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Section: Project Requirements and Description

Group: 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: Assessment of Hearing Impairment in Long-term Survivors of Childhood Cancer

Planned research population (eligibility criteria):

Eligible patients will include long-term survivors (5+ years from diagnosis) of pediatric malignancies (age at diagnosis <18 years) treated with platinum-based chemotherapy (cis-platinum or carboplatin). Patients will be excluded if they self-report deafness or impaired hearing at birth.

Proposed specific aims:

To evaluate the prevalence and predictors of participant-reported hearing impairment across multiple time points among long-term survivors of pediatric cancers treated with platinum-based agents

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?:

Group: 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. :

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

Second Malignancy:

Chronic Disease : Primary

Psychology / Neuropsychology:

Genetics:

Cancer Control:

Epidemiology / Biostatistics : Secondary

Section: Outcomes or Correlative Factors

Late mortality:

Second Malignancy:

Group: Health Behaviors

Tobacco: Alcohol:

Physical activity:
Medical screening:

Other:

If other, please specify:

Group: Psychosocial

Insurance:

Marriage:

Education : Employment :

Other:

If other, please specify:

Group: Medical Conditions

Hearing/Vision/Speech : Primary

Hormonal systems: Heart and vascular:

Respiratory:
Digestive:

Surgical procedures:

Brain and nervous system:

Other:

If other, please specify:

Group: Medications

Describe medications:

The primary exposure variable(s) will consist of timing/date, course, and

cumulative dose of platinum-based agents: Cis-platinum or carboplatin

Other medication information, including self-reported use of aminoglycosides and loop diuretics, will be considered as correlative factors for treatment-associated hearing impairment.

Group: Psychologic/Quality of Life

BSI-18 : SF-36 :

CCSS-NCQ:

PTS : PTG : Other :

If other, please specify:

Group: Other

Pregnancy and offspring:

Family history:

Chronic conditions (CTCAE v3):

Health status:

Group: Demographic

Age: Correlative Factors

Race: Correlative Factors

Sex: Correlative Factors

Other: Correlative Factors

If other, please specify: Age at diagnosis, primary tumor diagnosis, body surface

area/weight at diagnosis, timing/date and dose or treatment information

Group: Cancer treatment

Chemotherapy : Correlative Factors
Radiation therapy : Correlative Factors

Surgery : Correlative Factors

Section: 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.

I have biostatistics and epidemiology training and have the analytic experience necessary to conduct the proposed research. I will also be working closely with mentors, experienced in epidemiologic data analysis, to complete this project.

Will this project utilize CCSS biologic samples? : No

If yes, which of the following?:

If other, please explain:

Section: Other General Comments

Other General Comments:

The project will be restricted to data available from the baseline, 2000, and 2007 CCSS assessments.