

Traversing New Terrains in CLL: The Emerging Role of BTK Inhibitors in the Treatment Landscape

Learning Objectives:

- Describe the role of the B-cell receptor (BCR) pathway in the survival and proliferation of cancer cells and the rationale for targeting this pathway in CLL/SLL.
- Examine the latest efficacy data on the use of BTK inhibitors in treatment-naïve and relapsed/refractory CLL and review the most recent guideline recommendations for CLL/SLL management.
- Discuss the unique adverse events that may arise with the use of BTK inhibitors and explore evidence-based strategies to ensure timely recognition and proper management of these adverse events.



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