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Requirements to submit AOI:

A comprehensive review of previously published data has been completed.: Yes
The specific aims are clear and focused.: Yes
The investigator has appropriate experience and expertise to develop the concept proposal; if not, has identified a mentor or senior co-investigator.: Yes
The investigator agrees to develop an initial draft of the concept proposal within 6 weeks of approval of the AOI and to finalize the concept proposal within 6 months.: Yes

Project Title: Using the Cumulative Illness RAting Scale to characterize the burden of chronic conditions among childhood cancer survivors
Planned research population (eligibility criteria): Survivors and Siblings who completed the baseline questionnaire and who either died or remain in the cohort
Proposed specific aims: To describe the severity of chronic conditions among childhood cancer survivors using the cumulative illness rating scale (CIRS) and compare this score to the CTCAE version 4.0 chronic condition rubric To describe the association between CIRS severity score (baseline) and mortality To describe the association between the CIRS severity score and health care utilization as described on the 2007 questionnaire To describe the association between the CIRS severity score and health status as described on the 2007 questionnaire
Will the project require non-CCSS funding to complete?: No
If yes, what would be the anticipated source(s) and timeline(s) for securing funding?:

Does this project require contact of CCSS study subjects for . . .

Additional self-reported information: No
Biological Samples: No
Medical record data: No
If yes to any of the above, please briefly describe.:

What CCSS Working Group(s) would likely be involved? (Check all that apply)

Second Malignancy:
Chronic Disease: Primary
Psychology / Neuropsychology:
Genetics:
Cancer Control: Primary
Epidemiology / Biostatistics: Primary

To describe the anticipated scope of the study, please indicate the specific CCSS data to be included as outcome (primary or secondary) or correlative factors. (Check all that apply)

Late mortality: Primary
Second Malignancy: Correlative Factors

Health Behaviors

Tobacco: Correlative Factors
Alcohol: Correlative Factors
Physical activity: Correlative Factors
Medical screening:
Other: Primary
If other, please specify: Health care utilization

Psychosocial

Insurance: Correlative Factors
Marriage: Correlative Factors
Education: Correlative Factors
Employment: Correlative Factors
Other:
If other, please specify:

Medical conditions

Hearing/Vision/Speech:
Hormonal systems:
Heart and vascular:
Respiratory:
Digestive:
Surgical procedures:
Brain and nervous system:
Other:
If other, please specify:

Medications

Describe medications:

Pregnancy and offspring:
Family History:

Psychologic/Quality of Life

BSI-18:

SF-36:

CCSS-NCQ:

PTS:

PTG:

Other:

If other, please specify:

Chronic conditions (CTCAE v3): Secondary

Health status: Primary

Demographic

Age: Correlative Factors

Race: Correlative Factors

Sex: Correlative Factors

Others: Correlative Factors

If others, please specify:

Cancer treatment

Chemotherapy: Correlative Factors

Radiation therapy: Correlative Factors

Surgery: Correlative Factors

Anticipated sources of statistical support

CCSS Statistical Center:

Local institutional statistician: Yes

If local, please provide the name(s) and contact information of the statistician(s) to be involved.: The analysis will be done at St. Jude by me and a member of the analytic team with guidance from Kumar Srivastava.

Will this project utilize CCSS biologic samples?: No

If yes, which of the following?

Buccal cell DNA:

Peripheral blood:

Lymphoblastoid cell lines:

Second malignancy pathology samples:

Other requiring collection of samples:

If other, please explain:

Other general comments: