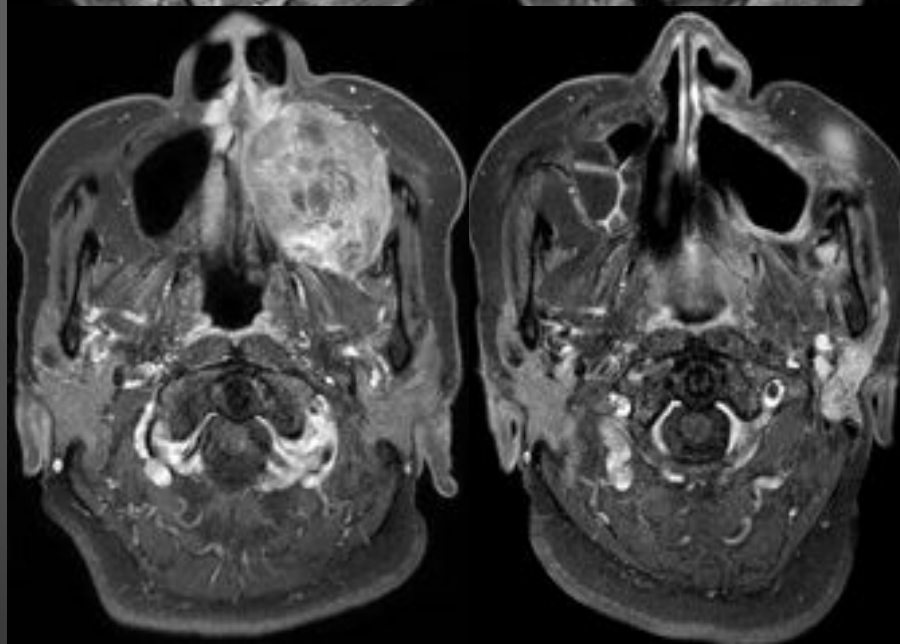
64 GyE/16 frs.



Surface model



Dose distribution



Pre c-ion RT

Post 25 months



Post 6 months



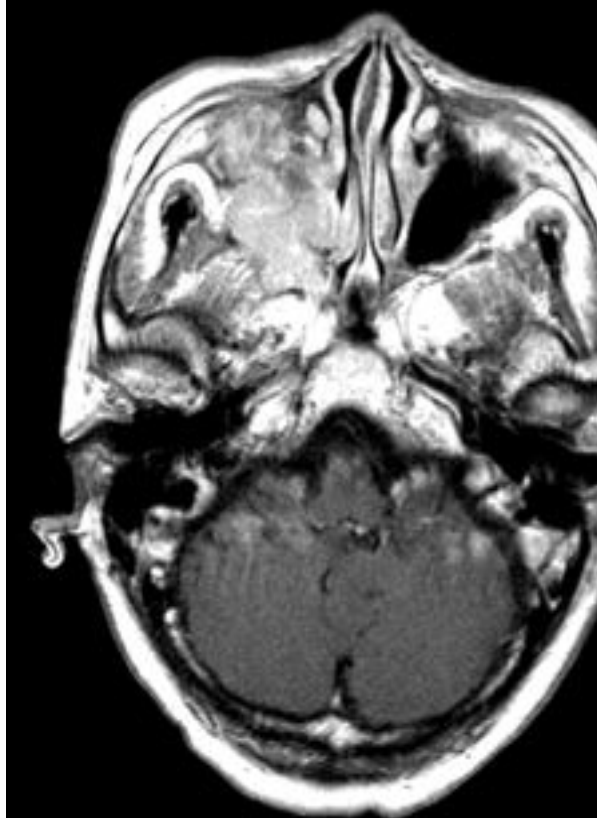
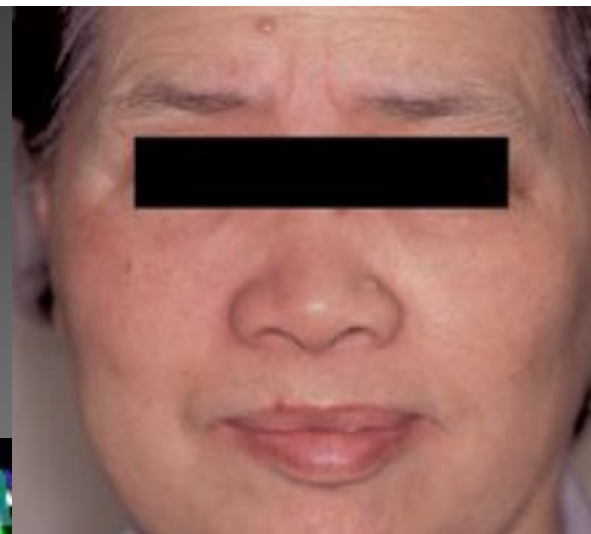
Post 25 months

Malignant mucosal melanoma in head and neck

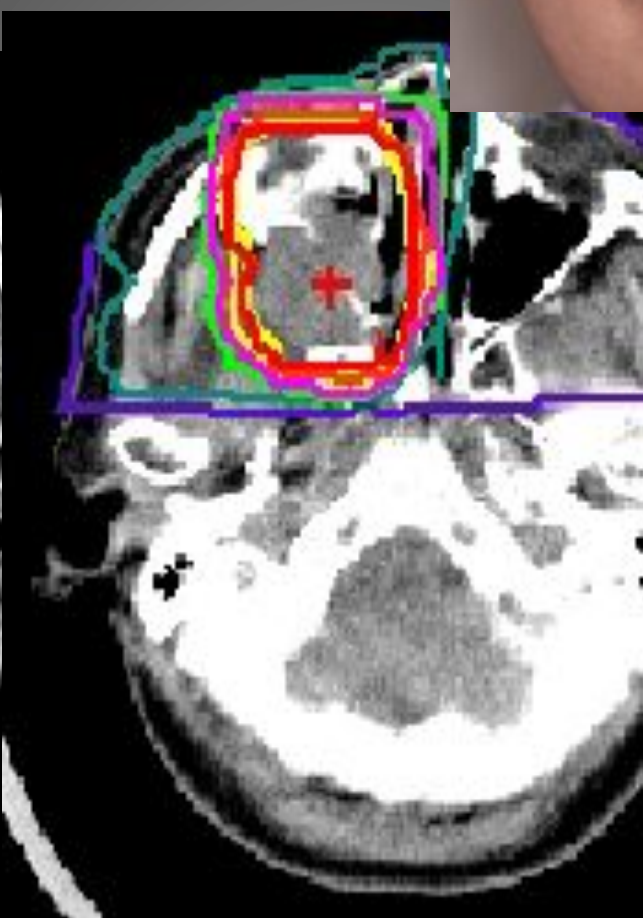
<i>Author</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Tumor location</i>	<i>Treatment modalities</i>	<i>5-year OS (%)</i>
Gilligan	28	Sinonasal	Radiotherapy	18
Shibuya	28	Upper jaw	Radiotherapy +/- surgery	25
Shah	74	Head and neck	Surgery +/- radiotherapy	22
Chaudhry	41	Head and neck	Surgery +/- radiotherapy +/- chemotherapy	17
Lund	58	Sinonasal	Surgery +/- postoperative radiotherapy +/- chemotherapy (BCG, melphalan)	28
Pandey	60	Head and neck	Surgery +/- radiotherapy +/- chemotherapy	28*
Chang	163	Head and neck	Surgery +/- radiotherapy +/- chemotherapy	32
Patel	59	Sinonasal and oral	Surgery +/- postoperative radiotherapy +/- chemotherapy	35
Stern	42	Sinonasal and oral	Surgery +/- radiotherapy +/- chemotherapy +/- immunotherapy	40
Guzzo	48	Head and neck	Surgery +/- radiotherapy +/- chemotherapy +/- immunotherapy	21
Wada	31	Head and neck	Surgery +/- radiotherapy +/- chemotherapy	33*
NIRS-1(9602)	100	Head and neck	Carbon ion radiotherapy	36
NIRS-2(0007)	82	Head and neck	Carbon ion radiotherapy + chemotherapy	62

Carbon ion RT at NIRS

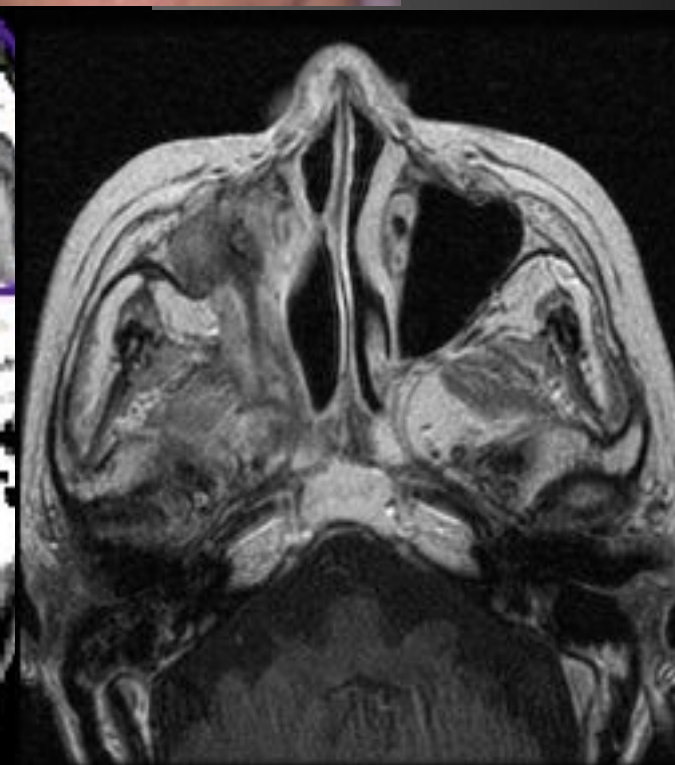
Bone and soft-tissue sarcoma



Pre CIRT



70.4 GyE/16fs/4 wks



5 years

Table 4. Comparisons of overall survival and local control of sarcomas of the adult head and neck

