

# ROSETTA-LUNG: multidisciplinary Oncology Strategies for Team-based Treatment concordance in Lung Cancer Diagnosis and Treatment Decisions

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## Objectives

- To measure and enhance the concordance of MDT diagnosis and treatment decisions in lung cancer.
- To improve equity, treatment harmonization, and guideline adherence worldwide through a standardized approach.
- To create an educational and collaborative tool for trainee HCPs to facilitate discussions on optimal patient management.

## Conclusions

- ROSETTA-LUNG signifies a commitment to harmonizing multidisciplinary assessment of lung cancer diagnosis and treatment, acknowledging MDTs as a cornerstone in optimal cancer care.
- This platform allows for concordance to be quantified, whilst also offering an educational tool for HCPs that allows for increased equity among countries that are developing their MDT infrastructure.

## Plain language summary

- Why did we perform this project?**
- Patients with newly diagnosed lung cancer are typically evaluated and discussed by a team of healthcare experts (e.g., medical oncologist, thoracic surgeon etc.) known as a multidisciplinary team (MDT). The MDT discuss a patient's cancer and how best to treat their disease.
    - If the same patient is assessed by MDTs at different hospitals across the country, it could be assumed that the outcomes (disease diagnosis and treatment approach) will be the same; however, previous studies have discovered inconsistencies between MDTs' decisions.
  - We aimed to create a digital platform – ROSETTA-LUNG – that MDTs can use to compare how their patient management decisions may differ from other teams assessing the same patients.
- How did we perform this project?**
- ROSETTA-LUNG was designed in collaboration with a group of seven lung cancer experts (Steering Committee), who advised on key features and data analyses to include.
    - The platform contains 60 fictional lung cancer patient cases; each MDT is asked to assess the stage of cancer the patient has and how they would treat the disease.
  - The Steering Committee tested the ROSETTA-LUNG platform by reviewing six patient cases each.
- What were the findings of this project?**
- The Steering Committee successfully reviewed a collection of patient cases via ROSETTA-LUNG.
  - Agreement for how the patients should be managed varied among the Steering Committee:
    - Agreement was highest (range: 83–100%) when deciding on the treatment objective; however, agreement was lowest (range: 40–100%) when determining the specific treatment approach.
- What are the implications of this project?**
- ROSETTA-LUNG enables MDTs to easily and anonymously explore how their patient management decisions compare with other MDTs and identify ways to improve decision-making in clinical practice.
  - The platform can also be used as an educational tool by single healthcare trainees or experts to understand global real-world MDT practices.
- Where can I access more information?**
- To find out more about ROSETTA-LUNG, please contact Michael Kristensen ([michael.kristensen@astrazeneca.com](mailto:michael.kristensen@astrazeneca.com)).



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## Introduction

- MDT meetings are considered **indispensable for accurate diagnosis, disease staging and treatment management** for patients with cancer.<sup>1–3</sup>
- Treatment concordance between MDTs is poorly monitored.**
  - It is **assumed** that MDTs in the same country will arrive at the same conclusion concerning patient diagnosis and management by aligning to applicable guidelines.
  - However, some studies have identified **high intra-regional variations**, even in countries containing few oncology centers, in staging and treatment strategies for patients with NSCLC, **especially stage III**, among MDTs.<sup>4–6</sup>
- Further work is needed to **enhance concordance of lung cancer MDT assessments** and promote guideline adherence worldwide.
- Here we present **ROSETTA-LUNG**, a **cloud-based platform developed to explore patient diagnosis and treatment concordance between lung cancer MDTs**.

## Methods

### Danish Ring Trial<sup>6</sup> (ESR-20-21056)

An ESR that investigated the **concordance of four lung cancer MDTs in Denmark**.

### Concept development

ROSETTA-LUNG **inspired** by the Danish Ring Trial design.

### Steering Committee meeting (concept feedback)

Initial feedback on proposed ROSETTA-LUNG platform (case review area, case questions, types of analyses etc.) from an **expert Steering Committee (N=7)**.

### ROSETTA-LUNG development

Programming of the **initial platform** containing **key features** agreed with the Steering Committee.

### Patient case formatting

**60 fictitious cases** from the Danish Ring Trial translated to English and standardized.

### Steering Committee meeting (platform feedback)

Review of platform functionality and final feedback. Steering Committee members also **reviewed 6 cases each** using ROSETTA-LUNG.

### ROSETTA-LUNG launch

Platform launch at **WCLC 2024**.

