



PCORI's Hepatitis C Workshop

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Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute



Breakout Sessions— Discussion and Ranking of CER Questions

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4. Patient Populations and Timing of Treatment

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CER Question 1

- What is the safety profile and effectiveness of HCV therapy in specific patient populations?

CER Question 1

- Target condition
- Target population
- Compared interventions
- Proposed outcome measures (including patient-centered outcomes)
- Study design
- Feasibility of doing the study as outlined. Potential problems
- Possible results and how they might alter practice or policy
- Feasibility of scaling up the intervention to national-level adoption



CER Question 2

- What are the comparative benefits and harms of treating all patients with HCV infection versus waiting to treat only those patients who show signs of liver disease?

CER Question 2

- Target condition
- Target population
- Compared interventions
- Proposed outcome measures (including patient-centered outcomes)
- Study design
- Feasibility of doing the study as outlined. Potential problems
- Possible results and how they might alter practice or policy
- Feasibility of scaling up the intervention to national-level adoption



CER Question 3

- Does treating HCV help in the management of identified comorbidities, such as diabetes mellitus, cardiovascular disease, and chronic kidney disease?

CER Question 3

- Target condition
- Target population
- Compared interventions
- Proposed outcome measures (including patient-centered outcomes)
- Study design
- Feasibility of doing the study as outlined. Potential problems
- Possible results and how they might alter practice or policy
- Feasibility of scaling up the intervention to national-level adoption



CER Question 4

- Can antiviral therapy reduce transmission of hepatitis C?

CER Question 4

- Target condition
- Target population
- Compared interventions
- Proposed outcome measures (including patient-centered outcomes)
- Study design
- Feasibility of doing the study as outlined. Potential problems
- Possible results and how they might alter practice or policy
- Feasibility of scaling up the intervention to national-level adoption





Lunch

12 – 12:30 PM

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Color Coding

- Neon Orange: Industry
- Neon Green: Clinicians
- Blue: Patients and Coalition
- Green: Researchers and Federal
- Yellow: Systems
- Red: Payers and Purchasers



Break

2 – 2:30 PM

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