Institution (year)	Histology	Treatment	n	MOP (mo)	5-year LC (%)	5-year OS (%)
MSCMCC (12) (1970–2001)	Soft-tissue sarcoma	Surgery ± X-ray ± chemo	112	139	45	35
RMH (21) (1944–1988)	Soft-tissue sarcoma	Surgery ± X-ray ± chemo	103	50	47	50
MGH (22) (1972–1993)	Soft-tissue sarcoma	Surgery ± X-ray ± chemo	46	50	69	74
UCSF (23) (1961–1993)	Soft-tissue sarcoma	Surgery ± X-ray ± Chemo	65	64	66	56
NCI (24) (1985–1996)	Osteosarcoma	Surgery ± X-ray ± chemo	496	—	—	59.7
NIRS (current study) (2001–2008)	Bone and soft-tissue sarcoma	Carbon ion RT	27	37.0	80.4	57.6

Abbreviations: LC = 5-year local control rate; MOP = median observation period; MSCMCC = M. Sklodowska-Curie Memorial Cancer Center; NCI = national cancer institute; NIRS = National Institute of Radiological Sciences; OS = 5-year overall survival; RMH = Royal Marsden Hospital; UCSF = university of california san francisco

Jingu K et al IJROBP, 2012

CLINICAL INVESTIGATION

CARBON ION RADIATION THERAPY IMPROVES THE PROGNOSIS OF UNRESECTABLE ADULT BONE AND SOFT-TISSUE SARCOMA OF THE HEAD AND NECK

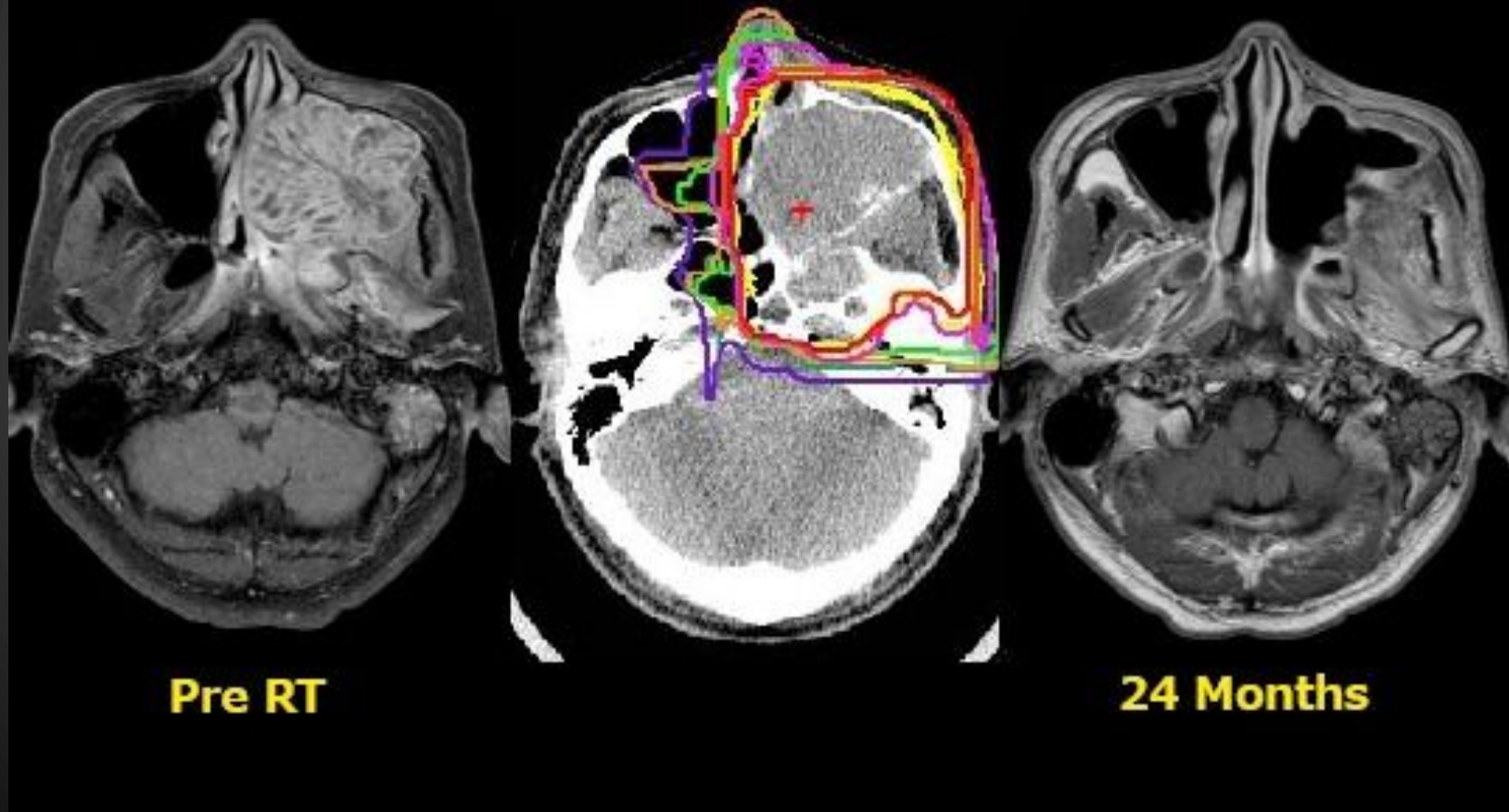
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Purpose: To evaluate the safety and efficacy of carbon ion radiotherapy (C-ion RT) with 70.4 GyE for unresectable bone and soft-tissue sarcoma of the adult head and neck.
Methods and Materials: Twenty-seven patients (mean age, 46.2 years) were enrolled in this prospective study on C-ion RT with 70.4 GyE/16 fractions (fr) between April 2001 and February 2008. The primary end points were acute and late reactions of normal tissues, local control rate, and overall survival rate. The secondary end point was efficacy of the treatment in comparison to historical results with 57.6 or 64.0 GyE/16 fr.

Carbon ion RT at NIRS

**ACC 57.6GyE/16fr/4
wks**

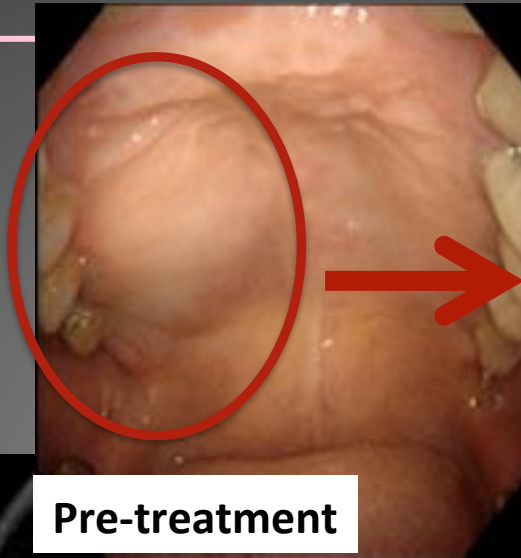


ACC in the Maxillary Sinus (Target volume = 189 ml)