## ROSETTA-LUNG overview

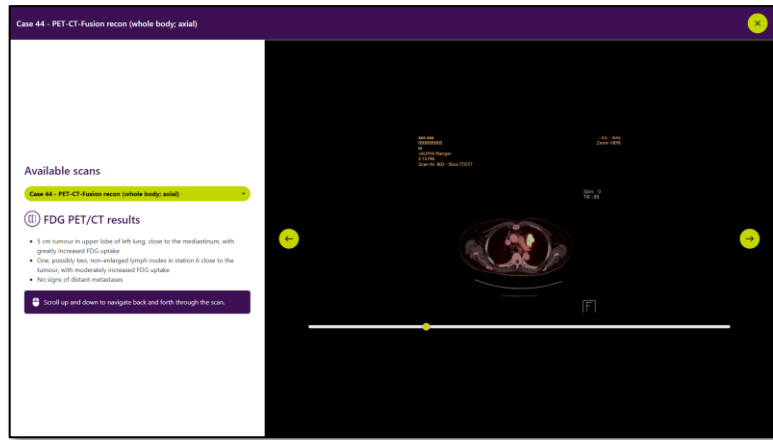
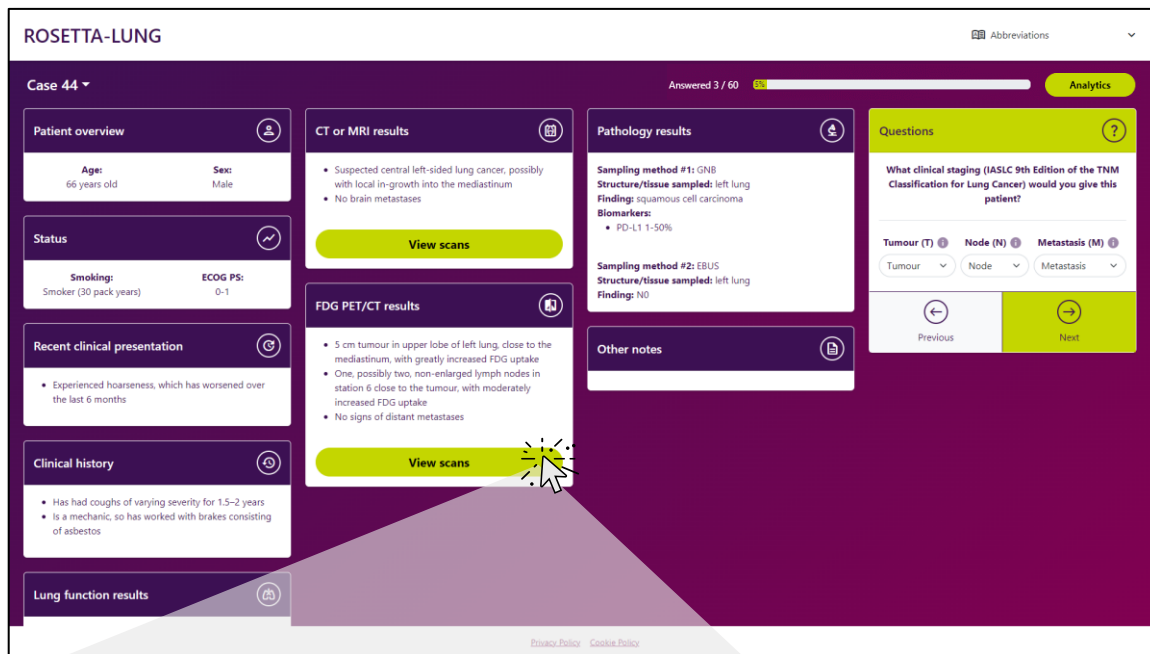
- ROSETTA-LUNG is divided into two main areas: case review (Figure 1) and MDT consensus (Figure 2).

- There are three types of ROSETTA-LUNG user accounts:

- MDT: two or more specialties are present reviewing cases;** responses by these users **contribute** to the MDT consensus dataset.
- Single HCP:** a single HCP is reviewing cases; responses by these users **do not contribute** to the MDT consensus dataset.
- Trainee HCP:** a single HCP in training is reviewing cases; responses by these users **do not contribute** to the MDT consensus dataset.

Figure 1. ROSETTA-LUNG: case review area

The case review area displays a patient overview dashboard including **relevant clinical notes and pathology results**



Most cases also include **scans (CT, MRI, PET etc.)**, which **can be explored** in a pop-up alongside notes of interest.

- Users answer the **same four questions** for every case by simply selecting answers via **easy-to-use dropdown menus or multiple-choice selections**.
- What clinical staging (IASLC 9<sup>th</sup> Edition of the TNM Classification for Lung Cancer)<sup>7</sup> would you give this patient?
  - How would you classify this patient's disease?
  - What are the treatment objectives for this patient?
  - What initial treatment(s) would you give this patient?

