

High Grade Glioma

Types:

Anaplastic Astrocytoma

Anaplastic oligodendroglioma

Anaplastic oligastrocytoma

Genetics

1p19q: Characteristic of oligodendroglioma

ATRX: Characteristic of astrocytoma

IDH: Improved prognosis

Radiology:

T1 hypointense

Heterogeneous enhancement

CIMP^{Code1} > CIMP^{non Code1} > CIMP^{neg}

1p19q must be IDH-Mutant

Chemotherapy

PCV (lomustine, procarbazine, vincristine)

Can consider TMZ per Stupp

MOA: Lomustine - alkylating, procarbazine - alkylating, vincristine - microtubule inhibition

RT

Typically 59.4 Gy/33 fx

Volumes

GTV = Resection cavity + enhancement

CTV1 = GTV + 1 (59.4 Gy)

CTV2 = GTV + 2 cm (45 Gy)

Literature

NOA-04: 60 Gy vs PCV/TMZ \rightarrow Crossover @ toxicity or progression
No difference in TTF, PFS, OS. Identified IDH, CIMP^{CODEL} as positive prognostic factors.

RTOG 9402: PCV \times 4 \rightarrow 59.4 Gy vs 59.4 Gy
Neoadjuvant PCV improved OS+PFS in 1p19q codeletion.
No OS benefit in non-codeletion. 79% of RT Alone eventually got chemo. Benefit apparently only in IDH mutant.

EORTC 26951: 59.4 Gy + PCV \times 6 vs 59.4 Gy
Improved OS+PFS with chemo. More benefit w/ codeletion.

CATNON: RT vs RT+conc TMZ vs RT+adj TMZ vs RT+adj+conc TMZ
Adjuvant TMZ improves OS+PFS in IDH mutant.
No benefit to concurrent.

CODEL: Initially TMZ vs RT \rightarrow PCV vs RT+TMZ.
Modified given that TMZ alone had worse PFS
Now RT+PCV vs RT+TMZ