57.6 GyE/16 frs.

Dose distribution

10.0
30.0
50.0
60.0
90.0
96.0



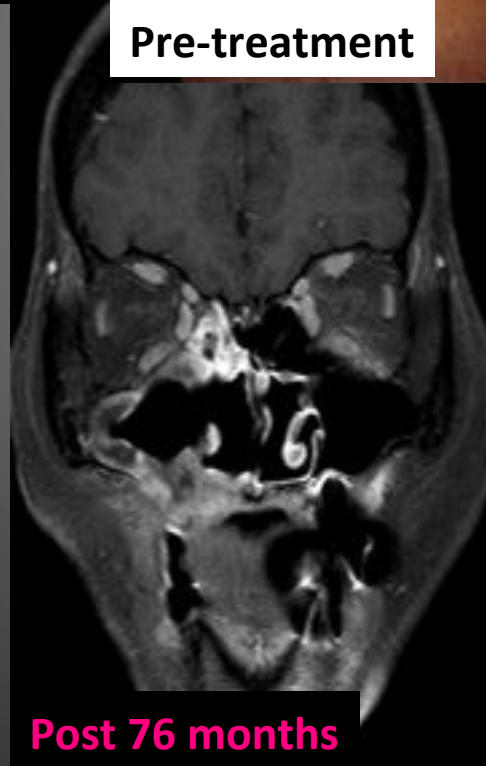
Pre-treatment



Post 76 months



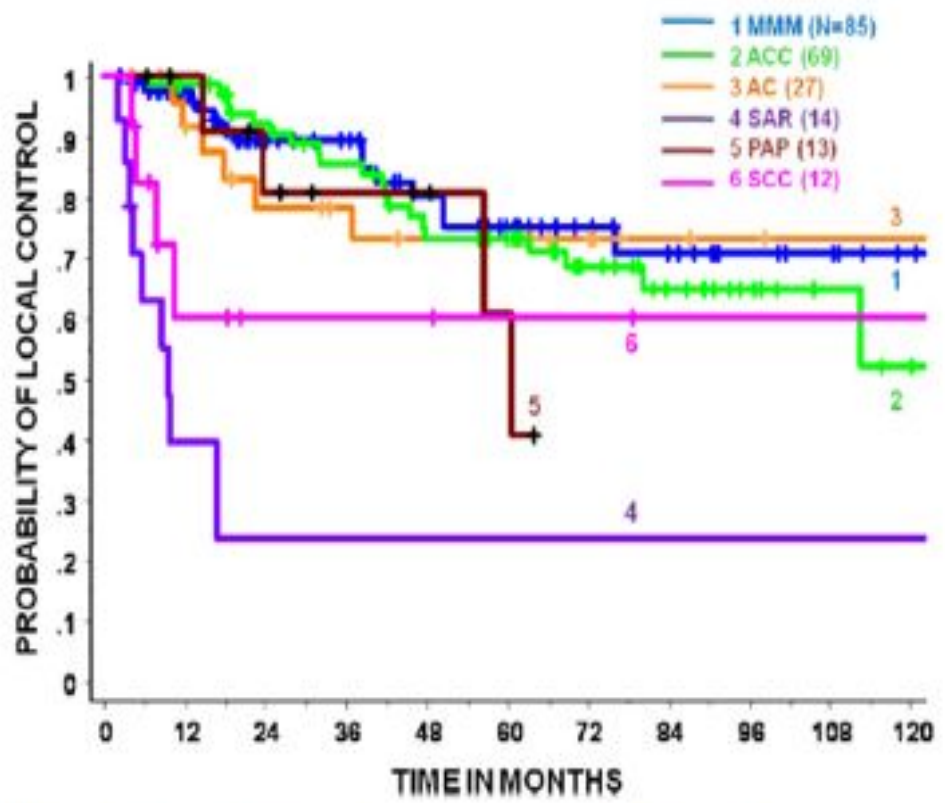
Pre-treatment



Post 76 months



Post 76 months



MMM	85	63	48	41	33	26	19	15	9	7	3
ACC	69	65	57	50	41	36	24	15	9	5	3
AC	27	22	17	15	13	13	9	6	5	4	4
SAR	14	5	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
PAP	13	11	8	6	5	3	0	0	0	0	0
SCC	12	5	3	3	3	2	2	1	1	1	1

Fig. 1. Local control curves by histological subtype. Abbreviations: MMM, mucosal malignant melanoma; ACC, adenoid cystic carcinoma; AC, adenocarcinoma; SAR, sarcomas; PAP, papillary adenocarcinoma; SCC, squamous cell carcinoma.

5 -year LC rate

Overall 68 %

MMM 75 %

ACC 73 %

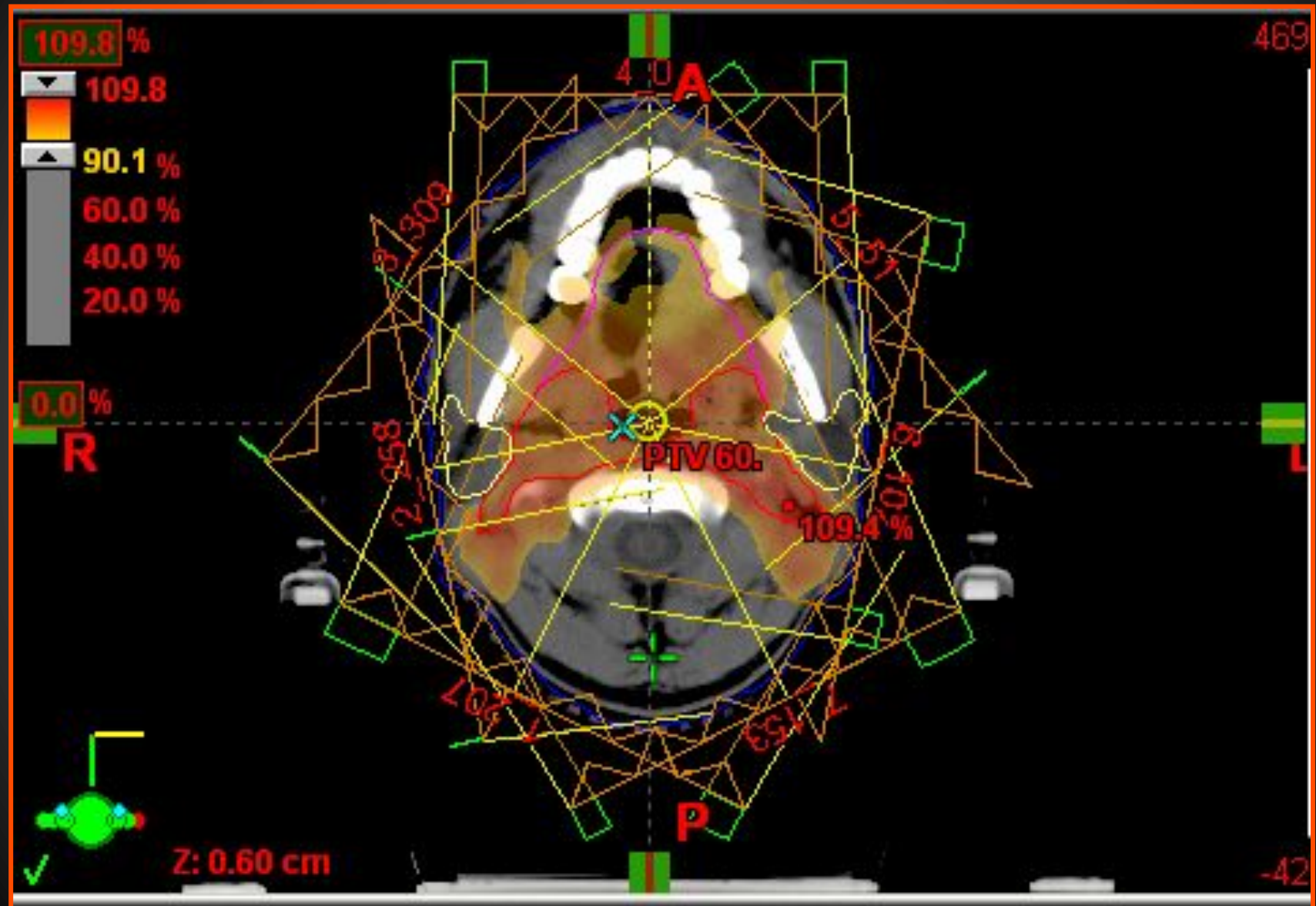
Adenoca. 73 %

Papillary Adenoca. 61 %

SCC 61 %

Sarcomas 24 %
(with Max 64 GyE)

IMRT & Parotid Sparing



The potential benefit of radiotherapy with protons in head and neck cancer with respect to normal tissue sparing: a systematic review of literature

TA van de Water et al, *The Oncologist*, 2011, 16: 366-377

Groningen & Maastricht, The Netherlands

- 14 in silico planning comparative (ISPC) studies
- Protons have the potential for a significantly lower normal tissue dose, while keeping similar or better target coverage
- Probability of reducing >25% salivary flow with IMRT is 22% , and with IMPT 9%
- Probability of reducing grade 2-4 swallowing dysfunction is reduced by 8.8% with IMRT, and by 17.2% with IMPT

The results of these ISPC studies should be confirmed in properly designed clinical trials

1982-1995, T3-T4, 67.2 Gy vs 75.6 Gy

Shipley, IJROBP, 1995

MGH

Boston

PBT-History

■ MGH Phase III results:

- Decreased local failure in all patients treated with PBT. Reached statistical significance in Gleason 8-10 tumors only.
- Increased rectal bleeding (primarily grade 1) in high-dose group.
- No difference in survival.



G. Rossi-LLUMC, ESTRO 2008

**Prostate Cancer
First Phase III randomized trial**

MGH & LLUMC

**392 patients with
early**

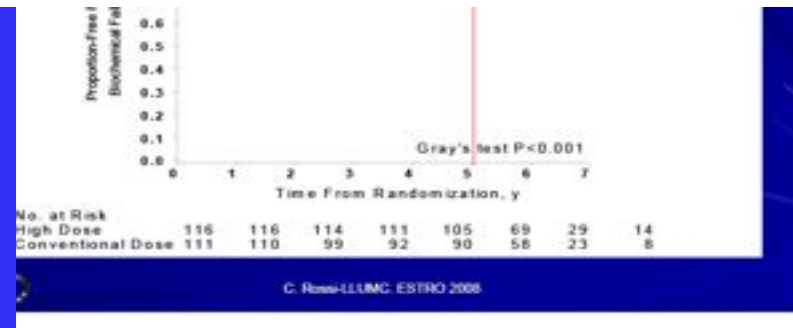


**Same results of MD Anderson
phase III trial (70 vs 78 Gy)
with photon EBRT**

Pollack A et al, IJROBP, 2002

**Zietman AL et al, JAMA, 2005
Update at 10 years
b-NED**

High Dose 83.7%
Conventional Dose 64.7%
(P=0.0001)



Efstathiou J, Bekelman J (MGH, Uni Penn).