Figure 2. ROSETTA-LUNG: MDT consensus area

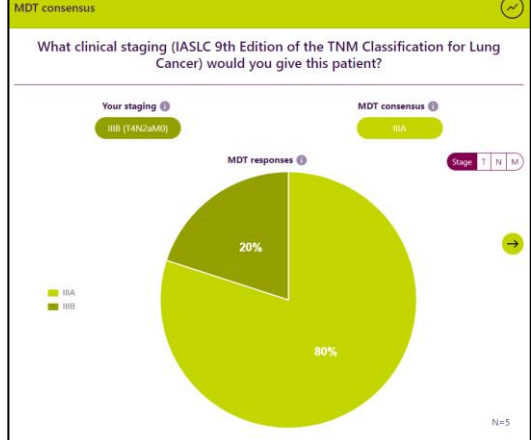
ROSETTA-LUNG compares the users' responses with the **MDT consensus response and flags any discordant cases**. All data presented are **anonymized**.



Users can **define their own MDT consensus group** based on location, centre type and MDT makeup.

Discordant results can be explored further to **understand the proportions of the consensus group's responses**.

**MDT consensus definition**  
The most common response among the MDTs included in the consensus group.



## Steering Committee testing

- Six members of the expert Steering Committee from India, Thailand, Chile, Norway, Germany and the US successfully reviewed the same cases on ROSETTA-LUNG either by themselves or as part of their typical MDT meetings (Table 1):
  - Despite the small number of Steering Committee members reviewing these cases, **agreement on how patients should be staged, diagnosed and managed varied**.
  - For cases where there was a consensus response, agreement was **highest when deciding on the treatment objective (83–100%) but lowest when determining the specific treatment approach to adopt (40–100%)**.
  - Variations in Steering Committee responses may be due to differences in local guidance or team-based methodologies to patient assessment.

Table 1. Steering Committee initial review

	Case 1	Case 2	Case 3	Case 4	Case 5	Case 6
Age (years)	66	68	64	75	72	81
ECOG PS	0–1	1–2	1	0	1	2
Histology	SCC	Adenocarcinoma	SCC	Adenocarcinoma	Adenocarcinoma	SCC
Biomarkers	PD-L1 1–50%	PD-L1 <1%; EGFR mutation (ex19del)	PD-L1 1–25%	PD-L1 1–50%	PD-L1 >50%	PD-L1 ≥50%
Steering Committee reviewers (n)	6	6	6	6	5	5
Steering Committee agreement (%)						
Staging	67% stage IIIA 17% stage IIA 17% stage IIIB	stage IVB 83% 17% Undetermined	stage IIIB 100%	67% stage IIIA 33% stage IIB	60% stage IIIB 20% stage IIB 20% stage IIA	40% stage IVB 40% stage IIIA 20% stage IVA No consensus
Disease classification	rNSCLC 83% 17% a/mNSCLC	a/mNSCLC 100%	UR NSCLC 83% 17% a/mNSCLC	33% UR NSCLC 33% rNSCLC 17% a/mNSCLC 17% Undetermined No consensus	40% UR NSCLC 40% a/mNSCLC 20% rNSCLC No consensus	a/mNSCLC 100%
Treatment objectives	Curative care 100%	Curative care 100%	Curative care 83% 17% Undetermined	Curative care 83% 17% Undetermined	Curative care 100%	Non-curative care 100%
Treatment approach	50% Peri-operative CTx+IO* 17% Surgery -> other 17% cCRT -> anti-PD-(L)1 17% Surgery -> CTx + anti-PD-(L)1	EGFR-TKI 100%	cCRT -> anti-PD-(L)1 100%	cCRT -> anti-PD-(L)1 67% 17% Peri-operative CTx+IO* 17% Undetermined	cCRT -> anti-PD-(L)1 80% 20% Peri-operative CTx+IO*	40% Anti-PD-(L)1 20% sCRT -> anti-PD-(L)1 20% Anti-PD-(L)1 + CTx 20% RT -> other

\*CTx + anti-PD-(L)1 -> surgery -> anti-PD-(L)1

## Abbreviations

(a/m/r)NSCLC, (advanced/metastatic/resectable) NSCLC; (anti)-PD-(L)1, (anti)-programmed cell death-(ligand) 1; (c/s)CRT, (concurrent/sequential) chemoradiotherapy; CT, computerized tomography; CTx, chemotherapy; ECOG PS, Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group performance status; EGFR, epidermal growth factor receptor; ESR, externally sponsored research; HCP, healthcare professional; IASLC, International Association for the Study of Lung Cancer; IO, immunotherapy; MDT, multidisciplinary team; MRI, magnetic resonance imaging; PET, positron emission tomography; RT, radiotherapy; SCC, squamous cell carcinoma; TKI, tyrosine kinase inhibitor; TNM, tumor, node, metastasis; UR, unresectable US, United States; WCLC, World Conference on Lung Cancer

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