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ARTICLE DETAILS

TITLE (PROVISIONAL)	Patient-centered outcomes for gastrointestinal cancer care: a scoping review protocol
AUTHORS	Yang, Joanna; Barabash, Tori; Rajendran, Luckshi; Mahar, Alyson; Hsu, Amy; James, Paul; Gotlib Conn, Lesley; Wright, Frances; Ludwig, Claire; Kosyachkova, Ekaterina; Deleemans, Julie; Coburn, Natalie G.; Hallet, Julie

VERSION 1 – REVIEW

REVIEWER	Bianchi, Valentina Cantonal Institute of Pathology, Ticino Cancer Registry
REVIEW RETURNED	18-Mar-2022

GENERAL COMMENTS	<p>The final goal of this work is absolutely innovative, taking into consideration the qualitative aspects of oncological therapies and the way in which they impact the lives of patients. Mapping and synthesizing the evidence on PCOs for GI cancer care is a challenge that these Authors accomplished in a very rigorous and open-minded way. The final result of these long process, of which this is only the beginning, will bring to a broad knowledge which will help both patients and health-care providers in care decision making.</p> <p>No more revision is needed. I evaluate the paper as accepted. I would like to congratulate with the Authors for the huge and valuable job they did.</p>
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REVIEWER	Synder, Rebecca East Carolina University
REVIEW RETURNED	12-May-2022

GENERAL COMMENTS	<p>This is a very well-written protocol which clearly outlines the purpose and methodology of the planned scoping review of patient-centered outcomes for GI cancer care. I believe that this review and the framework it proposes to develop will be critically useful for the future design of patient-centered clinical trials assessing treatment and care delivery, including shared decision making. I am unaware that any similar study has been completed or in progress, and I believe that the study proposed here will provide novel and clinically impactful information for physicians treating patients with GI cancers. The authors have also appropriately planned to include patient stakeholders in the study which will strengthen the future results and conclusions.</p>
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