Phase III Randomized Trial of Protons vs IMRT
(79.2 Gy) for low or low-intermediate risk
Prostate Cancer

***Primary endpoint *EPIC bowel
scores at 6 months***

350 patients randomized

****EPIC: Expanded Prostate Cancer Index Composite***

Treatment Method by Risk

Low Risk;

T-stage \leq T2a and
PSA $<$ 20.0 and GS \leq 6



C-ion RTx w/o ADT

Intermediate Risk;

PSA $<$ 20.0 and
T-stage = T2b or GS = 7



**C-ion RTx with
Short term ADT
(6m)**

High Risk;

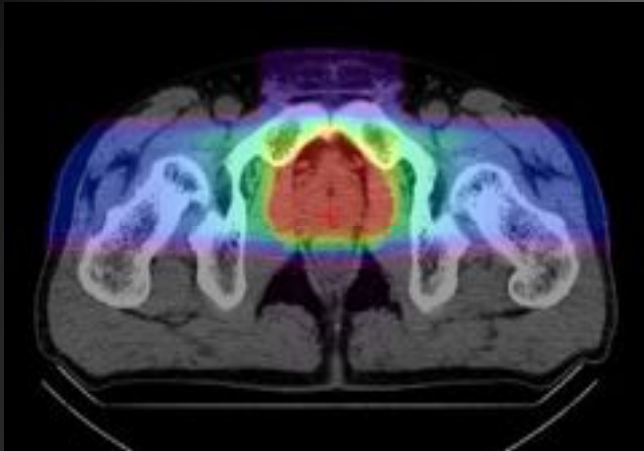
T-stage = T3 or
PSA \geq 20.0 or GS \geq 8



**C-ion RTx with
Long term ADT
($>$ 24m)**

ADT; Androgen Deprivation Therapy

Dose Constraint with Rectum DVH



Dose-Constraints

OARs

Constraints

Rectum

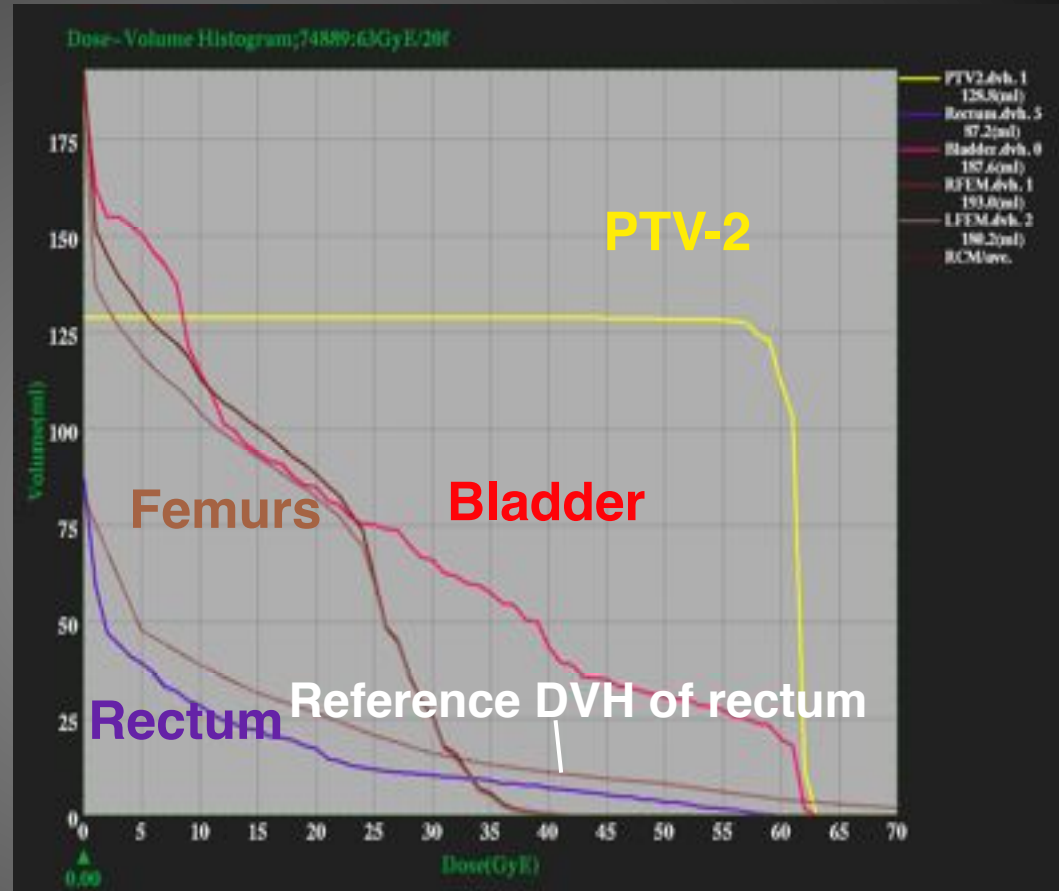
$D_{max} \leq 66\text{GyE}/20\text{f}$

$V_{50} < 8\text{cc}$

Bladder

$D_{max} \leq 66\text{GyE}/20\text{f}$

$V_{50} < 50\text{cc}$

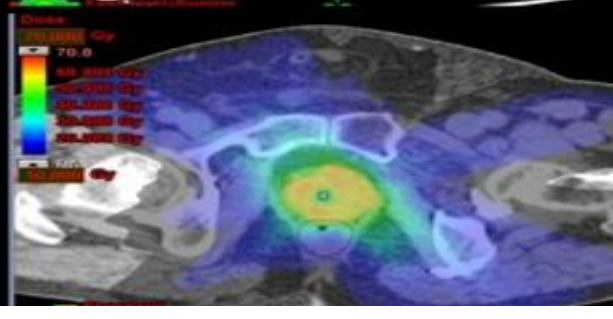
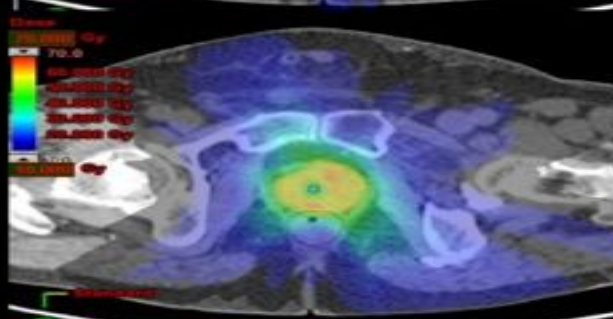
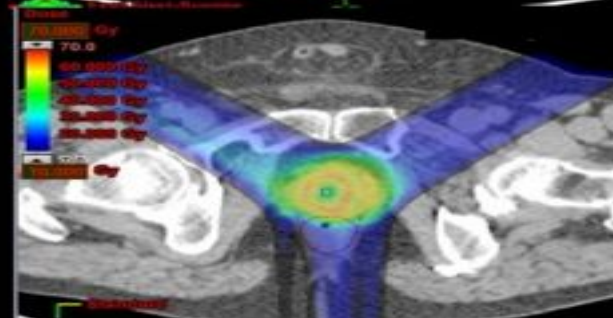
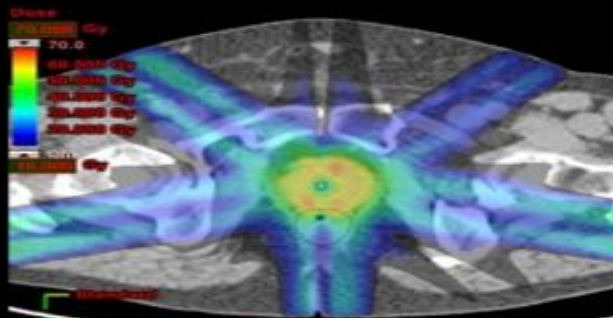
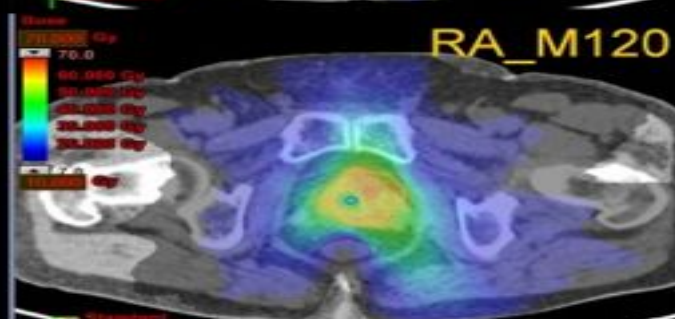
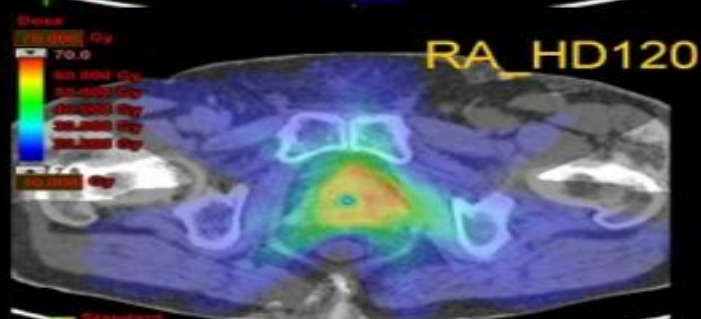
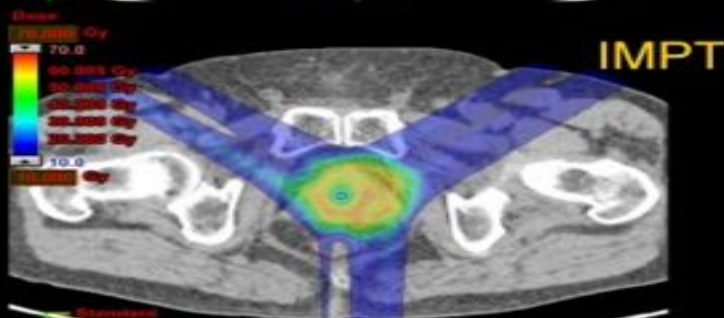
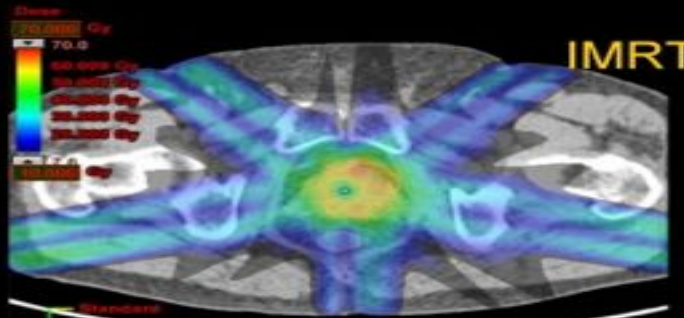


Reference DVH: Average DVH of the patients with grade 0~1 rectal toxicity

To make a new plan in order that rectal DVH is below the reference DVH at high dose level.

