

# SAFETY

Surveillance After Extremity Tumor Surgery

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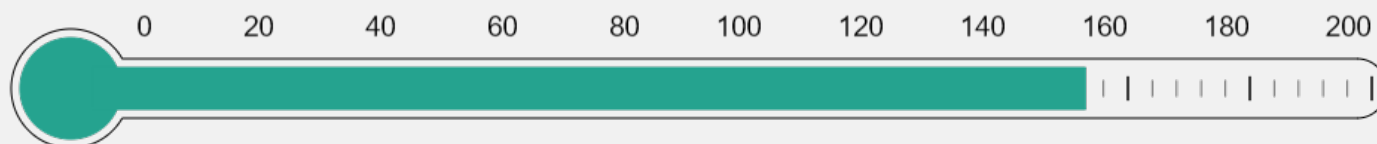
Welcome to the Surveillance **AF**ter Extremity Tumor surger**Y** (SAFETY) Trial August Newsletter!

## RECRUITMENT UPDATE

We are pleased to report that as of 03 August 2022, **153** participants have been enrolled in the SAFETY trial! Congratulations to **Drs. Marko Bergovec, Andreas Leithner**, and the research team at **University Hospital Graz** for enrolling the 150<sup>th</sup> participant in the SAFETY trial!

Site	Country	Enrolled Since Last Update	Enrolled to Date	Projected Yearly Enrolment	2022 Enrolment
Juravinski Hospital and Cancer Centre	Canada	3	52	15	12
Hôpital Maisonneuve-Rosemont	Canada	2	18	10	8
Centro Traumatologico Ortopedico Hospital	Italy	0	9	10	3
Oregon Health and Science University	USA	0	7	15	7
Leiden University Medical Centre	NLD	1	7	12	4
Huntsman Cancer Institute	USA	1	7	12	2
University of Florida Health Shands Hospital	USA	0	6	10	0
Medical University Graz	Austria	1	5	8	1
Hospital de Clínicas de Porto Alegre	Brazil	0	5	8	0
L'Hôtel-Dieu de Quebec	Canada	0	5	5	1
University of California Davis Medical Center	USA	0	5	10	2
McGill University Health Centre	Canada	1	3	5	1
Nova Scotia Health	Canada	0	3	5	1
The Ottawa Hospital	Canada	0	3	5	3
Albany Medical Center	USA	0	3	8	0
Cleveland Clinic	USA	0	3	10	0
Holden Comprehensive Cancer Centre	USA	0	3	6	0
NYU Langone Orthopaedic Hospital	USA	0	3	8	0
Hartford HealthCare	USA	0	2	6	2
Montefiore Medical Centre	USA	0	2	6	1
Parkview Cancer Institute	USA	0	2	10	2
Hospital Universitario Austral	Argentina	0	0	8	0
St. Vincent's Hospital Melbourne	Australia	0	0	8	0
Mount Sinai Hospital	Canada	0	0	12	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>9</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>50</b>

## 2022 ENROLMENT GOAL



## STUDY RESOURCES

You can find study resources at [www.SAFETYrct.com](http://www.SAFETYrct.com) by logging into the SAFETY Investigator section of our website:

Username: siteinvestigators

Password: SAFETYInvestigators1!

# RECRUITMENT UPDATE

Site	Country	Ethics Approval Status	Site Agreement Status	Site Training Status
Cliniques Universitaires Saint-Luc	Belgium	In Progress	In Progress	N / A
Universidade de Coimbra	Brazil	In Progress	In Progress	N / A
Eastern Regional Health Authority	Canada	In Progress	In Progress	N / A
American University of Beirut Medical Center	Lebanon	Full Approval	In Progress	N / A
University Malaya Medical Centre	Malaysia	Full Approval	In Progress	N / A
Hospital Vall d'Hebron	Spain	Full Approval	In Progress	N / A
Karolinska Institute	Sweden	In Progress	In Progress	N / A
Allegheny Health Network Research Institute	USA	In Progress	In Progress	N / A
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center	USA	Full Approval	In Progress	N / A
Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center	USA	Full Approval	In Progress	N / A
University of Chicago Medical	USA	In Progress	In Progress	N / A
University of Washington Medical Center	USA	In Progress	In Progress	N / A
Virginia Cancer Specialists	USA	Full Approval	Finalized	N / A

## SAFETY UPDATES

### TRICIA LEAVES FOR MATERNITY LEAVE

We are excited to announce that effective August 15, 2022, Tricia will be on maternity leave! Although we will miss Tricia at the Methods Centre during this time, we are excited for Tricia and her family.

Tess will continue to be your primary contact for study correspondence. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Congratulations Tricia!

### EVENT OUTCOMES

In the event of death, please complete an *Early Withdrawal Form* and report the fatal event on the applicable form (*Local Recurrence Form*, *Systemic Recurrence Form*, or *Adverse Event Form*).

On the applicable form, when specifying the outcome of the local recurrence/systemic recurrence/adverse event, indicate that the event was fatal. Do not select unresolved at death for a fatal event. Unresolved at death should only be selected for non-fatal events that were unresolved at time of death.

### COMPLETING SCREENING FORMS

Please continue to complete a *Screening Form* for all participants who are: (i) 18 years of age or older, (ii) have a primary extremity grade II or III STS, and (iii) have undergone surgical excision.

When completing the *Screening Form*, please select from the available Inclusion Criteria and/or Exclusion Criteria. If you plan to exclude a participant for a reason that is not listed, please contact the Methods Centre for approval first.

If a participant does not consent, please enter the reason in the specify box for Q16 (e.g., want more frequent visits, less frequent visits, concerned about radiation).

### PCORI SUBMISSION

Thank you to each site and committee member who has completed a letter of support, Professional Profile/Biosketch, or site description.

If you have received a request for one of the above documents and have yet to send it in, please do so as soon as possible.

If you have any questions about the above documents, please contact Tess or Hadia and we will be happy to assist.

## METHODS CENTRE CONTACTS

If you have questions about any aspect of the SAFETY trial, please contact us:

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\* Tricia will be on maternity leave as of August 15, 2022. Please contact Tess with any study correspondence.