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¹⁷⁷Lu-PSMA-617 radioligand therapy for lymph node metastatic prostate cancer

Patients with lymph node metastases of prostate cancer (LNM) appear to respond better to ¹⁷⁷Lu-prostate specific membrane antigen (PSMA)-617 radioligand therapy (RLT) than patients with end-stage prostate cancer. The present study aimed to analyze the outcome with ¹⁷⁷Lu-PSMA-617 RLT for a group of patients with LNM. In this multicenter study, we evaluated the antitumor effect and the safety of using ¹⁷⁷Lu-PSMA-617 RLT for 36 patients with LNM and 10 patients with LNM together with one or two bone metastases. Cumulative ¹⁷⁷Lu activity of ¹⁷⁷Lu-PSMA-617 RLT was median 14.8 GBq (IQR 12.0-20.4). The largest lowering of PSA was median 86% (IQR 68-99). The patients did not develop grade 3-4 myelosuppression. During follow-up, 25 (54%) patients had PSA progression. 23 (50%) patients developed new metastases and one (2%) patient died of prostate cancer during follow-up. Patients with LNM and PSA before treatment <4 µg/L had a lower PSA after treatment with ¹⁷⁷Lu-PSMA-617 RLT than patients with PSA before the treatment >4 μ g/L (p=0.001). Patients with Gleason score ≤8 had a better PSA progression-free survival than patients with Gleason score 9 (p=0.027). Patients with LNM had a better PSA progression-free survival than patients with LNM combined with one and two bone metastases (p=0.0003). In conclusion, the outcome with ¹⁷⁷Lu-PSMA-617 RLT for

patients with recurrent LNM was markedly better for patients with Gleason score ≤8 and with LNM than for patients with Gleason score 9 and with LNM combined with one or two bone metastases.



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