Biochemical relapse free and Cause-specific survival according to risk factors

		No.pts. 861	5-year rates (%)		
			*bNED 91.0	p-value	#CSS p-value All 94.7
Stage	T1/2	614	94.0	0.0000	100
	T3	247	84.1		95.8
PSA	< 20	595	92.1	0.0678	99.5
	20 ≤	266	88.7		97.2
Gleason score	≤ 6	206	92.3	0.0072	100
	7	412	94.3		
	8 ≤	243	83.8		96.6



Integral Dose
3 times higher
for all
photon's
techniques

Chung CS et al (Harvard & MGH, Boston).

Comparative analysis of second malignancy in patients treated with proton therapy versus conventional photon therapy.

50 th ASTRO Meeting, Boston, 2008

“ treatment with photon therapy was significantly associated with an increased risk of a second malignancy (1.87 to 3.98, $p < 0.0001$)”

New Indications

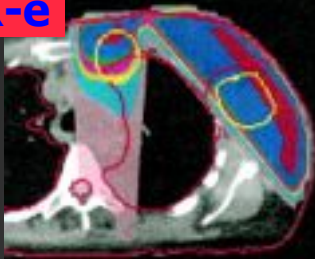
- **NSLCC (Early & Advanced)**
- **Breast (PBI & Locoregional treatment)**
- **GI (liver, pancreas, rectum)**
- **GU (prostate, kidney)**

Lomax AJ et al (Villigen & Geneva, Switzerland).

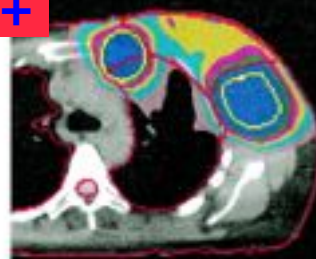
Potential role of intensity-modulated photons and protons in the treatment of the breast and regional nodes.

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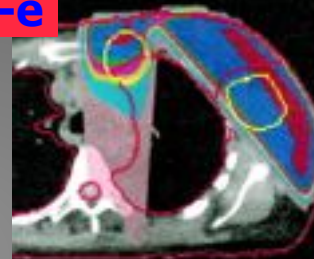
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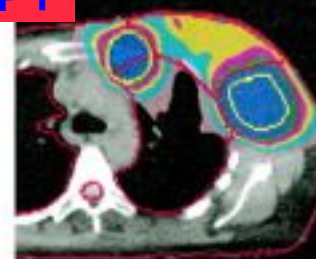
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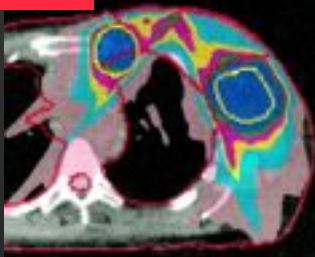
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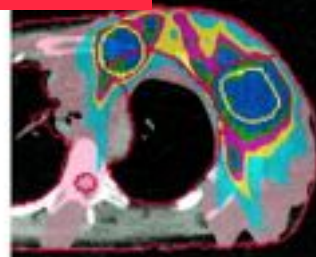
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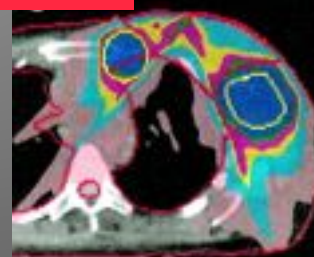
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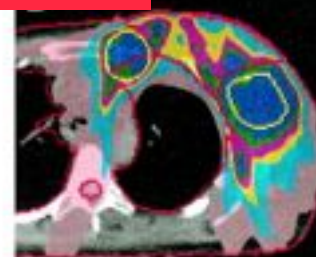
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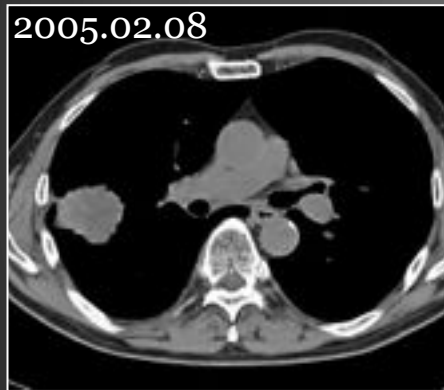


IMRT 2



- ... only the 2-field, energy-modulated proton plan had the potential to preserve target dose homogeneity while simultaneously minimizing the dose delivered to both lungs, heart, and the contralateral breast

Case: 72yrs male, rt. S² adenoca. cT2NoMo c-stage IB



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34.0GyE/1fr.



Lung function

15 mo. after CIRT

30 mo. after CIRT

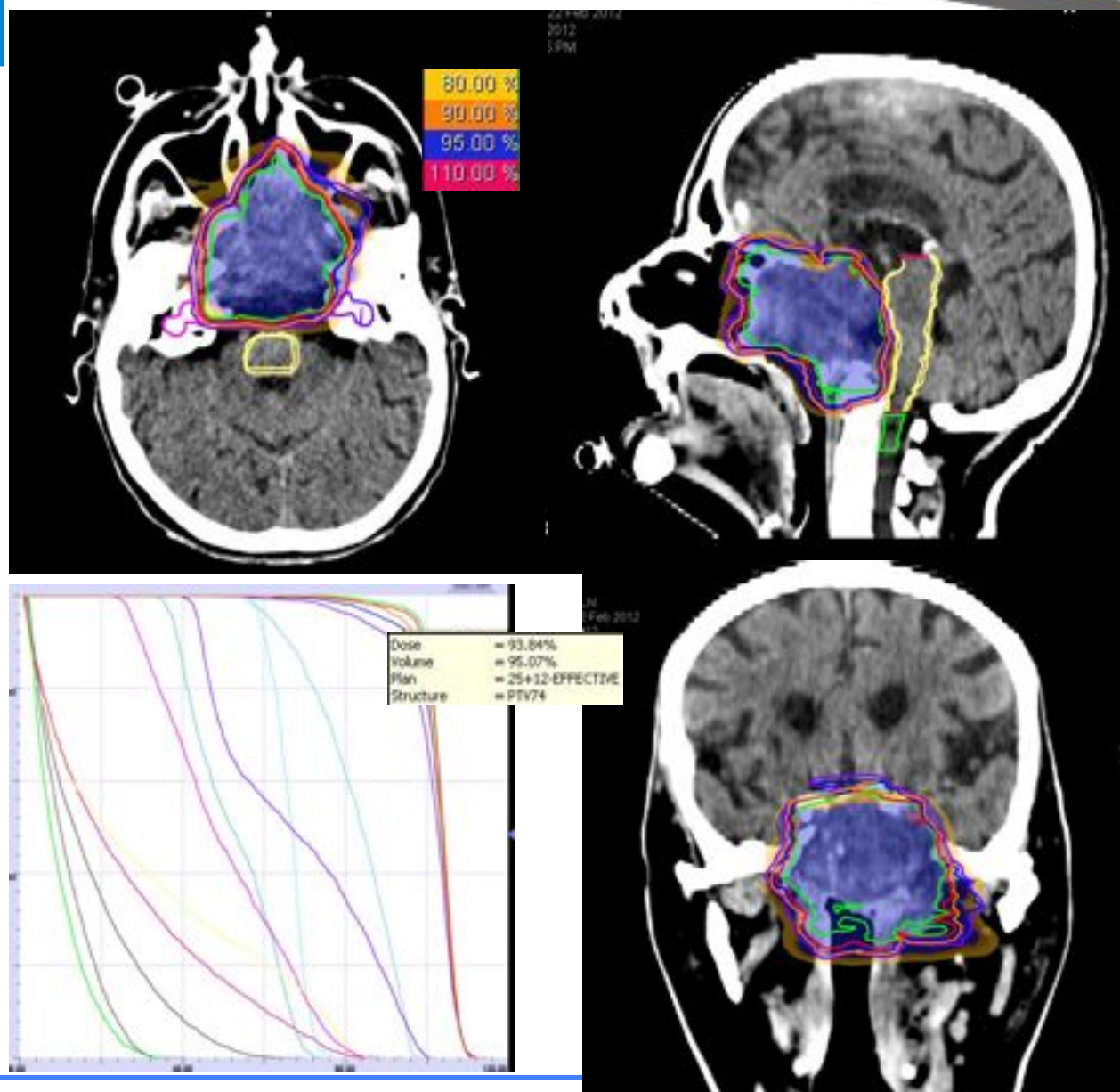
%VC	95.4	104.9	92.1
FEV_{1.0}%	49.3	57.3	58.8
%DLCO	47.7	43.4	46.0
PaO₂(room air)	64.2	62.4	68.9

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Salivary gland tumors	34
Reirradiation of head and neck tumors	25
Mucosal melanoma	7
Chordoma	119
Chondrosarcoma	23
Sarcoma	32
Retreatment local recurrence rectal cancer	1
HCC	1
Local advanced pancreatic cancer	1

