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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: Statin Therapy and Cardiovascular Disease Incidence in Childhood Cancer Survivors

Planned research population (eligibility criteria):
All CCSS survivor participants, both original and expanded cohort, who have completed the most recent questionnaire (FU2007 or baseline survey)

Proposed specific aims:
Background: Chest radiation with fields including the coronary arteries is a risk factor for cardiovascular disease (CVD). Statin therapy is a mainstay of cardiovascular risk reduction in the general population. Though statins are well studied in the general population, cancer patients and survivors are largely excluded from these studies. The potential benefits of statin therapy among adult survivors of childhood cancer remains understudied in a population aging into their most productive, yet high-risk, years.

1. Determine if there is an independent association between statin use and subsequent major cardiac events (i.e. myocardial infarction, cerebrovascular disease, heart failure.) Factors to be considered in multivariable models include HTN, DM, cancer therapies, gender, age, socioeconomic status, insurance status.

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: **Primary**
Second Malignancy:

**Group: Health Behaviors**
Tobacco: **Correlative Factors**
Alcohol:
Physical activity: **Correlative Factors**
Medical screening:
Other:
If other, please specify:

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

**Group: Medical Conditions**
Hearing/Vision/Speech:
Hormonal systems: **Correlative Factors**
Heart and vascular: **Primary**
Respiratory:
Digestive:
Surgical procedures:
Brain and nervous system:
**Other**: If other, please specify:

**Group: Medications**
Describe medications:
Medications for diabetes, hypertension, hyperlipidemia

**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:
Sex: Correlative Factors
Other:
If other, please specify:

**Group: Cancer treatment**
Chemotherapy: Correlative Factors
Radiation therapy: Correlative Factors
Surgery: Correlative Factors

**Section: Anticipated Sources of Statistical Support**
CCSS Statistical Center: Yes
Local institutional statistician:
If local, please provide the name(s) and contact information of the statistician(s) to be involved.
Will this project utilize CCSS biologic samples?: No
If yes, which of the following?:
If other, please explain:

**Section: Other General Comments**
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