

### Appendix 3: Summary of findings for the main outcomes.

#### TKI versus Non-TKI for pediatric Ph+ALL in randomized controlled trial

**Patient or population:** patients with pediatric Ph+ALL

**Intervention:** TKI with chemotherapy

**Comparison:** chemotherapy

Outcomes	Illustrative comparative risks* (95% CI)		Relative effect (95% CI)	No of Participants (studies)	Quality of the evidence (GRADE)	Comments
	Assumed risk chemotherapy	Corresponding risk TKI with chemotherapy				
<b>overall survival</b> Follow-up: mean 3.1 years	<b>727 per 1000</b>	<b>587 per 1000</b> (287 to 901)	<b>HR 0.68</b> (0.26 to 1.78)	90 (1 study)	⊕ ⊕ ⊖ ⊖ <b>low</b> <sup>1,2,3</sup>	
<b>event free survival</b> Follow-up: mean 3.1 years	<b>614 per 1000</b>	<b>451 per 1000</b> (234 to 741)	<b>HR 0.63</b> (0.28 to 1.42)	90 (1 study)	⊕ ⊕ ⊖ ⊖ <b>low</b> <sup>1,2,3</sup>	
<b>adverse drug reaction</b> Follow-up: mean 3.1 years	<b>774 per 1000</b>	<b>635 per 1000</b> (488 to 836)	<b>RR 0.82</b> (0.63 to 1.08)	89 (1 study)	⊕ ⊕ ⊖ ⊖ <b>low</b> <sup>1,2,4</sup>	

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GRADE Working Group grades of evidence

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**Very low quality:** We are very uncertain about the estimate.

<sup>1</sup> blindness was high risk

<sup>2</sup> not applicable

<sup>3</sup> the 95% CI included appreciable benefit or harm

<sup>4</sup> the 95%CI for effect estimates were wide

### TKI versus Non-TKI for pediatric Ph+ALL in cohort studies

**Patient or population:** patients with pediatric Ph+ALL

**Intervention:** TKIs

**Comparison:** Non-TKIs

Outcomes	Illustrative comparative risks* (95% CI)		Relative effect (95% CI)	No of Participants (studies)	Quality of the evidence (GRADE)	Comments
	Assumed risk Non-TKIs	Corresponding risk TKIs				
overall survival	340 per 1000	99 per 1000 (56 to 177)	HR 0.25 (0.14 to 0.47)	204 (3 studies)	⊕⊕⊕⊖ moderate <sup>1</sup>	
event free survival	95 per 1000	25 per 1000 (12 to 55)	HR 0.25 (0.12 to 0.56)	110 (2 studies)	⊕⊕⊕⊖ moderate <sup>1</sup>	
adverse drug reaction	561 per 1000	566 per 1000 (359 to 891)	RR 1.01 (0.64 to 1.59)	147 (2 studies)	⊕⊕⊕⊖ moderate <sup>1</sup>	

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<sup>1</sup> the magnitude of the treatment effect is large

### imatinib versus dasatinib for pediatric Ph+ALL in randomized controlled trial

**Patient or population:** patients with Ph+ALL

**Intervention:** imatinib

**Comparison:** dasatinib

Outcomes	Illustrative comparative risks* (95% CI)		Relative effect (95% CI)	No of Participants (studies)	Quality of the evidence (GRADE)	Comments
	Assumed risk	Corresponding risk				
	Dasatinib	Imatinib				
<b>overall survival</b> Follow-up: mean 26.4 months	<b>880 per 1000</b>	<b>992 per 1000</b> (885 to 1000)	<b>HR 2.26</b> (1.02 to 5.01)	189 (1 study)	⊕ ⊕ ⊖ ⊖ <b>low</b> <sup>1,2,3</sup>	
<b>event free survival</b> Follow-up: mean 26.4 months	<b>707 per 1000</b>	<b>945 per 1000</b> (789 to 995)	<b>HR 2.36</b> (1.27 to 4.39)	189 (1 study)	⊕ ⊕ ⊖ ⊖ <b>low</b> <sup>1,2,3</sup>	
<b>adverse drug reaction</b> Follow-up: mean 26.4 months	<b>596 per 1000</b>	<b>578 per 1000</b> (459 to 733)	<b>RR 0.97</b> (0.77 to 1.23)	189 (1 study)	⊕ ⊕ ⊖ ⊖ <b>low</b> <sup>1,2,4</sup>	

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