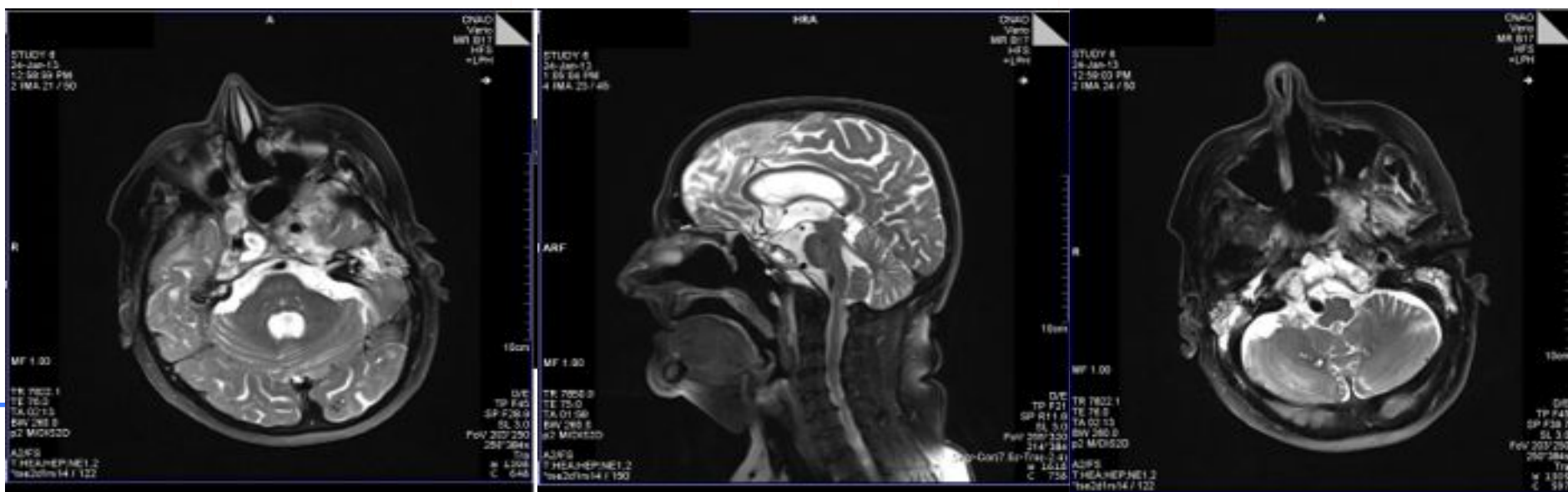
CLINICAL CASE



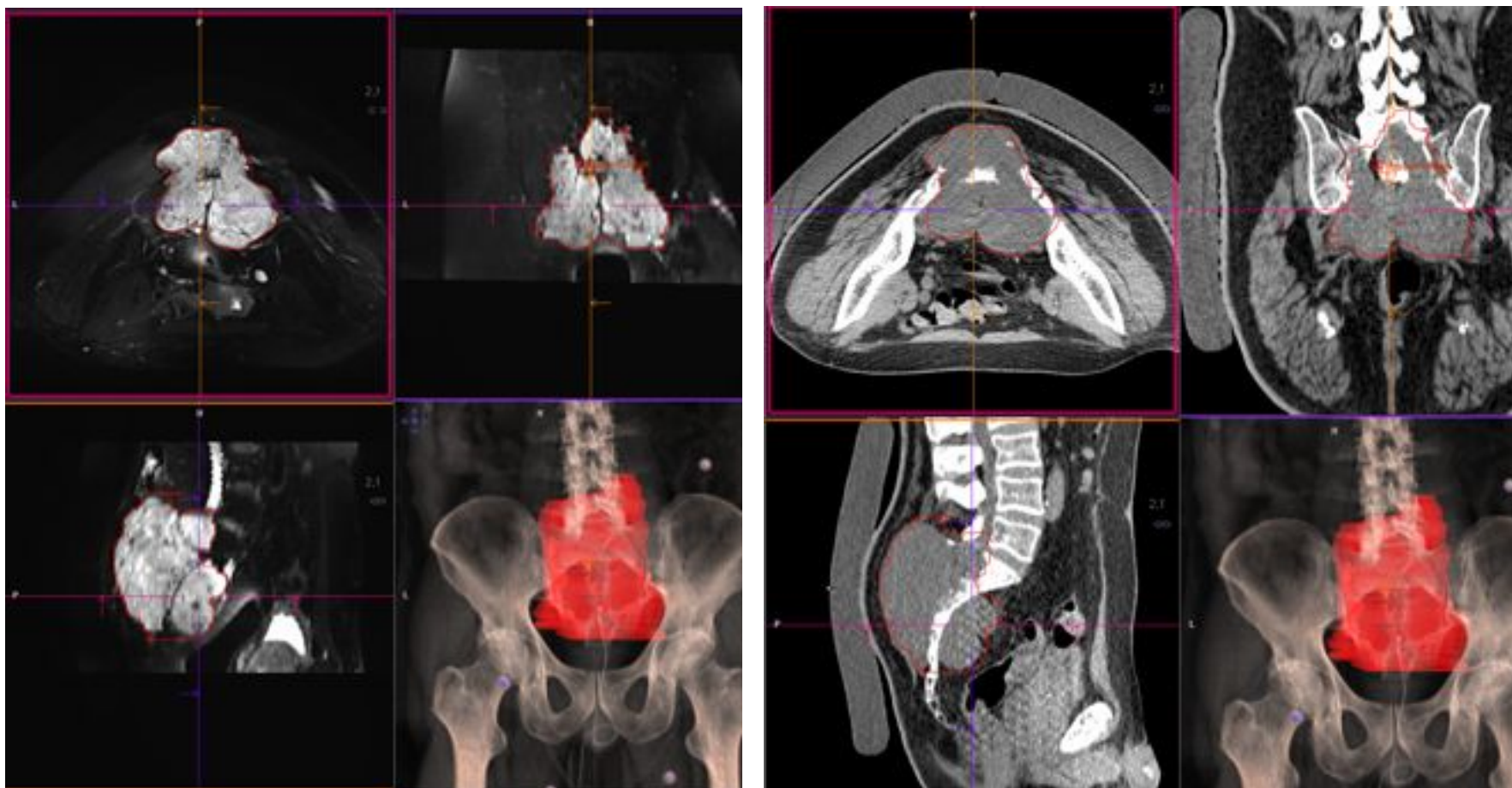
SKULL BASE CHORDOMA: Proton therapy

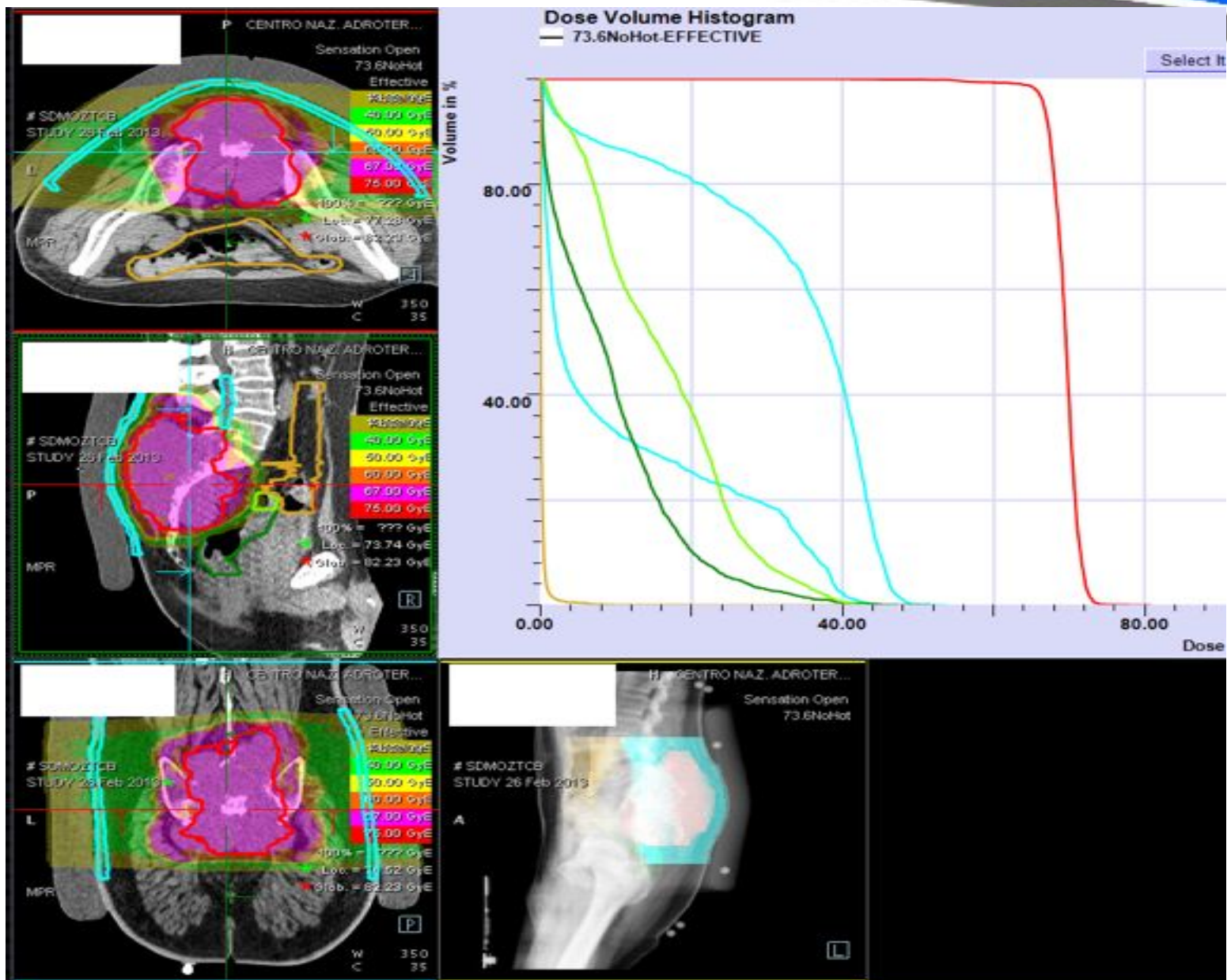


10 months F-up



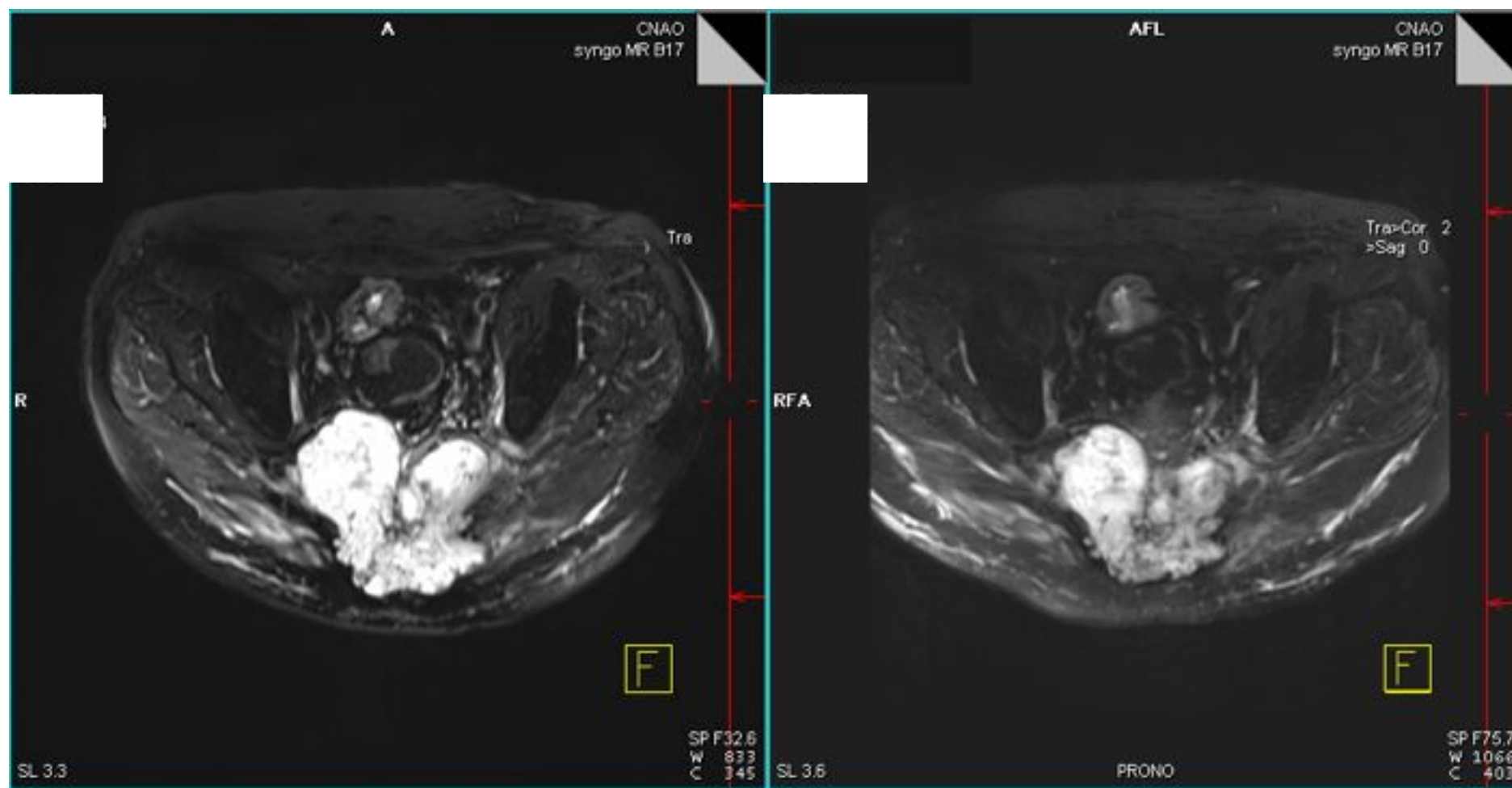
Sacral chordoma, male, 69 years old





Before treatment

One year after treatment



After one year hypoesthesia at the left foot: G1 toxicity, marked improvement in urinary and rectal continence, and pain, patient can sit and can walk for 15-20 minutes

