

Supplementary Figure 1

Article title: Exploring Health Professionals' Perceptions of Chemotherapy and Radiation Therapy-Related Oral Mucositis

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Health professionals' perception of oral mucositis

You are invited to complete this survey which assesses health professionals' perception of their understanding of oral mucositis, including its presentation, grading and management.

The information from this survey will be used to help understand the differences in assessment and management of oral mucositis between and within different health professions. This survey will be part of a two arm study, where the second arm will collect patient reported outcomes and document clinical manifestations of chemotherapy and radiotherapy induced oral mucositis.

Survey responses will be de-identified and anonymous.

Please click to view the consent form. By completing the survey, you are giving implied consent to take part in the research project.

Attachment:  [HPC-HealthProConsent\(1\).pdf](#) (0.28 MB)

1 Please select your profession

* must provide value

2 If applicable, please specify your specialty below (e.g. Haematology, Radiation Oncology)

3 Your years of experience (post primary qualification e.g. post MBBS, BNurs, BPharm)

* must provide value

- ☐ < 1 year
☐ 1 to 5 years
☐ 6 to 10 years
☐ 11 to 15 years
☐ >15 years

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4 Which oral mucositis clinical assessment tool(s) have you heard of/are familiar with?

* must provide value

- ☐ WHO (World Health Organisation)
☐ CTCAE (Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events)
☐ OMAS (Oral Mucositis Assessment Scale)
☐ OAG (Oral Assessment Guide)
☐ RTOG (Radiation Therapy Oncology Group)/EORTC (European Organisation for Research and Treatment of Cancer) acute and late reaction grading
☐ Other
☐ None

5 Which oral mucositis clinical assessment tool(s) are you using for patients at WSLHD hospitals? <i>* must provide value</i>	☐ WHO (World Health Organisation) ☐ CTCAE (Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events) ☐ OMAS (Oral Mucositis Assessment Scale) ☐ OAG (Oral Assessment Guide) ☐ RTOG (Radiation Therapy Oncology Group)/EORTC (European Organisation for Research and Treatment of Cancer) acute and late reaction grading ☐ Other ☐ None ☐ N/A
6 If using CTCAE, which version are you using currently?	☐ Version 3.0 ☐ Version 4.0 ☐ Version 5.0 ☐ Unsure
7 Have you used patient reported quality of life measures for oral mucositis? <i>* must provide value</i>	☐ Yes ☐ No
8 If selected YES in Question 7, which patient reported quality of life measure have you used? ☐ OMDQ (Oral Mucositis Daily Questionnaire) ☐ OMWQ (Oral Mucositis Weekly Questionnaire) ☐ FACT (Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy) ☐ PROMS (Patient Reported Oral Mucositis Symptoms) ☐ Other ☐ Unsure	
Indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with the statements below:	
	Strongly disagree Disagree Neutral Agree Strongly agree
9 Oral mucositis affects patients under my care at WSLHD hospitals <i>* must provide value</i>	☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐
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10 Oral mucositis impacts on my patients' ability to complete medical treatment as required <i>* must provide value</i>	☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐
	reset
11 Managing patients' oral mucositis can be challenging <i>* must provide value</i>	☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐
	reset
12 Managing patients' oral mucositis is time consuming and resource intensive <i>* must provide value</i>	☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐
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13 Health professionals involved in the care of head and neck cancer patients undergoing radiotherapy and/or bone marrow transplant patients undergoing chemotherapy have a clear understanding of oral mucositis <i>* must provide value</i>	☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐

		Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly agree	
14	Managing patients' oral mucositis requires a clear understanding of its clinical presentation and pathogenesis * must provide value	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
15	There is a difference in the clinical manifestation between chemotherapy and radiotherapy-induced oral mucositis * must provide value	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	reset
16	There is a difference in the management between chemotherapy and radiotherapy-induced oral mucositis * must provide value	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	reset
17	I have worked in healthcare facilities with an oral mucositis management clinical guideline * must provide value		☐ Yes ☐ No				reset
18	A clinical guideline for oral mucositis management at WSLHD hospitals should be introduced * must provide value	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	reset
19	It is important to identify a universal measure of oral mucositis within WSLHD * must provide value	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	reset
20	It is important to identify a universal measure of oral mucositis between institutions * must provide value	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	reset
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