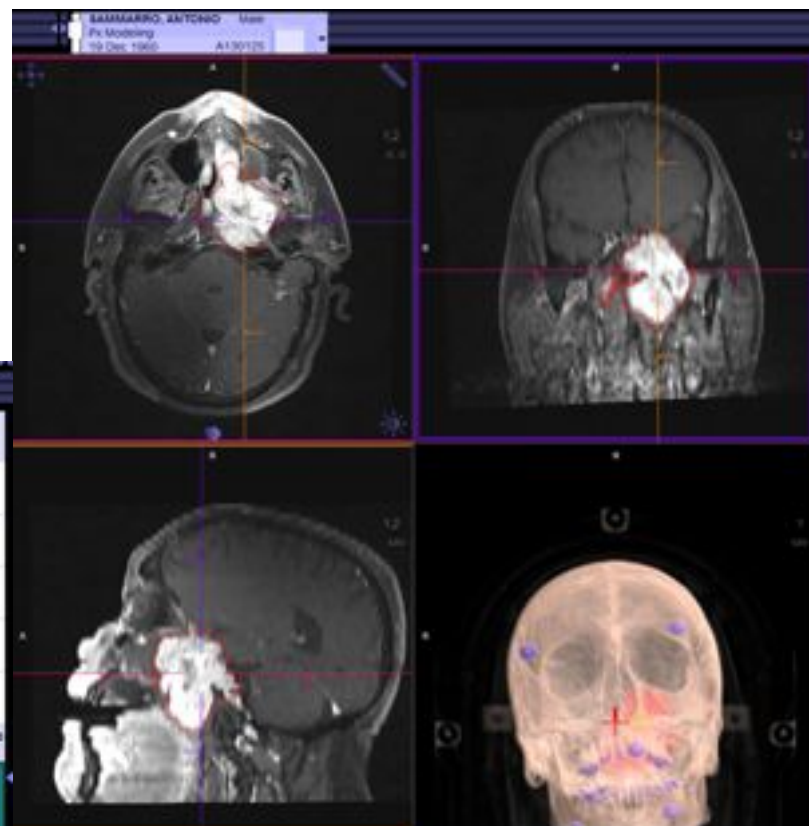
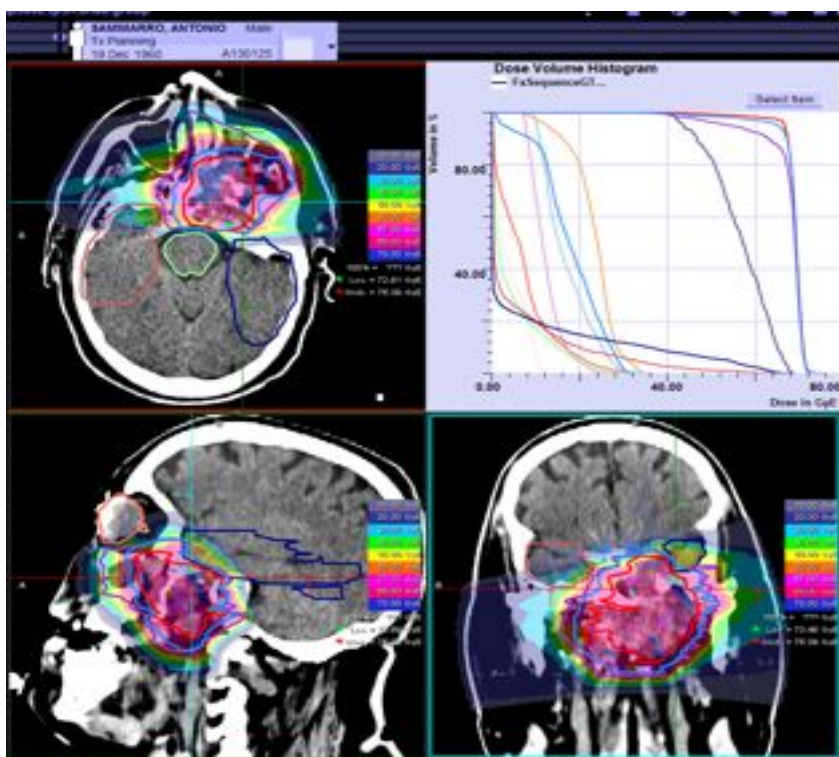
Clinical case

53 year old male

ACC in parafaringeal region with estention on clivus and petrous bone

07/2013 Nasopharinx biopsy: El adenoideo cistic carcinoma

15/10/2013 -- 07/11/2013 CIRT 68.8 Gy [RBE]



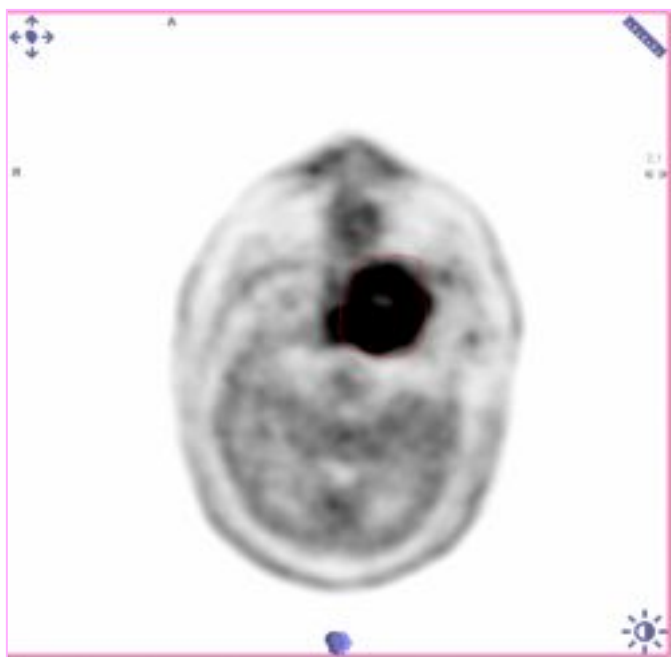
Toxicity at the end of CIRT: erythema G1, mucositis G1



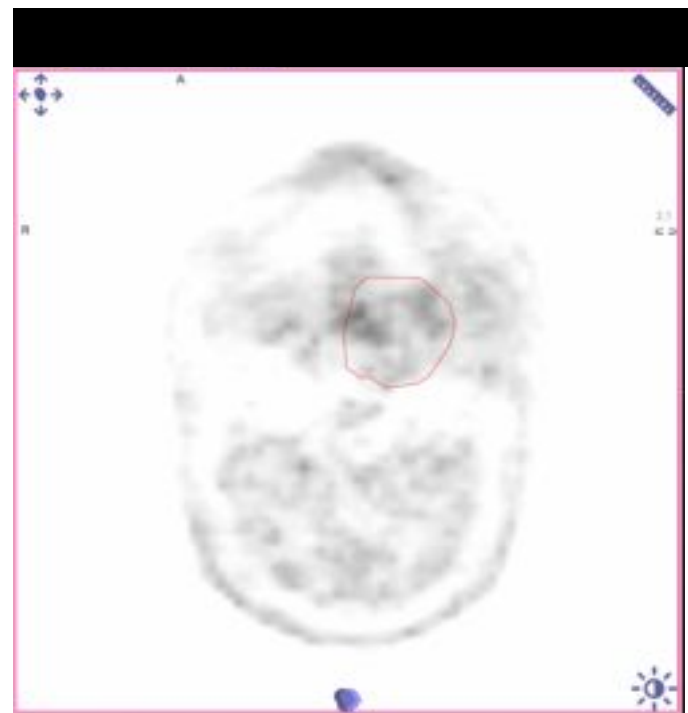
Partial Remission and Acute Toxicity G0 after 3 months

PET metionine: significant decrease in MET uptake after 4 months

PET pre CIRT



PET after 4 months



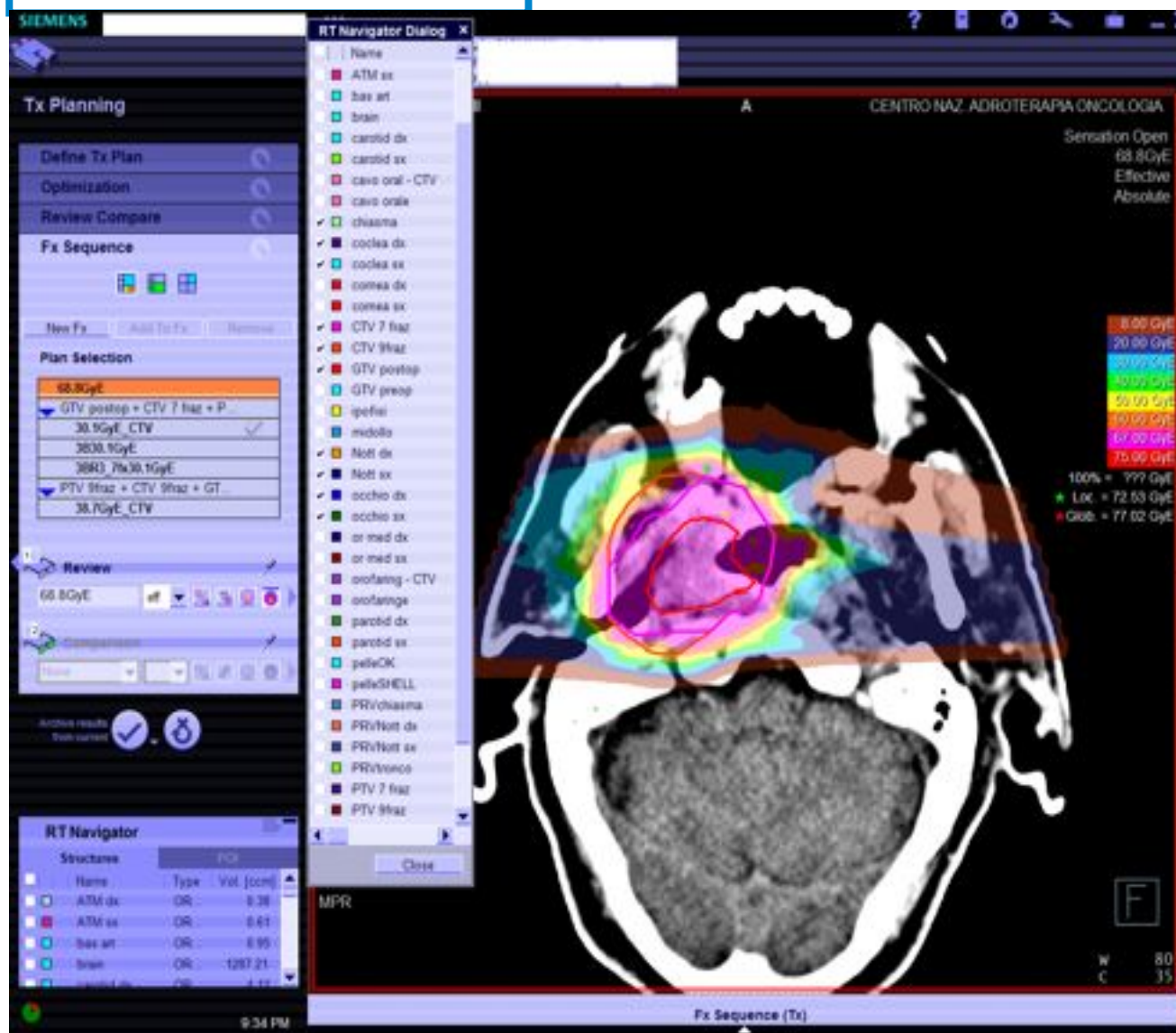
Clinical case

75 year old men

March 2013: endoscopic surgery R2

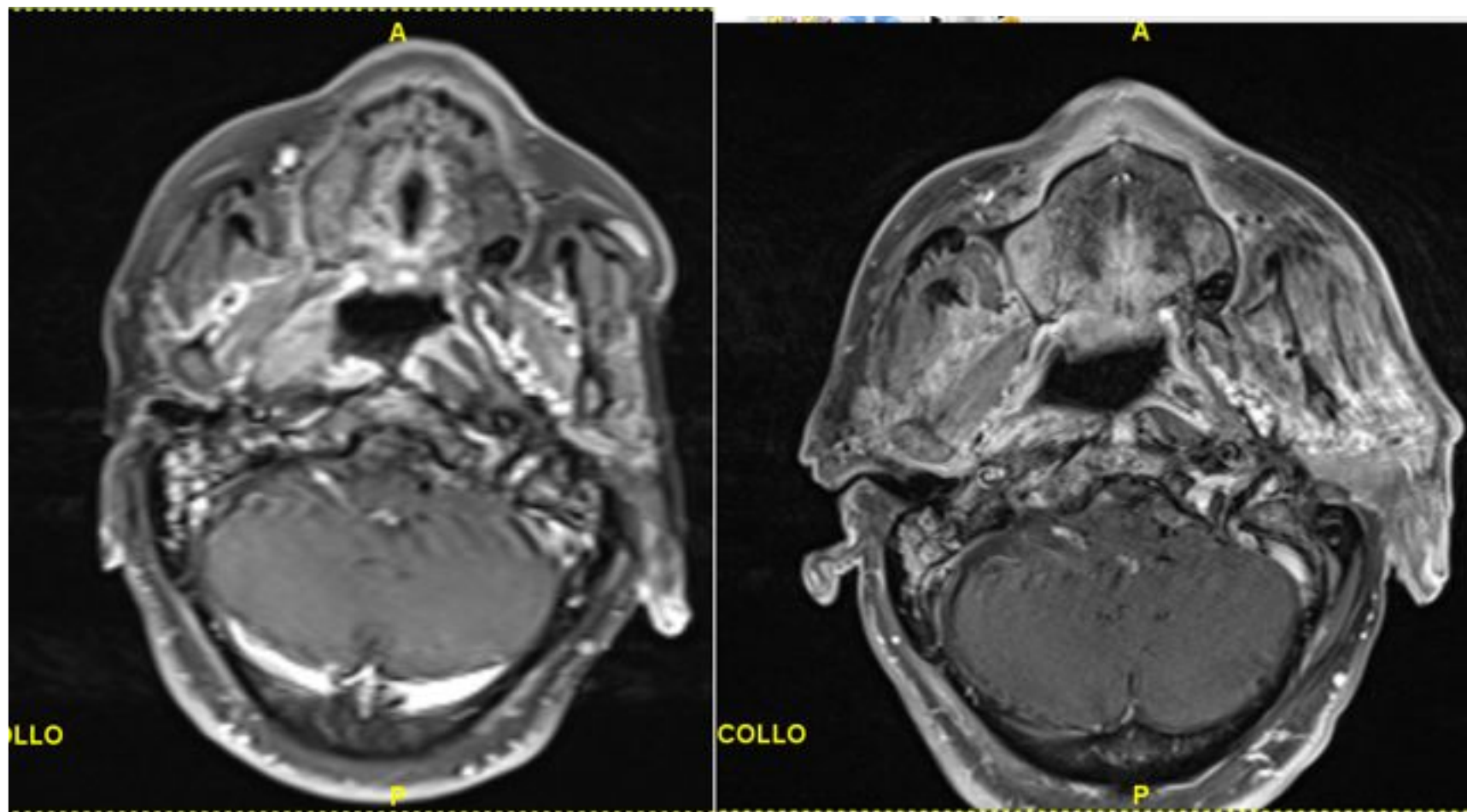
No CT for age and comorbidity

CIRT :
68.8 Gy [RBE] / 16 fractions



April 2013 (pre-CIRT)

December 2013



***FOLLOW-UP 9 AND 12 Months
tox G1 - CR***

During CIRT



End of CIRT



Mucositis

Erytema



6 months

*Improvement in
Technology*



*Improvement in
Dose Distribution*

Technology Transfer in Clinics



Clinical Results !!!!!!!!

Patient
Treatment Plan Comparison
Photons vs Hadrons

TCP/NTCP
Small or absent

Photons

TCP/NTCP
Moderate or
questionable

Randomized Clinical Trial

TCP/NTCP
Major
in favour of P+

Hadrons



Grazie !!!

”Il progresso è reale solo quando i vantaggi di una nuova tecnologia diventano disponibili a tutti”